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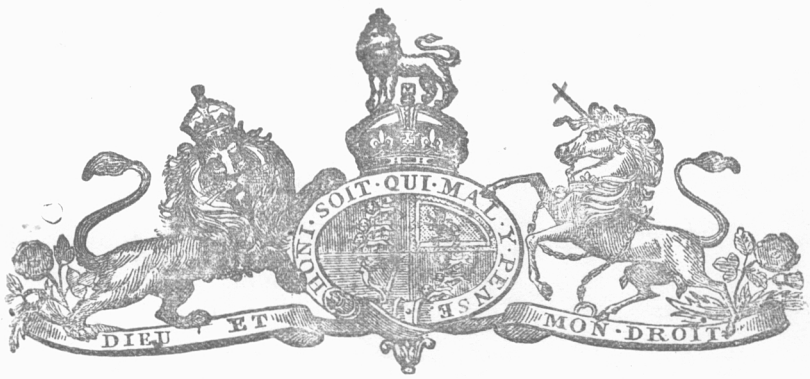
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GOVERNORS.

RETURN showing the Names of the Governors and Acting-Governors of the Colony of Tasmania and the Dates of their Assumption of, and Retirement from, Office.

Name.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.
Colonel David Collins	Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of Van Diemen's Land	19 Feb. 1804	24 Mar. 1810
Lieutenant Edward Lord Capt. Murray, 73rd Regt.	Commandants	24 Mar 1810	Feb. 1812
Lieutenant-Colonel Geiles, 73rd Regt.	Commandant	Feb. 1812	4 Feb. 1813
Colonel Davey	Lieutenant-Governor	4 Feb. 1813	9 April, 1817
Colonel Sorell	Ditto	9 April, 1817	14 May, 1824
Colonel Arthur	Ditto	14 May, 1824	3 Dec. 1825
Lieutenant-General Sir R Darling	Governor-in-Chief	3 Dec. 1825	6 Dec 1825
Colonel Arthur	Lieutenant-Governor	6 Dec. 1825	30 Oct. 1836
Lieutenant-Colonel Snodgrass	Acting Lieutenant-Governor	31 Oct. 1836	5 Jan. 1837
Sir John Franklin, K.C.H.	Lieutenant-Governor	6 Jan. 1837	21 Aug. 1843
Sir J. E. Eardley-Wilmot, Bart.	Ditto	21 Aug. 1843	13 Oct. 1846
C. J. Latrobe, Esq.	Administrator of the Government	13 Oct. 1846	25 Jan. 1847
Sir W. T. Denison, Kt.	Lieutenant-Governor	26 Jan. 1847	8 Jan. 1855
Sir H. E. F. Young, Kt. C.B.	Governor-in-Chief	8 Jan. 1855	10 Dec. 1861
Colonel T. Gore Browne, C.B.	Administrator of the Government	11 Dec. 1861	16 June, 1862
	Governor-in-Chief	16 June, 1862	30 Dec. 1868
Lieutenant-Colonel W. C. Trevor, C.B.	Administrator of the Government	30 Dec. 1868	15 Jan. 1869
C. Du Cane, Esq.	Governor and Commander-in Chief	15 Jan. 1869	28 Nov. 1874
Sir Valentine Fleming, Kt.	Administrator of the Government	26 Mar. 1874	8 June, 1874
Sir Francis Smith, Kt.	Ditto	30 Nov. 1874	13 Jan. 1875
F. A. Weld, Esq., C.M.G.	Governor and Commander-in-Chief	13 Jan. 1875	5 April, 1880
Sir Francis Smith, Kt.	Administrator of the Government	6 April, 1880	21 Oct. 1880
Sir J. H Lefroy, K.C.M.G., C.B.	Ditto	21 Oct. 1880	6 Dec. 1881
Major Sir George Cumine Strahan, R.A., K.C.M.G.	Governor and Commander-in-Chief	7 Dec. 1881	28 Oct. 1886
Acting Chief Justice the Hon. W. L. Dobson	Administrator of the Government	21 April, 1884	19 May, 1884
Acting Chief Justice the Hon. W. R. Giblin	Ditto	29 Oct. 1886	18 Nov. 1886
Chief Justice Sir W. L. Dobson, Knight	Ditto	18 Nov. 1886	11 Mar 1887
Sir R. G. C. Hamilton, K.C.B.	Governor and Commander-in-Chief	11 Mar. 1887	31 Mar. 1893
Chief Justice Sir W. L. Dobson, Knight	Administrator of the Government	1 Dec. 1892	8 Aug. 1893
Viscount Gormanston, K.C.M.G.	Governor and Commander-in-Chief	8 Aug. 1893	13 Oct. 1900
Chief Justice the Hon. J. S. Dodds, K.C.M.G.	Administrator of the Government	1 May, 1899	8 Nov. 1899
		14 Aug. 1900	8 Nov. 1901
Hon. A. I. Clark	Deputy-Administrator	2 May, 1901	17 May, 1901
Sir A. E. Havelock, G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., G.C.I.E.	Governor and Commander-in-Chief.	8 Nov. 1901	15 July, 1904
Sir John Stokell Dodds, K.C.M.G.	Lieutenant-Governor	16 Apr. 1904	26 Oct. 1904
Sir Gerald Strickland, K.C.M.G.	Governor	27 Oct. 1904	Still in office

DEPUTY GOVERNORS.

RETURN showing Names of Deputy Governors appointed from time to time, with the Dates of their Assumption of, and Retirement from, Office.

Name.	Office.	Date of Assumption of Office.	Date of Retirement from Office.
W. L. Dobson, Esq.	Deputy Governor	28 Oct. 1884	Nov. 1884
J. Stokell Dodds, C.M.G.	Ditto	5 Aug, 1888	17 Aug. 1888
Sir W. Lambert Dobson	Ditto	16 Aug. 1890	16 Sept. 1890
Ditto	Ditto	22 Oct. 1894	— Nov. 1894
Ditto	Ditto	5 Aug. 1897	13 Aug. 1897
Sir J. Stokell Dodds, Kt., C.M.G., KC.M.G	Ditto	8 Aug. 1900	13 Aug. 1900
Ditto	Ditto	31 Oct. 1902	8 Nov. 1902
Ditto	Ditto	3 Nov. 1905	16 Nov. 1905

MINISTRIES.

NAMES of the Members of the successive Ministries which have held Office in Tasmania since the inauguration of Responsible Government, together with the Dates of their Appointment and Retirement.

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Appointment or of joining the Ministry.	Date of Retirement.
I.	William Thomas Napier Champ	Colonial Secretary and Premier	1 Nov. 1856	26 Feb. 1857
	Thomas Daniel Chapman	Colonial Treasurer		
	Francis Smith	Attorney-General		
	John Warrington Rogers	Solicitor-General	15 Dec. 1856	26 Feb. 1857
	Henry Frampton Anstey	Secretary of Lands and Works	1 Nov. 1856	26 Feb. 1857
	William Edward Nairn	Seat in Ex. Council without office		
II.	Thomas George Gregson	Colonial Secretary and Premier	26 Feb. 1857	25 April, 1857
	Charles Meredith	Colonial Treasurer		
	John Compton Gregson	Attorney-General		
	James Whyte	Seat in Ex. Council without office		
	Maxwell Miller	Ditto		
	John Helder Wedge	Ditto		
III.	William Pritchard Weston	Premier without office	25 April, 1857	12 May, 1857
	William Henty	Colonial Secretary		
	Frederick Maitland Innes	Colonial Treasurer		
	Francis Smith	Attorney-General		
	Thomas John Knight	Solicitor-General		
	Robert Quayle Kermode	Seat in Ex. Council without office		
IV.	Francis Smith	Attorney-General and Premier	12 May, 1857	1 Nov. 1860
	William Henty	Colonial Secretary		
	Frederick Maitland Innes	Colonial Treasurer		
	Thomas John Knight	Solicitor-General		
	Robert Quayle Kermode	Seat in Ex. Council without office		
	William Pritchard Weston	Ditto		
	John Walker	Ditto		
V.	William Pritchard Weston	Premier without office	1 Nov. 1860	22 July, 1861
	William Henty	Colonial Secretary	1 Nov. 1860	2 Aug. 1861
	Frederick Maitland Innes	Colonial Treasurer		
	Thomas John Knight	Attorney-General	2 Nov. 1860	4 Feb. 1861
	succeeded by			
	William Lambert Dobson	Ditto	5 Feb. 1861	2 Aug. 1861
	William Archer	Seat in Ex. Council without office	2 Nov. 1860	
VI.	Thomas Daniel Chapman	Premier without office	2 Aug. 1861	1 Nov. 1862
	William Henty	Colonial Secretary		
	succeeded by			
	Frederick Maitland Innes	Ditto	1 Nov. 1862	20 Jan. 1863
	Frederick Maitland Innes	Colonial Treasurer	2 Aug. 1861	1 Nov. 1862
	succeeded by			
	Thomas Daniel Chapman	Ditto and Premier	1 Nov. 1862	20 Jan. 1863
	William Lambert Dobson	Attorney-General	2 Aug. 1861	
VII.	James Whyte	Colonial Secretary and Premier	20 Jan. 1863	24 Nov. 1866
	Charles Meredith	Colonial Treasurer		
	Robert Byron Miller	Attorney-General		
	James Milne Wilson	Seat in Ex. Council without office		
VIII.	Sir Richard Dry	Colonial Secretary and Premier	24 Nov. 1866	1 Aug. 1869
	Thomas Daniel Chapman	Colonial Treasurer	24 Nov. 1866	4 Aug. 1869
	William Lambert Dobson	Attorney-General		

MINISTRIES—*continued.*

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Appointment or of joining the Ministry.	Date of Retirement.
IX.	James Milne Wilson	Colonial Secretary and Premier	4 Aug. 1869	4 Nov. 1872
	Thomas Daniel Chapman	Colonial Treasurer		
	William Lambert Dobson	Attorney-General	4 Aug. 1869	5 Feb. 1870
	succeeded by			
	William Robert Giblin	Ditto	5 Feb. 1870	4 Nov. 1872
	Henry Butler	Seat in Ex. Council without office	5 Aug. 1869	26 Oct. 1869
	Henry Butler	Minister of Lands and Works	27 Oct. 1869	4 Nov. 1872
	James Alfred Dunn	Seat in Ex. Council without office	5 Aug. 1869	
X.	Frederick Maitland Innes	Colonial Treasurer and Premier	4 Nov. 1872	4 Aug. 1873
	James Reid Scott	Colonial Secretary		
	John Alexander Jackson	Attorney-General		
	Charles Meredith	Minister of Lands and Works		
XI.	Alfred Kennerley	Premier without office	4 Aug. 1873	20 July, 1876
	Thomas Daniel Chapman	Colonial Secretary	4 Aug. 1873	1 April, 1876
	succeeded by			
	George Gilmore	Ditto	10 April, 1876	20 July, 1876
	Philip Oakley Fysh	Colonial Treasurer	4 Aug. 1873	13 Mar. 1875
	succeeded by			
	Frederick Maitland Innes	Ditto	13 Mar. 1875	20 July, 1876
	William Robert Giblin	Attorney-General	4 Aug. 1873	
	William Moore	Minister of Lands and Works	4 Aug. 1873	
XII.	Thomas Reibey	Colonial Secretary and Premier	20 July, 1876	9 Aug. 1877
	Charles Meredith	Colonial Treasurer		
		Minister of Lands and Works	21 July, 1876	21 Aug. 1876
	Charles Hamilton Bromby	Attorney-General	20 July, 1876	9 Aug. 1877
	Christopher O'Reilly	Minister of Lands and Works	21 Aug. 1876	
	William Lodewyk Crowther	Seat in Ex. Council without office	20 July, 1876	
XIII.	Philip Oakley Fysh*	Premier without office	9 Aug. 1877	5 Mar. 1878
	William Robert Giblin	Attorney-General	9 Aug. 1877	13 Aug. 1877
		Colonial Treasurer	13 Aug. 1877	20 Dec. 1878
	William Moore	Minister of Lands and Works	9 Aug. 1877	13 Aug. 1877
		Colonial Secretary	13 Aug. 1877	20 Dec. 1878
	Alfred Dobson	Attorney-General	13 Aug. 1877	
	Nicholas John Brown	Minister of Lands and Works	13 Aug. 1877	
	James Wilson Agnew	Seat in Ex. Council without office	9 Aug. 1877	
XIV.	William Lodewyk Crowther	Premier without office	20 Dec. 1878	29 Oct. 1879
	Thomas Reibey	Colonial Secretary		
	David Lewis	Colonial Treasurer		
	John Stokell Dodds	Attorney-General		
	Christopher O'Reilly	Minister of Lands and Works		
XV.	William Robert Giblin	Colonial Treasurer and Premier	30 Oct. 1879	1 Dec. 1881
		Attorney-General and Premier	1 Dec. 1881	15 Aug. 1884
	William Moore	Chief Secretary	30 Oct. 1879	
	John Stokell Dodds	Attorney-General	30 Oct. 1879	1 Dec. 1881
		Treasurer	1 Dec. 1881	15 Aug. 1884
	Christopher O'Reilly	Minister of Lands and Works.	30 Oct. 1879	1 Dec. 1882
	succeeded by			
	Nicholas John Brown	Ditto	1 Dec. 1882	15 Aug. 1884
	James Wilson Agnew	Seat in Ex. Council without office	30 Oct. 1879	5 Feb. 1881
	Thomas Christie Smart	Ditto	1 Dec. 1882	15 Aug. 1884

* On Mr. Fysh's retirement from the position of Premier, in March, 1878, he was succeeded by Mr. Giblin, without any further change in the constitution of the Ministry. The same remark, *mutatis mutandis*, applies also to Mr. Douglas (XVI.) and Mr. A. I. Clark (XIX.).

MINISTRIES—*continued.*

Number of Ministry.	Name of Minister.	Office.	Date of Appointment or of joining the Ministry.	Date of Retirement.
XVI.	Adye Douglas	Chief Secretary and Premier	15 Aug. 1884	8 Mar. 1886
	succeeded by			
	James Wilson Agnew	Ditto	8 Mar. 1886	1 Mar. 1887
	Ditto	Premier only	1 Mar. 1887	29 Mar. 1887
	Henry Isidore Joachim Raphael Rooke	Chief Secretary	1 Mar. 1887	29 Mar. 1887
	William Henry Burgess	Treasurer	15 Aug. 1884	29 Mar. 1887
	John Stokell Dodds	Attorney-General	15 Aug. 1884	15 Feb. 1887
	succeeded by			
	Richard James Lucas	Ditto	25 Feb. 1887	29 Mar.1887
	Nicholas John Brown	Minister of Lands and Works	15 Aug. 1884	
XVII.	Philip Oakley Fysh	Chief Secretary and Premier	30 Mar.1887	17 Aug. 1892
	Bolton Stafford Bird	Treasurer		
	Andrew Inglis Clark	Attorney-General		
	Edward Nicholas Coventry Braddon	Minister of Lands and Works	30 Mar. 1887	29 Oct. 1888
	succeeded by			
	Alfred Thomas Pillinger	Ditto	29 Oct. 1888	17 Aug. 1892
	George Parker Fitzgerald	Seat in Ex. Council without office	29 Oct. 1888	23 May, 1891
XVIII.	Henry Dobson	Premier without office	17 Aug. 1892	14 April, 1894
	Adye Douglas	Chief Secretary		
	John Henry	Treasurer		
	Neil Elliott Lewis	Attorney-General		
	William Hartnoll	Minister of Lands and Works		
	Charles Henry Grant	Seat in Ex. Council without office		
XIX.	The Right Hon. Sir Edward Nicholas Coventry Braddon	Premier without salaried office	14 April, 1894	30 Dec. 1898
	William Moore	Chief Secretary	14 April, 1894	12 Oct. 1899
	Sir Philip Oakley Fysh	Treasurer	14 April, 1894	30 Dec. 1898
	succeeded by			
	The Right Hon. Sir Edward Nicholas Coventry Braddon	Treasurer and Premier	1 Jan. 1899	12 Oct. 1899
	Andrew Inglis Clark	Attorney-General	14 April, 1894	23 Oct. 1897
	succeeded by			
	Donald Campbell Urquhart	Ditto	10 Nov. 1897	12 Oct. 1899
	Alfred Thomas Pillinger	Minister of Lands and Works	14 April, 1894	Died 6 May, 1899
	succeeded by			
	Edward Thomas Miles	Ditto	10 May, 1899	12 Oct. 1899
	Thomas Reibey	Seat in Ex. Council without office	14 April, 1894	12 Oct. 1899
XX.	Sir Neil Elliott Lewis	Attorney-General and Premier	12 Oct. 1899	8 April, 1903
	George Thomas Collins	Chief Secretary		
	Bolton Stafford Bird	Treasurer		
	Edward Mulcahy	Minister of Lands and Works		
	Frederick William Piesse	Seat in Ex. Council without office		
XXI.	William Bispham Propsting	Treasurer and Premier	9 April, 1903	11 July, 1904
	John McCall	Chief Secretary		
	Herbert Nicholls	Attorney-General		
	Carmichael Lyne	Minister of Lands and Works		
	Arthur Morrisby	Seat in Ex. Council without office	31 July, 1903	11 July, 1904
XXII.	John William Evans	Premier	12 July, 1904	Still in office
	William Moore	Chief Secretary		
	Charles Lennox Stewart	Treasurer		9 Oct. 1905
	succeeded by			
	John William Evans	Treasurer and Premier	9 Oct. 1905	Still in office.
	George Crosby Gilmore	Attorney-General	12 July, 1904	
	Alexander Hean	Minister of Lands and Works		

PARLIAMENTS.

RETURN showing the Number of Parliaments of Tasmania since the inauguration of Responsible Government; also the Number of Sessions, and the Dates of Opening and Closing the same.

Number of Parliament.	Number of Session.	Date of Opening.	Day of Closing or Dissolution.
I.	1	2 December, 1856	5 June, 1857
	2	13 October, 1857	25 February, 1858
	3	7 September, 1858	5 November, 1858
	4	9 December, 1858	10 December, 1858
	5	4 August, 1859	23 September, 1859
	6	18 July, 1860	4 October, 1860
			Dissolved 8 *May*, 1861.
II.	1	15 August, 1861	1 February, 1862
	2	22 July, 1862	20 October, 1862
			Dissolved 21 *October*, 1862.
III.	1	15 January, 1863	25 March, 1863
	2	16 June, 1863	29 September, 1863
	3	13 October, 1863	17 October, 1863
	4	29 June, 1864	21 September, 1864
	5	18 July, 1865	29 September, 1865
	6	31 July, 1866	10 September, 1866
			Dissolved 18 *September*, 18 6
IV.	1	20 November, 1866	20 February, 1867
	2	20 August, 1867	11 October, 1867
	3	28 July, 1868	17 September, 1868
	4	24 August, 1869	22 October, 1869
	5	23 August, 1870	18 October, 1870
			Dissolved 7 *August*, 1871
V.	1	7 November, 1871	21 December, 1871
	2	25 June, 1872	19 August, 1872
			Dissolved 20 *August*, 1872.
VI.	1	22 October, 1872	27 December, 1872
	2	17 June, 1873	31 October, 1873
	3	21 July, 1874	18 September, 1874
	4	27 July, 1875	30 September, 1875
	5	26 October, 1875	3 November, 1875
	6	12 September, 1876	20 November, 1876
	7	18 January, 1877	27 January, 1877
	8	24 April, 1877	17 May, 1877
			Dissolved 19 *May*, 1877.
VII.	1	12 July, 1877	9 August, 1877
	2	25 September, 1877	11 December, 1877
	3	16 July, 1878	19 June, 1879
	4	9 September, 1879	11 March, 1880
	5	10 August, 1880	1 November, 1880
	6	19 July, 1881	8 November, 1881
			Dissolved 5 *May*, 1882.
VIII.	1	11 July, 1882	6 November, 1882
	2	24 July, 1883	29 October, 1883
	3	14 December, 1883	20 December, 1883
	4	1 July, 1884	24 November, 1884
	5	21 July, 1885	5 December, 1885
			Dissolved 28 *June*, 1886.
IX.	1	24 August, 1886	8 December, 1886
	2	12 July, 1887	20 December, 1887
	3	29 May, 1888	4 February, 1889
	4	9 July, 1889	11 December, 1889
	5	1 July, 1890	28 November, 1890
			Dissolved 30 *April*, 1891.
X.	1	7 July, 1891	23 December, 1891
	2	26 July, 1892	21 December, 1892
	3	18 July, 1893	14 November, 1893
			Dissolved 2 *December*, 1893.
XI.	1	27 February, 1894	3 September, 1894
	2	23 October, 1894	26 October, 1894
	3	25 June, 1895	24 October, 1895
	4	7 January, 1896	10 January, 1896
	5	7 July, 1896	26 November, 1896
			Dissolved 29 *December*, 1896.
XII.	1	9 March, 1897	11 March, 1897
	2	13 July, 1897	24 December, 1897
	3	3 May, 1898	29 October, 1898
	4	30 May, 1899	22 December, 1899
			Dissolved 26 *January*, 1900.
XIII	1	24 April, 1900	11 January, 1901
	2	28 May, 1901	8 January, 1902
	3	22 July, 1902	1 November, 1902
	4	12 November, 1902	20 December, 1902
			Dissolved 11 *March*, 1903.
XIV.	1	21 May, 1903	25 May, 1903
	2	18 August, 1903	8 January, 1904
	3	15 March, 1904	24 May, 1904
	4	7 June, 1904	11 November, 1904
	5	11 July, 1905	Prorogued 20 November, 1905

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members of the Executive Council of Tasmania on 31 December, 1905.

Name.	Date of subscribing the Oath.	Holding what Office (if any)
Smith, Sir Francis, K.C.M.G.	1 November, 1856	
Fysh, Sir Philip Oakley, K.C.M.G.	4 August, 1873	
Moore, William	4 August, 1873	
Reibey, Thomas	20 July, 1876	
O'Reilly, Christopher	21 August, 1876	Stipendiary Magistrate, Scottsdale, &c.
Dobson, Alfred	13 August, 1877	Agent-General.
Dodds, Sir John Stokell, K.C.M.G.	20 December, 1878	Chief Justice.
Douglas, Sir Adye, K.C.M.G.	15 August, 1884	
Burgess, William Henry	15 August, 1884	
Lucas, Richard James	28 February, 1887	
Bird, Bolton Stafford	29 March, 1887	
Clark, Andrew Inglis		Puisne Judge.
Fitzgerald, George Parker	29 October, 1888	
Dobson, Henry	17 August, 1892	
Henry, John		
Lewis, Sir Neil Elliott, K.C.M.G.		
Hartnoll, William		
Urquhart, Donald Campbell	10 November, 1897	
Miles, Edward Thomas	10 May, 1899	
Collins, George Thomas	12 October, 1899	
Mulcahy, Edward		
McIntyre, John	14 June, 1901	Puisne Judge.
Propsting, William Bispham	9 April, 1903	
M'Call, John	9 April, 1903	
Nicholls, Herbert	9 April, 1903	
Lyne, Carmichael	9 April, 1903	
Morrisby, Arthur	31 July, 1903	
John Wm. Evans	11 July, 1904	Premier.
Charles Lennox Stewart	11 July, 1904	Treasurer.
George Crosby Gilmore	11 July, 1904	Attorney-General.
Alec Hean	11 July, 1904	Minister of Lands and Works.

D. W. ADDISON, *Clerk of the Council.*

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

RETURN of Members of the Legislative Council of Tasmania on 31 December, 1905.

Name of Member.	Name of Electoral District.	Date of last Election.	Holding what Office (if any).
Butler, Gamaliel Henry	Hobart	3 May, 1904	
Collins, George Thomas	Tamar	7 May, 1901	
Crosby, William	Hobart	5 May, 1903	
Davies, Charles Ellis	Cambridge	5 May, 1903	
Dean, Ellis	Derwent	7 May, 1901	
Dodery, William	Westmorland	7 May, 1901	
Fisher, Thomas Moore	Huon	2 May, 1905	President of the Council.
Gant, Tetley	Buckingham	5 May, 1903	
Grubb, Frederick William	Meander	2 May, 1899	Chairman of Committees.
M'Cracken, Peter	Launceston	3 May, 1904	
Moore, William	Russell	5 May, 1903	
Morrisby, Arthur	Gordon	2 May, 1905	Chief Secretary.
Murdoch, James	Pembroke	2 May, 1905	
Nichols, Hubert Allan	Mersey	18 July, 1902	
Page, Alfred	Macquarie	5 May, 1903	
Propsting, William Bispham	Hobart	22 Dec. 1905	
Russen, Charles	Launceston	3 May, 1904	
Scott, Robert Steele	South Esk	5 May, 1903	

E. C. NOWELL, *Clerk of the Council.*

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

RETURN of Members of the House of Assembly.

Name of Member.	Electoral District.	Date of Election.	Holding what Office (if any).
Allen, Charles Winnett	Westbury	2 April, 1903	
Batchelor, William Eastgate	North Launceston	2 April, 1903	
Bennett, William Henry	Cambria	2 April, 1903	
Best, Jonathan	Deloraine	2 April, 1 03	Chairman of Committees
Bird, Bolton Stafford	South Hobart	30 July, 1904	
Bond, Frank	East Hobart	2 April, 1903	
Brown, Julian George	New Norfolk	2 April, 1903	
Brownell, William Percival	Franklin	2 April, 1903	
Burns, George Mason	Queenstown	2 April, 1903	
Crowther, Edward Lodewyk, M.D.	Queenborough	23 March, 1903	
Davies, John George, C.M.G.	Fingal	2 April, 1903	Speaker
Dumbleton, Henry Arthur	Devonport	2 April, 1903	
Evans, John William	Kingborough	2 April, 1903	Premier and Treasurer
Gibson, John Blackler	North Esk	2 April, 1903	
Gilmore, George Crosby, B.A.	Waratah	2 April, 1903	Attorney-General
Hean, Alexander	Sorell	2 April, 1903	Minister of Lands and Works
Hodgman, Thomas Christopher	Monmouth	23 March, 1903	
Hope, John	Kentish	2 April, 1903	
Jensen, Jens August	George Town	2 April, 1903	
Lamerton, William	Zeehan	2 April, 1903	
Long, James Joseph	Lyell	2 April, 1903	
Lyne, Carmichael	Ringarooma	23 March, 1903	
Mackenzie, Charles John	Wellington	2 April, 1903	
McCall, John, M.D. [C.E.	West Devon	23 March, 1903	
Moore, George Edward Brettingham,	West Hobart	2 April, 1903	
Murray, Henry	Latrobe	2 April, 1903	
Nicholls, Herbert, LL.B.	Central Hobart	2 April, 1903	
Payne, Herbert James Mockford	Burnie	2 April, 1903	
Propsting, William Bispham	North Hobart	2 April, 1903	
Rattle, Frederick Bowden	Glenorchy	2 April, 1903	
Robinson, Matthew Edward	West Launceston	10 Dec. 1903	
Sadler, Robert James	Central Launceston	2 April, 1903	
Stewart, Charles Lennox	East Launceston	2 April, 1903	
Wood, John Dennistoun	Cumberland	9 Oct. 1903	
Youl, Alfred	Longford	22 May, 1903	

JOHN KIDSTON REID, *Clerk of the House.*

COMMONWEALTH REPRESENTATION.

RETURN of Members representing Tasmania in the Parliament of the Commonwealth of Australia.

	Date of Election.
SENATE—(Six Members.)	
1. Clemons, John Singleton	29 March, 1901
2. Dobson, Hon. Henry	16 Dec., 1903
3. Keating, John Henry	29 March, 1901
4. Macfarlane, James	16 Dec., 1903
5. Mulcahy, Edward	16 Dec., 1903
6. O'Keefe, David	29 March, 1901
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES——(Five Members.)	
1. Cameron, Donald Norman	27 Feb., 1904
2. Fysh, Sir Philip Oakley, K.C.M.G.	16 Dec., 1903
3. McWilliams, William James	Ditto
4. O'Malley, King	Ditto
5. Storrer, David	Ditto

P. C. DOUGLAS, *Under Secretary.*

RETURNING OFFICERS, 1906.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

District.	Returning Officer.	Address or Place of Business.
Buckingham	Terry, J. J.	Council Chambers, Glenorchy
Cambridge	Horsfall, R. J.	Council Chambers, Pontville
Derwent	Rex C. G.	Council Chambers, New Norfolk
Gordon	Chambers, L. E.	Court House, Zeehan
Hobart	M'Phee, E. T.	Public Buildings, Davey-street, Hobart
Huon	Howard, Harold	"The Emporium," Franklin
Launceston	Rocher, C. W.	Town Hall, Launceston
Macquarie	Pitt, C. F.	Council Chambers, Campbell Town
Meander	Freeman, H. H.	Council Chambers, Deloraine
Mersey	Maxwell, P. C.	Court House, Latrobe
Pembroke	Grant, Robt.	Police Office, Sorell
Russell	Mace, T. L.	Burnie
South Esk	Lyne, H.	Council Chambers, Fingal
Tamar	Burke, D.	Council Chambers, Westbury
Westmorland	The Warden	Longford

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

District.	Name of Returning Officer.	Office or Place of Business of Returning Officer.
Burnie	Mace, T. L.	Burnie
Cambria	Pitt, C. F.	Council Chambers, Campbell Town
Cumberland	Hirst, A. C.	Town Hall, Bothwell
Deloraine	Freeman, H. H.	Council Chambers, Deloraine
Devonport	Fulton, G. A.	Devonport
Fingal	Lyne, H.	Council Chambers, Fingal
Franklin	Howard, Harold	"The Emporium," Franklin
George Town	Glover, W. H.	Mines Office, Launceston
Glenorchy	Terry, J. J.	Council Chambers, Glenorchy
Hobart, Central	Stops, F. N.	Police Court House, Hobart
,, East	M'Phee, E. T.	Public Buildings, Davey-street, Hobart
,, North	Henry, R.	Campbell-street, Hobart
,, South	Laughton, J. P.	Public Buildings, Davey-street, Hobart
,, West	Birchall, W. A. B.	Public Buildings, Franklin Square, Hobart
Kentish	Jones, W. R.	Sheffield
Kingborough	Fitzpatrick, M.	Lovett
Latrobe	Maxwell, P. C.	Court House, Latrobe
Launceston, Central	Rocher, C. W.	Town Hall, Launceston
,, East	Hunt, W.	Public Buildings, Launceston
,, North	Whitfeld, E.	Police Court House, Launceston
,, West	Hall, E. L.	Public Buildings, Launceston
Longford	Mayson, V. A. J.	Council Chambers, Longford
Lyell	Chambers, L. E.	Court House, Zeehan
Monmouth	Horsfall, R. J.	Council Chambers, Pontville
New Norfolk	Rex, C. G.	Council Chambers, New Norfolk
North Esk	Collins, D.	Council Chambers, Evandale
Queenborough	Evans, L. A.	Cook's Chambers, Elizabeth-street, Hobart
Queenstown	Rule, E.	Court House, Strahan
Ringarooma	O'Reilly, Hon. C.	Office of the Stipendiary Magistrate, Scottsdale
Sorell	Lindley, G. W.	Police Office, Sorell
Waratah	Patterson, T. D.	Court House, Waratah
Wellington	Stutterd, E.	Wynyard
Westbury	Morris, E. A.	Council Chambers, Westbury
West Devon	Hall, C. J.	Ulverstone
Zeehan	Goldsmid, E. V.	Court House, Zeehan

P. C. DOUGLAS, *Chief Electoral Officer.*

PENSIONS.

RETURN of Pensions chargeable upon the Revenue of the Colony of Tasmania on 1st January, 1906.

The mark * denotes that the person is still an officer in the Civil Service.

Authority under which the Pension was granted.	Name	Office, &c	Amount of Pension per Annum. £	s.	d.
Act 17 V. No. 24.	Smith, Sir Francis	Chief Justice	1000	0	0
Act 24 V. No. 14.	Smith, John	District Constable	40	13	4
	Baudinet, Charles Chaulk	Head Keeper, Lighthouse	142	3	4
	Baxter, Allan	Schoolmaster	96	3	0
	Baxter, Margaret	Schoolmistress	14	13	4
	Bell, Elizabeth	Sub-Matron Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk	35	5	4
	Boothman, Edward W.	Chief Clerk, Survey Office	255	0	0
	Blore, Thomas	Chief Warder, Gaol, Hobart	93	7	7
	Burgess, Murray	Inspector of Schools	146	13	4
	Campbell, John William	Collector of Customs, Launceston	333	6	8
	Catley, William Aubrey	Inquiring Officer	105	0	0
	Cavanagh, Joseph	Sub-Inspector of Police, Registrar and Bailiff, Court of Requests	84	10	0
	Chisholm, Duncan D. H.	Schoolmaster	76	2	0
	Clemons, Alicia Annie	Schoolmistress	16	18	0
	Crawford, William	Letter Carrier	41	19	8
	Fowler, George	Keeper and Messenger, Crown Lands Office	112	18	1
	Freeman, Thos	Roadman, Public Works Department	52	0	0
	Grahame, Wm.	Government Printer	260	12	11
	Girle, Samuel R.	Schoolmaster	24	4	1
	Hill, George	Chief Attendant Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk	89	11	0
Act 24 V. No. 15	Hogg, James	Overseer, Government Printing Department	200	0	0
	Honey, William Richard	Clerk, Audit Department	186	13	4
	Horan, Catherine	Schoolmistress, Queen's Asylum	36	8	7
	Haskell, Thomas Henry	Police Clerk	149	10	0
	Huxtable, Charles Henry	Colonial Storekeeper	266	13	4
	Innes, Edward	Police Clerk, Kingston	153	6	8
	Leitch, Robert	Constable	54	17	11
	Lovett, George Frederick	Chief Clerk and Draughtsman, Mines Office	266	13	4
	Marsden, E. Alex.	Foreman, Government Printing Department	140	0	0
	M'Creary, Susan	Schoolmistress	16	13	4
	Morgan, Thomas	Superintendent Light-house, Kent's Group	67	18	4
	Palmer, Philip	Schoolmaster	67	12	2
	Parsons, Annie Mary	Senior Schoolmistress, Queen's Asylum	47	12	9
	Perkins, Thomas	Chief District Constable	49	2	9
	Roberts, Geo.	Head Master, Model School, Battery Point.	221	3	0
	Saunders, Catherine M.	Schoolmistress	9	0	7
	Simpson, Thomas Hume	Chief District Constable	60	10	11
	Smith, John Thomas	Under-Gaoler Penal Establishment, Hobart	112	17	0
	Smith, Peter	Constable	15	4	2
	Smith, Anastasia	Hospital Nurse, Queen's Asylum	23	19	2
	Standage, Caroline	Schoolmistress	5	6	8
	Stevens, Esther	Schoolmistress	10	0	0
	Tolmey, Jane	Schoolmistress	26	2	3
	Tregear, Dionysius	Armed Guard, H. M. Gaol	65	3	6
	Turnley, George Washington	Health Officer and Superintendent of Vaccinations, &c.	202	4	5
	Uniacke, Richard	Police Clerk	56	10	0
Act 32 V. No. 30.	Davenport, Rev. A.	Chaplain, Church of England	200	0	0

Wherever the Acts 24 V. No. 15, 32 V. No. 30, 58 V. No. 23, 59 V. No. 40, 60 V. No. 25, 61 V. No. 12, 62 V. No. 2 are mentioned in this Return, it is to be understood that the Pensions were granted by the Governor in Council under those Acts.

PENSIONS—*continued.*

Authority under which the Pension was granted.	Name.	Office, &c.	Amount of Pension per Annum. £	s.	d.
Act 58 V. No. 23.	Abbott, James	Warehouseman, Printing Department	104	8	1
	Adams, George Patten	Registrar, Supreme Court	400	0	0
	Boyes, Henry	Secretary to Post Office	366	13	4
	Browne, George	Judges' Associate	450	0	0
	Cox, Henry James	Compositor, Printing Department	121	1	4
	Doran, John	Messenger, Legislative Council	98	13	4
	Freeman, John Thomas	Schoolmaster	65	18	1
	Grubb, Archibald	Sub-Inspector of Police	84	14	8
	Henry, Robert	Superintendent of Telegraphs	366	13	4
	Hewitt, Thomas Elmslie	Chief Clerk, Customs, Hobart	328	7	6
	Jones, Alfred George	Gaoler, Hobart	283	4	9
	Nowell, Edwin Cradock*	Clerk, Legislative Council	366	13	4
	O'Boyle, John	Administrator Charitable Grants Department	316	13	4
	Reid, Albert	Deputy Commissioner of Crown Lands	333	6	8
	Reynolds, Lawrence	Bench Clerk, Hobart	268	6	8
	Smallhorn, Alfred Thomas	Compositor, Printing Department	120	3	11
	Stephens, Thomas	Director of Education	400	0	0
	Stops, Frederick	Secretary Law Department	366	13	4
	Wheeldon, William	Information Clerk, Hobart	151	13	4
	Willison, Thomas McKindley	Compositor, Printing Department	104	0	0
Act 59 V. No. 40	Armstrong, Robert	Superintendent of Police	201	10	10
	Kidd, Emily M.	Schoolmistress	112	9	10
Act 60 V. No. 25	Evans, Hugh	Constable	77	19	1
	Tibbs, Charles	Senior Landing Waiter	233	6	8
Act 61 V. No. 11	Smith, Mary Jane	Widow of late James Smith	100	0	0
Act 61 V. No. 12	Willicombe, Alfred	Teacher	74	16	8
	Smith, William	Secretary for Public Works	283	6	8
Act 62 V. No. 2	Adams, Robert Patten	Puisne Judge	600	0	0
Act 63 V. No. 17	Biddelph, Mary Ann	Widow, late Engine Driver, Railway Department	78	0	0
	Marra, N.	Widow, late Fireman, Railway Department	26	0	0
	Troy, Catherine	School Teacher	49	17	6
	Darcey, Martin Francis	School Teacher	136	3	6
	Hayes, Michael John	Superintendent of Police	157	17	0
	Abbott, Frederick Wm.	Custodian of Plans, Survey Department	146	13	4
	Cooke, Wm. Reynolds	Compositor, Printing Department	120	0	0
	Hurford, John	Caretaker, Government House	78	9	9
	Shaw, Bernard	Police Magistrate, Hobart	150	0	0
	Finnigan, Patrick	Sub-Inspector of Police	26	0	0

P. C. DOUGLAS, *Under Secretary.*

FOREIGN CONSULS.

RETURN of Consuls of Foreign Countries in Tasmania during the Year 1905.

Name.	Country represented.	When gazetted in Tasmania.
William Henry Burgess, (Consular Agent)[a]	France	14 January, 1890
Charles Henry Smith, (Consular Agent)	Italy	6 May, 1875
Hon. W. Crosby, M.L.C.[b]	Netherlands	28 September, 1886
James Macfarlane, (Vice-Consul)	Sweden and Norway (at Hobart)	10 June, 1885
John Macfarlane, (Vice-Consul)	Denmark	10 June, 1885
Alexander George Webster, (Consul)[c]	United States	22 December, 1873
George Edward Harrap, (Vice-Consul)	Sweden and Norway (Launceston)	3 March and 25 October, 1893
Audley Coote, (Hawaiian Consul)[d]	Hawaii	24 December, 1878
George Collins, (Vice-Consul)	Hawaii (Launceston)	13 September, 1887
Lindsay Tulloch, (Consular Agent)	United States (Launceston)	13 September, 1887
A. E. L. McGregor	Belgium	20 March, 1902
—[e]	Japan	—
Tillock Diego Tomas[f]	Argentine Republic, Consul-General for Australia	—
J. E. Wolfhagen, M.B.	Germany	7 June, 1902
John Hugh Germaine Murdoch (Vice-Consul)	Brazil	6 February, 1905

[a] Owing to constitutional change in administration of Australian States the district of jurisdiction allotted to Consul-General Sydney, will comprise the whole of Australia.
[b] Office under jurisdiction of W. Bosschart, Consul-General, Melbourne
[c] C. E. Webster Vice-Consul United States, (Hobart).
[d] Now residing in Sydney: "Ivanhoe," Porter-street, Waverley, Sydney
[e] *Japan* under jurisdiction of Consul at Melbourne.
[f] Not resident in Tasmania.

D. W. ADDISON, *Secretary to the Premier.*

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RETURN of Officers and other Persons in the Civil and Military Services of the Government of Tasmania on the 1st January, 1906.

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
				£	
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR'S ESTABLISHMENT.					
Governor	Sir Gerald Strickland, K.C.M.G.	28 Oct. 1904...	King, under Royal Sign Manual and Signet	2750 ...	—
Private Secretary and Aide-de-camp	Griffin, J. MacLean, Capt. R.F.A.	28 Oct. 1904...	The Governor	— ...	—
Aide-de-camp (extra)	Cottrell-Dormer, W. O., Capt.	28 Oct. 1904...	Ditto	— ...	—
Office Attendant and Caretaker, Government House	Bentley, Edward (1)	1 Mar. 1902...	Governor in Council ...	90 ...	5 Oct. 1892
Overseer of Grounds	Osborne, H P. (1) ...	11 Sept. 1905...	Ditto	80 ...	—
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.					
Clerk to the Council	Addison, D'Arcy Wentworth	1 Sept. 1903...	Governor in Council ...	— ...	1 Dec. 1887
LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.					
President	Dodery, William	10 May, 1904...	Elected by the Council	350 ...	—
Chairman of Committees...	Gant, Tetley	12 May, 1904...	Ditto	150 ...	—
Clerk of the Council	Nowell, Edwin Cradock (1)	16 May, 1864...	Governor in Council, by Letters Patent	£33 6/8...	1 Oct. 1857
Clerk Assistant and Usher of the Black Rod	Tapsell, Leslie George Robt. (2)	1 July, 1897...	Governor in Council ...	120 ...	1 July, 1897
Officekeeper and Messenger	M'Villy, William Thomas (3)	1 Jan. 1899...	Ditto	95 ...	25 Jan. 1867
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.					
Speaker	Davies, John George, C.M.G.	29 Sept. 1903...	Elected by the House	350 ...	—
Chairman of Committees...	Best, Jonathan	2 Oct. 1903...	Ditto	250 ...	—
Clerk of the House and Librarian to Parliament	Reid, John Kidston	1 July, 1896...	Governor in Council, by Letters Patent	375 ...	1 May, 1884
Sergeant-at-Arms	Blyth, Thomas Bolivar ...	27 Apr. 1900...	Governor in Council ...	100 ...	27 Apr. 1900
Clerk Assistant and Assistant Librarian	Chepmell, Charles Haviland Douglas	1 July, 1896...	Ditto	140 ...	1 July, 1896
Officekeeper, Library Attendant, and Chamber Messenger	M'Pherson, Henry (1) ...	1 Oct. 1903...	Ditto	120 ...	1 Jan. 1895
Doorkeeper and Messenger	Muir, William	1 Oct. 1903...	Ditto	80 ...	1 Oct. 1903

(1) Also Pension, £366 13*s.* 4*d* ; appointed Acting Clerk, 14 April, 1862. (2) Appointed Usher of the Black Rod from 1st January, 1903. (3) Service not continuous; quarters, fuel, and light

(1) With quarters, fuel, and light.

Members, £100 per year.

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PREMIER.

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				£	
MINISTERIAL.					
Premier	Evans, John William	11 July, 1904	Governor, by Letters Patent	950	—
Treasurer	Evans, John William	11 Oct. 1905	Ditto		
Chief Secretary	Moore, William	11 July, 1904	Ditto	750	—
Attorney-General	Gilmore, George Crosby	11 July, 1904	Ditto	750	—
Minister for Lands	Hean, Alexander	11 July, 1904	Ditto	750	—
PREMIER'S OFFICE.					
Premier	Evans, John Wm.	11 July, 1904	Governor, by Letters Patent	—	—
Secretary	Addison, D'Arcy Wentworth	1 Jan. 1902	Governor in Council	220	1 Dec. 1887
Clerk	Tudor, Joseph Edward	12 Dec. 1905	Ditto	45	1 Mar. 1904
UNIVERSITY OF TASMANIA.					
Registrar	Cruickshank, James Henry Robert	1 Aug. 1892	Resolution of Council of University	240	1 Aug. 1892
Professor	Williams, William Henry	1 Jan. 1893	Ditto	500	1 Jan. 1893
Ditto	M'Aulay, Alexander	1 Jan. 1893	Ditto	500	1 Jan. 1893
Ditto	McDougall, Dugald Gordon	19 Nov. 1900	Ditto	500	19 Nov. 1900
Lecturer	Ritz, Hermann Balthazar	5 Mar. 1901	Ditto	300	19 Feb. 1900
Ditto	Macleod, Peter Joseph (1)	14 Feb. 1901	Ditto	200	14 Feb. 1901
Ditto	Dunbabin, Robert Leslie	23 Nov. 1905	Ditto	150	23 Dec. 1901
Ditto	Mackay, John Hilton	11 June, 1903	Ditto	300	11 June, 1903
Ditto	Kingsmill, Henry Charles	6 Dec. 1904	Ditto	75	1 Feb. 1888

(1) Has also £100 from Hobart Technical School.

TECHNICAL SCHOOL, HOBART.

Instructor	Waters, Samuel	1 Jan. 1900	Governor in Council, on recommendation of the Technical School Committee	70	1 Jan. 1900
Ditto	Nelson, Albert Lloyd	1 Jan. 1904	Ditto	80	1 Jan. 1904
Ditto	Macleod, Peter Joseph(1)	1 Mar. 1901	Ditto	100	1 Mar. 1901
Ditto	Russell, William	Feb. 1899	Ditto	25	Feb. 1899
Ditto	Reading, Edward J.	Feb. 1899	Ditto	35	Feb. 1899
Ditto	Watson, W. W.	1 Jan. 1902	Ditto	40	1 Jan. 1902
Ditto	Kelly, Frederick G.	1 Jan. 1900	Ditto	20	1 Jan. 1900
Instructress	Southern, Arthur W. L.	25 Aug. 1902	Ditto	90	Mar. 1890
Secretary	Lovett, Mildred Esther	Nov. 1904	Ditto	10	Nov. 1904
Instructress	Southern, Arthur W. L.	25 Aug. 1902	Ditto	70	Mar. 1890
	Thompson, Mrs. N.	29 May, 1905	Ditto	Fees only	29 May, 1905

(1) See also University.

TECHNICAL SCHOOL, LAUNCESTON.

Instructor	Bogle, Edward	6 May, 1888	Governor in Council	60	1 July, 1887
Ditto	Fraser, Hugh, M.A., B.C.E.	21 Oct. 1898	Ditto	60	21 Oct. 1898
Ditto	Dechaineux, Lucien	1 Mar. 1896	Ditto	170	1 Mar. 1896
Ditto	Millen, J. D.	24 Mar. 1904	Ditto	120	15 Feb. 1901
Ditto	Masters, A. H.	1 Sept. 1896	Ditto	20	1 Sept. 1896
Ditto	Douglas, Alex.	4 Feb. 1898	Ditto	40	4 Feb. 1898
Ditto	Lakin, Leslie H.	15 Feb. 1900	Ditto	10	15 Feb. 1900
Ditto	Evershed, H. S.	20 Mar. 1899	Ditto	50	20 Mar. 1899
Instructress	Fysh, Celia	1 Jan. 1905	Ditto	40	1 Jan. 1905
Caretaker	Reycraft, John	30 June, 1900	Ditto	66	30 June, 1900
Secretary	Evershed, Alfred	1 April, 1888	Ditto	60	1 Apr. 1888

PREMIER—*continued.*

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
				£	

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Director of Education	Neale, William Lewis (1)	1 Jan. 1905...	Governor in Council	600	1 Jan. 1905
Secretary	Masters, Joseph	1 Jan. 1905...	Ditto	450	6 Apr. 1887
Inspector of Schools	Lovell, Samuel Ouston (1) (2)	1 July, 1892...	Ditto	400	25 Oct. 1869
Ditto	Brockett, Albert Lovell (1)	1 Mar. 1900...	Ditto	400	1 Mar. 1887
Ditto	Garrett, Alfred William (1)	1 Dec. 1898...	Ditto	350	1 Dec. 1898
Assistant Inspector	Crawford, Robt. Hy. (1) (2)	1 Jan. 1906...	Ditto	250	1 Apr. 1885
Chief Clerk and Accountant	Newman, George Edward Feneran	4 Nov. 1889...	Ditto	180	4 Nov. 1889
Clerk	Hortin, Eric Dudley Babington (2)	1 Jan. 1897...	Ditto	140	1 Jan. 1891
Ditto	Steele, Frederick William	1 June, 1901...	Ditto	85	12 Feb. 1900
Ditto	Park, Harold Wallace	25 July, 1904...	Ditto	75	22 Apr. 1904
Ditto	Hope, Cornelius Edward	1 Aug. 1904...	Ditto	40	1 Aug. 1904
Clerk, Typewriting	Mason, Frances Mary	1 Jan. 1899...	Ditto	125	1 Jan. 1899
Truant Officer, Hobart	Blakney, John	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	120	9 July, 1874
Ditto, Launceston	Welsh, William (3)	1 Jan. 1895...	Ditto	100	1 Jan. 1895
Ditto, Queenstown	Taylor, Robert Samuel	21 Dec. 1902...	Ditto	30	21 Dec. 1902
Messenger	Fowler, Arthur Maitland (5)	1 May, 1903...	Ditto	100	1 Mar. 1889
Caretaker, Launceston	Bryan, Patrick (4)	11 July, 1902...	Ditto	15	16 Feb. 1896

In State Schools there are 336 Head Teachers at salaries and allowances ranging from £20 to £474 per annum, and 267 Assistant Teachers (inclusive of Teachers of Sewing, Pupil Teachers, and Paid Monitors), at salaries ranging from £10 to £170 per annum.

(1) And travelling expenses. (2) Services not continuous. (3) Also Enquiring Officer, Launceston. (See Charitable Grants.)
(4) Also Officekeeper and Messenger, Public Buildings, Launceston. Quarters, £15.

AGENT-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

WESTMINSTER CHAMBERS, 5 VICTORIA-STREET, LONDON, S.W.

Agent-General	Dobson, Hon. Alfred, K.C.	15 April, 1900...	Governor in Council	400	1 June, 1887
Secretary	Ely, Herbert W.	17 June, 1895...	Ditto	250	1 Sept. 1887
Clerk	Handcock, W. L.	15 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	100	15 Aug. 1905

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Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
				£	
CHIEF SECRETARY'S DEPARTMENT.					
Chief Secretary and Registrar of Records	Moore, Wm.	11 July, 1904...	Governor, by Letters Patent	750 ...	—
Under Secretary	Douglas, Percy Cunningham	1 Sept. 1901...	Governor in Council	300 ...	13 Jan. 1887
Clerk	Daly, John Francis	1 April, 1899...	Ditto	135 ...	1 Sept. 1890
Ditto	Guilbert, Douglas	14 Dec. 1903...	Ditto	70 ...	21 Feb. 1901
Messenger	Pratt, Jas Courtney (2)..	1 Nov. 1902...	Ditto	80 ...	6 July, 1891
Head Office-keeper Public Offices, and Supervisor of Stores	Tapsell, Robert (1)	1 Mar. 1895...	Ditto	160 ...	1 Mar. 1888
Office-keeper and Messenger, Public Buildings, Launceston	Bryan, Patrick (1)	16 Feb. 1896...	Ditto	90 ...	16 Feb. 1896
Relieving Messenger and Porter	Woodward, W. H.	1 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	80 ...	27 Jan. 1899

(1) Quarters, fuel, light, and water; and Caretaker, Education Department, Launceston. (2) Services not continuous.

ANALYST'S DEPARTMENT.					
Analyst	Ward, William Fowlie	1 Jan. 1882...	Governor in Council	400 ...	1 Jan. 1882
MAGAZINES AND EXPLOSIVES DEPARTMENT.					
Chief Inspector	Ross, Ernest Sydney (1)..	1 Jan. 1904...	Governor in Council	— ...	4 Feb. 1892
Inspector and Magazine-keeper, Southern District	Chisholm, James (2)	1 July, 1886...	Ditto	115 ...	1 Jan. 1865
Inspector, Western District	Harrison, James (3)	26 Oct. 1891...	Ditto	— ...	26 Oct. 1891
Inspector and Magazine-keeper, Northern District	Martini, Frank	1 June, 1872...	Ditto	85 ...	1 Jan. 1864
Inspector, North-Eastern District	Griffin, Michael Joseph (3)	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	— ...	1 Jan. 1898
Magazine-keeper, Strahan	Ross, A. P. C. (4)	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	50 ...	1 July, 1904
Inspector, Queenstown District	Curtain, Con Henry (3)...	19 Sept. 1904...	Ditto	— ...	1 July, 1901

(1) Also Chief Inspector of Machinery, £285. (2) Quarters, fuel, and light. (3) Inspector of Mines.
(4) Master Warden Strahan Marine Board.

AUDIT DEPARTMENT.					
Auditor-General	Mitchell, Charles	1 Dec. 1901...	Governor in Council	500 ...	1 Aug. 1876
Chief Clerk	Miller, George Rice	1 Sept. 1896...	The Governor	280 ...	1 Aug. 1883
Clerk	Young, David Panton	6 Jan. 1902...	Governor in Council	175 ...	24 Feb. 1891
Ditto	Hughes, John Weavell	1 Jan. 1895...	Ditto	175 ...	1 Feb. 1891
Ditto	Westbrook, Percy Norman	1 May, 1890...	The Governor	160 ...	1 May, 1890
Ditto	Batt, Frederick John	1 Sept. 1890...	Deputy-Governor	160 ...	1 Sept. 1890
Ditto	Harrison, Charles Hezekiah Hill	1 Mar. 1891...	The Governor	150 ...	1 Feb. 1891
Ditto	Eltham, William Cooper..	1 July, 1899...	Administrator	140 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Ditto	Page, Oliver Alfred	1 July, 1896...	Governor in Council	105 ...	1 July, 1896
Ditto	Mason, Arthur Herbert...	1 Sept. 1896...	Ditto	105 ...	1 Sept. 1896
Ditto	Watt, John Charles	1 June, 1902...	Ditto	60 ...	1 June, 1902
Clerical Assistant	Cato, Clarence Murrell...	9 Jan. 1905...	Ditto	30 ...	9 Jan. 1905
Messenger	Graham, William	2 Mar. 1903...	Hon. the Treasurer	110 ...	2 Mar. 1903
	Norton, William (1)	1 Mar. 1904...	Governor in Council	80 ...	10 July, 1901

(1) Also Stores Department, £10.

HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS DISEASES, HOBART.					
Medical Officer	Clarke, Arthur Hopkins (1)	3 July, 1903...	Governor in Council	25 ...	3 July, 1903

(1) Also Government Medical Officer, £100.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES HOSPITAL, LAUNCESTON.					
Inspector	Driscoll, Richard (1)	1 April, 1899...	Governor in Council	15 ...	25 Aug. 1867
Medical Officer	Ramsay, John (2)	1 April, 1898...	Ditto	10 ...	11 Jan. 1896
Nurse	M'Intee, Julia (3)	1 April, 1902...	Ditto	50 ...	1 April, 1902

(1) Also Superintendent of Police, Launceston. (2) Also Surgeon-Superintendent, General Hospital, Launceston.
(3) With quarters, fuel, light, and ration.

CHIEF SECRETARY—*continued.*

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
				£	
HOBART GENERAL HOSPITAL.					
Senior House Surgeon	Roberts, Edward John (1)	1 April, 1904...	Governor in Council ...	350 ...	1 Apr. 1904
Junior House Surgeon	Rodway, Fred. A. (2)	1 Sept. 1904...	Ditto	175 ...	1 Sept. 1904
Secretary to the Board, Clerk, House Steward, and Storekeeper	Oldham, Frank Henry Hill (1)	18 Aug. 1890...	Ditto	300 ...	6 Jan. 1879
Clerical Assistant	Olney, George (6)	30 Oct. 1891...	Ditto	140 ...	1 June, 1883
Mortuary Attendant	Collins, William (3) (4) (5)	10 June, 1900...	Hired by Board of Management	90 ...	1 Apr. 1887
Dispenser	Bishop, James	11 Mar. 1902...	Ditto	132 ...	11 Mar. 1902
Attendant	Cole, Fred. (3) (4)	1 Mar. 1905...	Ditto	65 ...	1 Mar. 1905
Gardener and Cleaner	Horsfall, John (3) (4)	1 May, 1901...	Ditto	90 ...	1 Dec. 1896
Cook	Vimpany, Henry	1 Nov. 1899...	Ditto	108 ...	1 Nov. 1889
Day Porter	Nangle, Kearns (3) (4) ...	31 Dec. 1891...	Ditto	52 ...	1 Dec. 1891
Night Porter	Filby, Joseph (3) (4)	1 Feb. 1905...	Ditto	52 ...	1 Feb. 1905
Messenger	Collins, Walter (4)	1 April, 1903...	Ditto	2s. per diem	1 Apr. 1903
Lady Superintendent and Matron	Turnbull, Nancy Johnstone (2) (3)	1 Oct. 1896...	Governor in Council ...	125 ...	1 June, 1884
Head Nurse or "Sister"..	Willes, Edith (2) (3) (4)...	1 Feb. 1901...	Hired by Board of Management	60 ...	18 Mar. 1894
Ditto	Betts, Annie E. (2) (3) (4)	1 Dec. 1903...	Ditto	45 ...	11 July, 1900
Ditto	Brock, Mary (2) (3) (4)...	1 Feb. 1905...	Ditto	40 ...	21 May, 1901
Ditto	Macgowan, Edith J. (2) (3) (4)	1 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	40 ...	16 Aug. 1901

21 Nurses—8 at £30, 5 at £25, 4 at £20, 4 at £15. Eight Servants and Cleaners—1 at £30, 7 at £25. Cook at Nurses' Home, £39—with rations, quarters, and uniform.

(1) Unfurnished quarters, fuel, and light. (2) Furnished quarters, fuel, and light. (3) Personal ration. (4) Uniform. (5) Services not continuous, (6) With commission on fees collected, 7½ per cent.

LAUNCESTON GENERAL HOSPITAL.					
Surgeon Superintendent...	Ramsay, John (1) (2)	1 Jan. 1896...	Board of Management	450 ...	1 Jan. 1896
House Surgeon	Heyward, Wm. Beaumont (2)	2 Dec. 1899...	Ditto	200 ...	2 Dec. 1899
Secretary to Board	Gladman, Thomas	1 Jan. 1879...	Governor in Council ...	60 ...	1 Jan. 1879
House Steward	Jowett, Henry Walter Holmes (4)	17 Dec. 1896...	Board of Management	150 ...	23 Oct. 1896
Dispenser	Wollen, Jane Beatrice (2)	11 Sept. 1905...	Ditto	100 ...	11 Sept. 1905
Matron	Milne, Jeanette Helen (2)	1 Sept. 1886...	Governor in Council ...	150 ...	1 Sept. 1886
Sister	Walker, Annie Leuwin (2) (3)	8 July, 1905...	Board of Management	50 ...	13 Aug. 1901
Ditto	Hawksley, Ettie Marian (2) (3)	18 April, 1905...	Ditto	50 ...	18 Apr. 1905
Ditto	Oakes, Eva Isabel (2) (3)	14 Aug. 1904...	Ditto	50 ...	5 Apr. 1896
Messenger	Clarke, George (2) (3)	14 Sept. 1904...	Ditto	36 ...	14 Sept. 1904
Porter	Smith, Cecil (2) (3)	14 Oct. 1903...	Ditto	35 ...	14 Oct. 1903
Boilerman	Sanderson, Thomas (2) (3)	1 Oct. 1904...	Ditto	50 ...	1 Jan. 1890
Dispensary Servant	Clements, Samuel (2) (3)	17 Dec. 1900...	Ditto	30 ...	4 Jan. 1900
Cook	Airey, Mary (2)	1 May, 1894...	Ditto	55 ...	2 Nov. 1892
Ditto, Assistant	Airey, Eva (2)	4 Feb. 1902...	Ditto	36 ...	1 July, 1901
Kitchenmaid	Hardy, Victoria (2)	1 April, 1905...	Ditto	22 ...	1 Apr. 1905
Laundress	None on Permanent Staff. All day labour.				
Ditto					
Ditto, Assistant					
Gatekeeper	Gibbs, Charles Henry (2) (3)	16 Oct. 1897...	Board of Management	45 ...	5 Feb. 1897
Gardener	Freeman, Arthur (2)	7 Jan. 1902...	Ditto	52 ...	11 May, 1900
Reception House Attendant	Miller, Chs. (2) (3)	1 Dec. 1905...	Ditto	40 ...	1 Dec. 1905

27 Nurses—2 at £40, 9 at £30, 3 at £25, 4 at £20, 3 at £15, 6 without salary; and 9 House and Wardmaids—1 at £30, 1 at £28, 1 at £27 10s., and 6 at £25, in addition, on Permanent Staff.

GIBSON CONVALESCENT HOME, PERTH.					
Sister in Charge	Champion, Florence Mary (2) (3)	1 July, 1905...	Board of Management, L.G.H.	50 ...	6 July, 1897
Maid	Adams, Edith (2)	4 Dec. 1905...	Ditto	30 ...	4 Dec. 1905

(1) Visiting Surgeon Gaol, Charitable Establishment, and Contagious Diseases Hospital, Launceston. (2) Quarters, rations, fuel, and light. (3) Uniform. (4) With commission on fees collected, and residence.

HOSPITAL FOR INSANE, NEW NORFOLK.					
Medical Superintendent ...	Macfarlane, William Holdsworth (1)	1 Oct. 1880...	Governor in Council ...	550 ...	7 May, 1874
Assistant Medical Officer...	Read, George Frederick (1)	1 Aug. 1896...	Ditto	325 ...	1 Aug. 1896
Clerk and Storekeeper	Vacant	—	—	—	—

CHIEF SECRETARY—*continued.*

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
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HOSPITAL FOR INSANE, NEW NORFOLK.—*continued.*

Assistant Clerk	Vacant	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chief Attendant	Bennett, William Henry (4)	1 Mar.	1889...	The Hon. the Chief Secretary, on the recommendation of the Official Visitors	160	...	10 Mar.	1883
First Senior Attendant	Triffitt, Benjamin J. (4)..	1 July,	1905...	Governor in Council ...	115	...	1 Aug.	1881
Second ditto	Jones, Jas. F. (5)	1 July,	1905...	Ditto	100	...	15 June,	1885
Matron	Power, Jane (6)	16 Nov.	1895...	Ditto	150	...	11 Mar.	1890
Sub-matron	Davies, Eliza Louisa (6)..	1 Dec.	1895...	Ditto	100	...	17 Oct.	1888
Engineer	Batchelor, J. F.	26 Nov.	1901...	Ditto	182	...	2 Jan.	1889
Gatekeeper (Acting Clerk and Storekeeper)	Murphy, William Timothy (8)	1 Jan.	1904...	The Hon. the Chief Secretary, on the recommendation of the Official Visitors	70	...	31 Oct.	1889
Working Farm Overseer	Coleman, Francis John (7)	11 Nov.	1893...	Ditto	80	...	7 Jan.	1889
Carpenter	Smyth, Richard (8)	3 Jan.	1894...	Governor in Council ...	94	...	3 Jan.	1894
Shoemaker	Ball, Frederick (5)	18 Mar.	1889...	Ditto	75	...	18 Mar.	1889
Cook	Johnstone, John (8)	1 July,	1885...	Ditto	80	...	15 June,	1885
Gardener	Maxfield, William (8)	15 Oct.	1898...	The Hon. the Chief Secretary, on the recommendation of the Official Visitors	70	...	2 Aug.	1890
Milkman	Excell, John (8)	1 July,	1897...	Ditto	70	...	11 Nov.	1893
Painter and Plumber	Wood, Henry (8)	17 Feb.	1900...	Ditto	94	...	17 Feb.	1900
Baker	Howard, Chas. (5)	15 July,	1905...	Ditto	90	...	17 July,	1892
Stoker	Berry, William (5)	9 Jan.	1902...	Ditto	80	...	4 Dec.	1893
Ditto	Frost, George (5)	2 June,	1902...	Ditto	80	...	5 Feb.	1894
Tailor	Sheeran, William (5)	4 Oct.	1900...	Ditto	75	...	4 Oct.	1900
Ploughman	Hoare, Thomas James (9)	4 Oct.	1899...	Ditto	70	...	4 Oct.	1899
Senior Night Attendant	Thorne, Fredk (8)	1 July,	1905...	Ditto	90	...	1 Jan.	1886
Senior Nurse	Anderson, Mary Elizabeth (8)	1 Jan.	1891...	Ditto	60	...	28 Nov.	1885
Ditto	Porthouse, Hannah (8) ...	1 July,	1896...	Ditto	60	...	2 Jan	1888
Ditto	Gaul, Mary (8)	1 July,	1896...	Ditto	55	...	20 May,	1887
Ditto	Lawler, Bridget (8)	1 Nov.	1899...	Ditto	55	...	15 Mar.	1891

Attendants—4 at £80, 3 at £75, 21 at £70, 2 at £65, 2 at £60. Nurses, 36—including 2 special—1 at £50, 1 at £45, 25 at £40, 11 at £35.

(1) House, fuel, and light. (2) Furnished quarters, fuel, and light. (3) Ration, fuel, and light. (4) House, ration, fuel, light, and uniform. (5) Ration and uniform. (6) Furnished quarters, ration, fuel, light, and attendance. (7) House, ration, fuel, and light. (8) Lodging, uniform, and ration. (9) Lodging and ration.

NEW TOWN CHARITABLE INSTITUTION.

Superintendent	Seager, Frederick Robert (1)	1 Jan.	1899...	Governor in Council...	*	...	5 Mar.	1869
Clerk	Seager, Charles Frederick (2)	1 July,	1900...	Ditto	*	...	1 July,	1900
Overseer	Scully, Joseph Francis (3)	6 June,	1890...	Ditto	85	...	6 June,	1890
Head Warder	Milliken, John (3)	1 Jan.	1899...	Ditto	75	...	1 June,	1892
Wardsman	Marchant, Harry Albert (3)	25 June,	1894...	Chief Secretary	60	...	25 June,	1894
Ditto	Ellison, Job (3)	11 May,	1891...	Ditto	60	...	11 May,	1891
Matron	Lovett, Mary Sophia (4)	1 July,	1904...	Governor in Council ...	90	...	1 July,	1904
Nurse	Cashion, Julia Elizabeth (3)	1 Jan.	1905...	Chief Secretary	40	...	3 Sept.	1902
Ditto	Ims, Edith M. (3)	1 Dec.	1905...	Governor in Council	40	...	1 Dec.	1905
Ditto	Baker, Elizabeth (3)	1 Jan.	1905...	Chief Secretary	30	...	1 Jan.	1905
Ditto	Smith, Naomi (3)	9 Feb.	1905...	Ditto	30	...	9 Feb.	1905
Ditto	Kruse ,Vera D. (3)	1 Dec.	1905...	Governor in Council	30	...	1 Dec.	1905
Ditto	Scott, Elsie May (3)	1 Dec.	1905...	Ditto	30	...	1 Dec.	1905
Ditto	Luckhurst, Susan (3)	1 Dec.	1905...	Ditto	30	...	1 Dec.	1905
Cook	Kremmer, Beatrice (3)...	1 Dec.	1905...	Ditto	52	...	1 Dec.	1905

(1) Also Administrator of Charitable Grants, Registrar of Charitable Institutions, Superintendent Boys' Training School, and Secretary Neglected Children Department, with quarters, rations, fuel, and light. (2) Also Clerk Charitable Department and Clerk Neglected Children Department, with quarters. (3) With quarters, fuel, light, and ration. (4) With board and residence, and uniform.

* Salaries *vide* Charitable Department.

CHIEF SECRETARY—*continued.*

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
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BOYS' TRAINING SCHOOL.					
Superintendent	Seager, Frederick Robert (1)	1 Jan. 1899...	Governor in Council ...	*	5 Mar. 1869
Farm Overseer	Read, William (2)	1 Jan. 1897...	Ditto	120	1 Dec. 1878
Farm Workmaster	Read, Charles (2)	1 May, 1896...	Ditto	70	1 Feb. 1885
Discipline Officer and Drill Instructor	Smyth, Frank J. (2)	1 Mar. 1897...	Ditto	80	1 July, 1896
Workmaster	Fazackerley, W. J. (2)...	4 Sept. 1905...	Ditto	50	4 Sept. 1905
General Help	Dillon, William James (2)	1 Sept. 1904...	Ditto	20	1 Sept. 1904
Schoolmaster	Vacant.				

(1) *Vide* Charitable Grants Department and New Town Charitable Institution. (2) Quarters, fuel, light, and personal ration. (3) Quarters; also Teacher in Education Department. * Salary, *vide* Charitable Department.

INVALID DEPOT, LAUNCESTON.					
Superintendent	Barnett, Nathaniel Vincent (1) (2)	1 May, 1904...	Governor in Council ...	—	1 May, 1891
Assistant Superintendent	Venus, Robert (3)	1 Jan. 1879...	Ditto	150	1 Jan. 1879
Matron	Biggs, Mary (4)	1 Jan. 1892...	Ditto	12	16 Nov. 1879
Nurse	Notman, Isabella (5)	1 July, 1896...	Board of Management	40	1 July, 1896

(1) Also Clerk Courts of Requests and Court of Bankruptcy Department, Launceston. (2) Quarters, fuel, and light in lieu of salary. (3) With quarters, fuel, and light. (4) Also Matron, Penal Establishment, with quarters, fuel, light, and ration. (5) With quarters fuel, and light.

DEPARTMENT FOR NEGLECTED CHILDREN.					
Secretary	Seager, Frederick Robert (1)	1 Jan. 1899...	Governor in Council ...	*	5 Mar. 1869
Inspector	Richardson, George (2)...	11 Mar. 1897...	Ditto	*	1 May, 1861
Clerk	Seager, Charles Frederick (1)	1 July, 1900...	Ditto	*	1 July, 1900
Inspecting Officer, Hobart	Pearce, James (1)	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	*	1 Sept. 1884
Ditto, Launceston	Welsh, William (1)	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	*	24 Nov. 1882

(1) *Vide* Charitable Grants Department. (2) Also Commissioner of Police. * *Vide* Charitable Department.

CHARITABLE GRANTS DEPARTMENT.					
Administrator of Charitable Grants	Seager, Frederick Robert (1)	1 Jan. 1899...	Governor in Council ...	300	5 Mar. 1869
Clerk	Seager, Charles Frederick (2)	1 July, 1900...	Ditto	110	1 July, 1900
Junior Clerk	Pitman, Charles Aubin...	1 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	40	1 Mar. 1904
Inquiring Officer, Hobart	Pearce, James (3)	1 June, 1895...	Ditto	150	1 Sept. 1884
Ditto, Launceston	Welsh, William (4)	1 May, 1895...	Ditto	45	24 Nov. 1882
Collector for Charitable Institutions, Hobart	Seager, Charles Frederick (5)	9 Feb. 1904...	Ditto	—	1 July, 1900
Ditto, Launceston	Welsh, William (5)	1 April, 1905...	Ditto	—	24 Nov. 1882

(1) Also Superintendent New Town Charitable Institution, Superintendent Boys' Training School, Registrar Charitable Institutions, and Secretary Neglected Children's Department. (2) Also Clerk New Town Charitable Institution and Clerk Neglected Children's Department. (3) Also Inspecting Officer Neglected Children's Department (4) Also Inspecting Officer Neglected Children's Department, and Truant Inspector Education Department. (5) Commission on Collection (Hospitals at Hobart and Launceston excepted).

FISHERIES BOARD.					
Secretary	Knight, Harrington Wedge	1 Mar. 1891...	Governor in Council ...	50	1 Mar. 1891
Assistant Secretary	Harrison, Charles H.	1 Jan. 1902...	Commissioners of Fisheries	25	1 Jan. 1902
Caretaker at Hatchery	Jones, Michael (1)	24 Nov. 1891...	Ditto	5s. per day	24 Nov. 1891
Assistant at Hatchery	Jones, Frank	1 May, 1905...	Ditto	15s. per week	1 May, 1905

(1) Horse allowance, fuel, and quarters.

INSPECTION OF MACHINERY.					
Chief Inspector	Ross, Ernest Sydney (1)	1 Jan. 1898...	Governor in Council ...	285	4 Feb. 1892
1st Assistant ditto	Smith, Charles Ernest	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	210	1 Mar. 1897
2nd Assistant ditto	Green, Herbert (2)	1 Mar. 1898...	Ditto	210	1 Mar. 1898
3rd ditto and Clerk	Reynolds, Frank Augustus	1 Jan. 1901...	Ditto	190	1 May, 1900

(1) Also Chief Inspector Magazines and Explosives. (2) Also Warden of Strahan Marine Board.

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PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Chief Health Officer	Elkington, John Simeon Colebrook	28 Sept. 1903...	Governor in Council	600	28 Sept. 1903
Secretary	Douglas, Percy Cunningham	1 Jan. 1904...	Ditto	—	13 Jan. 1887
Government Medical Officer for all Departments, Hobart	Clarke, Arthur Hopkins (1)	3 July, 1903...	Ditto	100	3 July, 1903
Clerk	O'Shea, Thomas Joseph...	31 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	105	31 Jan. 1898
Ditto	Newton, Albert Wilfred..	15 Feb. 1904...	Ditto	50	15 Feb. 1904
Port Health Officer, Hobart	Sprott, Gregory	1 Jan. 1904...	Ditto	50	—
Ditto, Launceston	Hogg, Gustave Henzé	22 Jan. 1904...	Ditto	Paid by fees, £1 1s. for each vessel inspected.	
Ditto, Beauty Point	Graham, Albert William	9 Dec. 1904...	Ditto		
Ditto, Devonport	Payne, John Woollard...	9 May, 1904...	Ditto		
Ditto, Burnie	Rooke, Charles	22 Mar. 1904...	Ditto		
Ditto, Strahan	Prendergast, James Joseph	1 Jan. 1905...	Ditto		
Ditto, Ulverstone	Stuart, George Gordon...	22 Mar. 1904...	Ditto		
Ditto, Stanley	Gregg, James	22 Mar. 1904...	Ditto		
Ditto, Wynyard	Muir, Jas. Millar Mackay	29 Mar. 1904...	Ditto		
Deputy Port Health Officer, Hobart	Campbell, Ronald Douglas	28 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	Nil.	28 Aug. 1905
Ditto, Launceston	Skinner, George Henry...	4 Jan. 1906...	Ditto	Nil.	4 Jan. 1906
Bacteriologist	Roberts, Edward John...	1 May, 1904...	Ditto	Fees.	1 April, 1904
Caretaker Barnes Bay Quarantine Station	Long, Enoch G.	— 1901...	Ditto	20	1 April, 1901
Assistant ditto	Long, Jeanette M.	— 1901...	Ditto	13	1 April, 1901
Caretaker Isolation Hospital, King's Meadows	Speedon, Thomas	— 1901..	Ditto	30	1 April, 1901

The following Vaccinators have been appointed under the Vaccination Act, 1898, and are paid by fees :—Dr. G. M. Anderson, Health Districts of Franklin, South Franklin, Port Cygnet; Dr. B. A Anderson, Registration District of Westbury; Dr. F. Allwork, Registration Districts of New Norfolk, Brighton, Kempton; Dr. G. E. Butler, Registration District of Zeehan; Dr. H. Benjafield, Registration District of Hobart; D. A. Blaubaum, Registration District of Ringarooma, Dr. A. H. Clarke, Registration District of Hobart, Towns of Bellerive and Lindisfarne; Dr. A. B. Crowther, Registration Districts of Brighton, Clarence, Green Ponds, Kingston, and Hobart; Dr. R. Davis, Registration District of Sheffield; Dr. C. M. Deane, Registration District of Port Frederick, Port Sorell; Dr. G. W. Damman, Town of Penguin; Dr. W. Faulkner, Registration District of Waratah; Dr. W. W. Giblin, Registration Districts of Brighton, Glenorchy, Kingston, and Hobart; Dr. A. W. Graham, Health Districts of Beaconsfield and Dalrymple; Dr. Godfrey, Registration District of Hobart; Dr. J. Gregg, Municipal District of Russell; Dr. H. G. Haines, Municipal District of Longford; Dr. A. J. Hamilton, Town of Queenstown; Dr. L. S. Holmes, Registration District of Launceston; Dr. T. Hoskins, Municipal District of Fingal; Dr. E. W. J. Ireland, Registration District of Hobart; Dr. A. A. Johnston, Registration District of Beaconsfield, George Town, Lefroy; Dr. W. W. S. Jones, Registration District of Oatlands; Dr. R. Kidd, Registration District of Evandale; Dr. J. B. Mason, Municipal District of Longford; Dr. J. M. M. Muir, Registration District of Wynyard; Dr. E. T. McGowan, Registration District of Hobart; Dr. J. Pardy, Registration District of Launceston; Dr. C. J. Pike, Registration District of Launceston; Dr. J. J. Prendergast, District of Kelly Basin; Dr. E. H. Morgan, District of Hamilton; Dr. H. J. Penny, Registration District of Portland; Dr. J. W. Payne, Registration District of Mersey; Dr. D. A. Robinson, Municipal District of Deloraine; Dr. C. Rooke, Registration District of Burnie; Dr. G. Sprott, Registration Districts of Brighton, Green Ponds, Kingston, Hobart, and Bellerive; Dr. J. Smith, Registration District of Port Frederick, Port Sorell; Dr. G. G. Stuart, Registration District of Ulverstone; Dr. H. Von See, Town of Derby; Dr. W. R. Stuart, Registration District of Mersey; Dr. Tofft, Municipal Districts of Campbell Town and Ross; Dr. B. Thomas, Registration District of Port Cygnet; Dr. J. A. Webster, Registration District of Launceston; Dr. T. Wilson, Registration District of Launceston; Dr. J. E. Wolfhagen, Registration District of Hobart; Dr. G. A. Webster, Registration District of Hobart; Dr. G. A. Walpole, Registration District of Lyell; Dr. Walden, Registration Districts of Richmond and Sorell; Dr. A. M. Wilkinson, Registration District of Evandale; Dr. P. D. Smith, Registration District of Launceston; Dr. G. H. Skinner, Registration District of Launceston; Dr. E. J. Addison, Registration District of Latrobe.

(1) Also Medical Officer Contagious Diseases Hospital, Hobart, £25.

METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

Government Meteorologist	Kingsmill, Henry Charles (1)	15 Aug. 1892...	Governor in Council	120	1 Feb. 1888
Observer	Ransom, Margaret (2) (3)	1 April, 1882...	Ditto	7*l.* 10*s.*	1 Apr. 1879
Ditto	Rockwell, Alfred	1 Jan. 1892...	Ditto	7*l.* 10*s.*	1 Jan. 1892
Ditto	Spicer, Harry Griffin (3)	31 Dec. 1883...	Ditto	7*l.* 10*s.*	23 May, 1883
Ditto	Jacques, William	1 Oct. 1899...	Ditto	7*l.* 10*s.*	1 Oct. 1899
Ditto	Scott, H. H. (4)	1 May, 1904...	Ditto	12	1 May, 1904
Ditto	Lynch, Helen (2) (3)	1 Jan. 1883...	Ditto	5	1 May, 1875
Ditto	St. Leger, Fred. (2) (3)	9 Aug. 1902...	Ditto	5	1 June, 1885
Ditto	Gadd, Olive (2)	1 Oct. 1904...	Ditto	5	1 Oct. 1904
Ditto	Targett, C. B.	5 May, 1905...	Ditto	5	5 May, 1905

(1) Quarters. (2) Post and Telegraph. (3) General Registry Department. (4) Curator Launceston, Museum.

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IMMIGRATION.

A Committee has now been formed consisting of the Under-Secretary (Mr. P. C. Douglas), the Secretary for Lands (Mr. E. A. Counsel), and the Secretary for Agriculture (Mr. T. A. Tabart), under the Ministerial control of the Honourable the Chief Secretary, to give information to Immigrants.

STATISTICAL AND REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

Statistical Branch.

Government Statistician	Johnston, Robt. Mackenzie	1 July, 1882	Governor in Council	600	3 Aug. 1872
Assistant Statistician and Chief Clerk	Hudspeth, Francis Rowland Maule	21 Jan. 1884	Ditto	325	9 May, 1879
Clerk	Turner, Frederick Edward (1)	15 May, 1883	The Governor	210	1 July, 1878
Ditto	M'Phee, Edward Tannock	1 July, 1891	Governor in Council	200	1 Jan. 1885
Ditto	Laughton, James Page	1 June, 1891	The Governor	170	1 June, 1891
Junior Clerk	Dixon, Bertram Henry	1 June, 1900	Governor in Council	80	1 June, 1900
Messenger	Vincent, Millist, jun. (2)	1 April, 1890	The Governor	50	1 Feb. 1888

(1) Services not continuous. (2) Half salary : *see* Lands Department. Also quarters, £20.

Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Registrar-General	Johnston, Robert Mackenzie	1 Sept. 1882	Governor in Council	—	3 Aug. 1872
Deputy Registrar-General	Hudspeth, Francis Rowland Maule	19 Feb. 1897	Ditto	—	9 May, 1879
Registrars*					
North-Eastern Division :					
Beaconsfield	Douglas, Evelyn Laura (4)	29 July, 1897	The Governor	—	—
Fingal	Lyne, Henry	27 Mar. 1905	Ditto	—	—
Frankford	Kern, E. (4)	2 April, 1903	Ditto	—	—
George Town	Clifton, Thomas John (1) (7)	30 July, 1901	Ditto	—	—
Launceston	Sams, Louis Robert (3)	6 Jan. 1896	Governor in Council	20	13 Mar. 1882
Lefroy	Barrett, M. C. (4)	2 Nov. 1903	The Governor	—	—
Lilydale	Somerville, John	1 April, 1902	Ditto	—	—
Evandale	Collins, David	1 Sept. 1883	Ditto	—	—
Portland	Moyes, Rebecca (4)	5 April, 1898	Governor in Council	—	—
Ringarooma	Bonner, Elizabeth	25 Aug. 1897	The Governor	—	—
Westbury	Morris, Edney A.	16 June, 1898	Governor in Council	—	—
North-Western Division :					
Deloraine	Fitzgerald, Marianne C.	12 Mar. 1896	Ditto	—	—
Montagu	Enniss, Rose	1 July, 1897	Ditto	—	—
Emu Bay	Carr, John (1) (7)	23 Oct. 1905	The Governor	—	—
Wynyard	Cole, Annie Louisa	1 Jan. 1898	Ditto	—	—
Horton	Spicer, Harry Griffin (5)	22 Dec. 1884	Ditto	—	—
Mersey	Stephens, Antoinette (2)	1 April, 1889	Ditto	—	—
Port Sorell	Robinson Florence Jane Eveline (4)	21 July, 1900	Ditto	—	—
Port Frederick	Eade, Isabel Lamont (4)	1 Jan. 1889	Ditto	—	—
Sheffield	Coleman, Grace (4)	1 Jan. 1904	Ditto	—	—
Ulverstone	Dixon, Arthur Gurnhill (1) (3)	13 Mar. 1875	Ditto	—	—
Waratah	St. Leger, Frederick (4)	9 Aug. 1902	Ditto	—	—
Midland Division					
Bothwell	Hirst, Arthur C.	20 Mar. 1905	Ditto	—	—
Campbell Town	Cole, Louisa (4)	30 July, 1901	Ditto	—	—
Green Ponds	Haines, Elizabeth (4)	20 Dec., 1897	Governor in Council	—	—
Hamilton	Brown, William George	1 April, 1895	The Governor	—	—
Longford	Donnelly, James Sylvester (4)	20 Dec. 1897	Governor in Council	—	—
Oatlands	Lynch, Helen (4) (6)	1 Sept. 1885	The Governor	—	—
Ross	Hall, Elizabeth (4)	13 Oct. 1902	Governor in Council	—	—
South-Eastern Division :					
Brighton	Dyer, Agnes Mary (4)	1 July, 1880	The Governor	—	—
Clarence	Henry Clara (4)	18 Nov. 1904	Ditto	—	—
Glamorgan	Smith Katie Cinclare	15 Aug. 1903	Ditto	—	—
Gordon	Chisholm, Duncan	1 Jan. 1904	Ditto	—	—
Hobart	Hudspeth, Francis Rowland Maule	14 June, 1886	Ditto	—	—
Kingston	Whitelaw, John Henry (1) (7)	30 June, 1902	Ditto	—	—
New Norfolk	Allen, Alice (3)	9 Aug., 1902	Ditto	—	—
Port Cygnet	Harvey, Robert	29 May, 1889	Ditto	—	—
Ralph's Bay	Morrisby, Annie	25 Jan. 1904	Ditto	—	—
Richmond	Royle, H. Stratton (4)	4 June, 1901	Ditto	—	—
Sorell	Lindley, George William	2 Feb. 1882	Ditto	—	—
Spring Bay	Robinson, Annie	19 Aug. 1893	Ditto	—	—
Tasman Peninsula	Wellard, Christina Annie (4)	28 Mar. 1899	Ditto	—	—
Victoria	Stephens, Henry Adshead	1 Jan. 1889	Ditto	—	—

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STATISTICAL AND REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.—*continued.*

South-Western Division :					
Esperance	Rowe, Elizabeth (4)	30 Oct.	1896... Governor in Council	—	—
Franklin	Betts, John Richard	10 July,	1905... Ditto	—	—
Geeveston	O'Reilly, Winifred (4)	26 Aug.	1889... The Governor	—	—
Southport	Ransom, Margaret (4) (6)	1 Jan.	1889... Ditto	—	—
Strahan	Root, Sophia	11 Mar.	1898... Ditto	—	—
Zeehan	Goldsmid, Ev. Vaughan (1) (5)	26 Sept	1894... Ditto	—	—
Queenstown	Rule, Thomas Edwin (1)	4 July,	1904... Ditto	—	—

TRADE MARKS, DENTISTS, MIDWIVES, AND BRANDS.

Registrar of Trade Marks	Johnston, Robt. Mackenzie	1 July,	1882... The Governor	—	—
Registrar of Dentists	Ditto	13 Dec.	1901... Act of Council	—	—
Registrar of Midwives	Ditto	13 Dec.	1901... Ditto	—	—
Registrar of Brands	Ditto	13 Dec.	1901... Ditto	—	—
Deputy Registrar of Trade Marks	Hudspeth, Francis Rowland Maule	22 Jan.	1894... Governor in Council	—	—

* All Registrars, with the exception of those for the Districts of Hobart and Launceston, are allowed 2*s.* per entry for each Birth and Death registered, and Fees prescribed by the Statutes relating to the Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages; viz., 53 Vict. Nos. 9 and 23.

(1) *Vide* Magisterial (2) Also State School Teacher, Education Department. (3) Also Clerk Lands Titles Office and Clerk Lands and Mines Department, Launceston. (4) *Vide* Post and Telegraph Department. (5) *Vide* Mines Department. (6) *Vide* Meteorological Department. [7] Also Police Department.

CIVIL SERVICE BOARD.

ELECTED 1ST JANUARY, 1906.

Chairman, George Richardson; other members, E. D. Dobbie (Solicitor-General) and R. J. Meagher; Secretary, D. W. Addison.

Section V.

DEPARTMENTS UNDER THE SUPERVISION AND CONTROL OF THE TREASURER.

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TREASURER.

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TREASURY.					
Treasurer	Evans, John William (1)	11 July, 1904...	Governor by Letters Patent	750 ...	—
Under-Treasurer	Reid, Alexander (2)	1 Jan. 1895...	Governor in Council	550 ...	1 April, 1858
Accountant	Bennison, James E. (3)...	16 July, 1894...	Ditto	375 ...	24 Oct. 1869
Receiver and Paymaster...	Benson, William (4)	1 Jan. 1885...	Ditto	330 ...	19 May, 1873
Cashier, Pay Branch	Windsor, Thomas	23 July, 1894...	Ditto	300 ...	16 Nov. 1874
Cashier, Revenue Branch	Todd, William (5)	23 July, 1894...	Ditto	270 ...	1 June, 1871
Clerk	Pretyman, Ernest H.	24 Jan. 1902...	Ditto	230 ...	1 Jan. 1882
Ditto	Strutt, Percival John	24 Jan. 1902...	Ditto	190 ...	1 Jan. 1889
Ditto	Roland, Edw. Owen	24 Jan. 1902...	Ditto	150 ...	26 July, 1894
Ditto	O'Brien, John Patk., jun. (5)	30 May, 1902...	Ditto	150 ...	22 Aug. 1891
Ditto	Okines, Ernest J.	30 May, 1902..	Ditto	120 ...	1 Sept. 1897
Ditto	Bonniwell, Martin Chas.	30 May, 1902...	Ditto	100 ...	15 May, 1899
Ditto	Vaughan, Harry G.	1 July, 1902...	Ditto	95 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Ditto	Johnson, Chas. Edmund (5)	1 Feb. 1902...	Ditto	60 ...	1 July, 1900
Ditto	Keats, Francis Hy.	30 June, 1902...	Ditto	60 ...	30 June, 1902
Messenger	Hutchinson, Rowland C.	1 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	100 ...	1 July, 1896
IMPERIAL PENSIONS BRANCH.					
Paymaster	Lovett, Frank	28 Aug. 1903...	Governor in Council	300 ...	1 Jan. 1876
STORES BRANCH.					
Inspector of Stores	Hull, Hugh	1 Jan. 1895...	Governor in Council	300 ...	15 April, 1867
Chief Clerk	Dawson, George Frederick	1 Jan. 1895...	Ditto	190 ...	1 Jan. 1887
Clerk	Elliott, Bertram Alexander Clyde	1 Sept. 1901...	Ditto	70 ...	10 June, 1901
Storekeeper	Coombes, Charles (1)	1 July, 1901...	Ditto	130 ...	8 Mar. 1886
Storeman	Coombs, Charles Hedley	1 July, 1901...	Ditto	100 ...	1 Jan. 1893
Messenger	Norton, William (2)	1 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	10 ...	12 June, 1902
PRINTING DEPARTMENT.					
Government Printer	Vail, John	24 April, 1899...	Administrator Government in Council	450 ...	24 April, 1899
Overseer	Prior, Tom Glenthorne...	1 Dec. 1902...	Ditto	250 ...	1 Dec. 1902
Foreman	Shimmins, Walter	1 July, 1903...	Ditto	185 ...	9 Jan. 1883
Accountant	Hardinge, Francis Cecil	1 Jan. 1893...	Ditto	175 ...	15 Mar. 1888
Clerk	Crowther, Edward	8 Jan. 1900...	Ditto	80 ...	8 Jan. 1900
Foreman Machinist	Needham, Charles	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	164 ...	5 Mar. 1866
Messenger	Hornsby, Ebenezer	1 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	90 ...	1 May, 1903
BOARD OF EXAMINERS MERCHANTS SHIPS' OFFICERS.					
Chairman and Examiner in Navigation and Seamanship, and Officer to issue and Record Certificates	Elliott, Henry Mark (1) (3)	27 July, 1898...	Governor in Council	50 ...	1 Jan. 1867
Examiner in Steam	Ross, Ernest Sydney (2)	26 July, 1897...	Ditto	— ...	4 Feb. 1892

(1) Also Premier, £200. (2) Also Permanent Head Commonwealth Sub-Treasury, £100. (3) Also Secretary Public Debts Sinking Fund Commissioners, £50, and Accountant Commonwealth Sub-Treasury, £75. (4) Also Commonwealth Sub-Treasury Paymaster, £50. (5) Service not continuous.

(1) With quarters, fuel, and light. (2) Also Messenger, Audit Department.

Compositors, machinists, bookbinders, &c. (31), at rates varying from 5*s.* 10*d.* to 10*s.* per diem. Linotype engineer, £4 per week. Linotype operators (2) at current piece rates. Women and learners (14) from 6*s.* to £1 2*s.* per week. Lithographers and assistant, from 33*s.* to 60*s.* per week.

(1) Also Registrar of Mines at £210. (2) Chief Inspector of Machinery at £285. Also Chief Inspector of Explosives. (3) Services not continuous.

TREASURER—*continued.*

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
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STAMP DUTIES.					
Commissioner of Stamp Duties	Seager, Philip Samuel (1)	30 Nov. 1900...	Governor in Council ...	— ...	14 May, 1863
Collector of Stamp Duties. Hobart	Ditto	23 Oct. 1885...	Ditto	— ...	14 May, 1863
Ditto	Ross, Hector (2)	6 Sept. 1901...	Ditto	— ..	1 July, 1892
Ditto	Whyte, James Wilkinson (3)	1 April, 1884...	Ditto	— ...	29 May, 1883
Collector of Stamp Duties, Launceston	Hunt, William (4)	18 May, 1886...	Ditto	— ...	1 Jan. 1861
Ditto	Sams, Louis Robert (5)...	16 Dec. 1898...	Ditto	— ...	13 Mar. 1882
Ditto, Ulverstone	Dixon, Arthur Gurnhill (6)	11 Nov. 1892...	Ditto	— ...	1 April, 1875
Ditto, Zeehan	Chambers, Lloyd Eld (7)	18 July, 1901...	Ditto	— ...	1 July, 1878

(1) Also Registrar of Supreme Court. (2) Also Sheriff. (3) Also Recorder of Titles, &c. (4) Also Clerk of the Peace, &c., Launceston. (5) Also officer in charge Lands and Surveys Departments, Launceston; Registrar of Mines, and Registrar Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Launceston. (6) Also Landing Waiter, Police Clerk, &c, Ulverstone (7) Also Commissioner of Mines and Stipendiary Magistrate, Zeehan; service not continuous.

OFFICE OF TAXES.

Commissioner and Collector of Taxes	Downie, Henry Edmonds	1 Jan. 1902...	Governor in Council ...	400 ...	1 Jan. 1882
Deputy Commissioner	Hunt, William (1)	—	Ditto	200 ...	1 Jan. 1861
Chief Clerk	Harrison, Malcolm Whitefoord	1 Oct. 1894...	Ditto	250 ...	1 Dec. 1875
Clerk	Honey, Walter M.	14 Mar. 1897...	Ditto	215 ...	7 Feb. 1883
Ditto	Hogg, William	22 May, 1884...	Ditto	215 ...	22 May, 1884
Ditto	Simmons, Kenneth	1 Sept. 1881...	Ditto	180 ...	1 Sept. 1881
Ditto	Elliott, William E.	1 May, 1889...	Ditto	165 ...	16 Jan, 1884
Ditto	Maddox, Ernest A.	1 Jan. 1897...	Ditto	180 ...	1 Jan. 1897
Ditto	Ryan, William	1 Nov. 1884...	Ditto	160 ...	1 Nov. 1884
Ditto	Westbrook, Hedley	1 Mar. 1903...	Ditto	170 ...	1 Aug. 1889
Ditto	Boyes, Blamey Edw.	1 Feb. 1904...	Ditto	190 ...	18 April, 1887
Ditto	Russell, Walter O.	1 Jan. 1904...	Ditto	140 ...	1 Jan. 1904
Ditto	Simmons, George K.	1 April 1905...	Ditto	160 ...	1 July, 1883
Ditto	Bond, George	8 Oct. 1900...	Ditto	87 ...	13 Mar. 1905
Messenger	Day, David (2)	1 Nov., 1899...	Ditto	45 ...	21 June, 1897

(1) £125 Registrar Court of Requests; Deputy Sheriff, £100. (2) Also State Savings Bank.

STATE SAVINGS BANK.

Manager	Butler, Ralph Cecil	1 Dec. 1902...	Governor in Council ...	215 ...	1 Jan. 1888
Cashier	Flanagan, James Francis	1 Dec. 1902...	Ditto	175 ...	1 Aug. 1888
Chief Clerk	Smith, Ernest Hilmer ...	1 Jan. 1903...	Ditto	120 ...	1 Nov. 1892
Clerk	D'Emden, Ernest Harry	1 Dec. 1902...	Ditto	120 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Ditto	Wallace, Edward Abbott	18 Oct. 1902...	Ditto	60 ...	18 Oct. 1902
Ditto	Thümmler, William Herman	14 Dec. 1903...	Ditto	60 ...	14 Dec. 1903
Secretary to Trustees	Boyes, Henry	1 Mar. 1888...	Ditto	20 ...	2 Feb. 1855
Messenger	Day, David (1)	1 May, 1903...	Ditto	45 ...	21 June, 1897

(1) Also Office of Taxes.

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ATTORNEY-GENERAL.					
Attorney-General	Gilmore, George Crosby...	11 July, 1904...	Governor, by Letters Patent	750 ...	—
Secretary to Law Department	Stops, Frank Norwood ...	1 Jan 1904...	Governor in Council ...	200 ...	1 April, 1898
Parliamentary Draughtsman	Birchall, William Andrew Bayley	1 May, 1904...	Ditto ...	300 ...	11 July, 1901
Clerk to Attorney-General and Law Department	Lord, Chester ...	1 June, 1902...	Ditto ...	120 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Messenger	M'Grath, John ...	1 April, 1904...	Ditto ...	100 ...	14 Jan. 1893
SOLICITOR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.					
Solicitor-General, Crown Solicitor, Grand Juror, and Crown Prosecutor	Dobbie, Edward David...	1 April, 1901...	Governor, by Letters Patent	600 ...	1 Mar. 1883
Conveyancing Solicitor, Assistant Crown Prosecutor, Clerk of the Peace and Registrar of Building Societies	Hobkirk, Louis John (1)..	1 Jan. 1901...	Governor in Council ...	300 ...	1 Aug. 1877
Clerk to Solicitor-General	Dillon, Joseph Charles ...	1 Jan. 1895...	Ditto ...	200 ...	1 Jan. 1884
Junior Clerk	Chambers, Vere Isham...	21 Feb. 1900...	Ditto ...	80 ...	21 Feb. 1900
Messenger	Hanson, F. J. (2) ...	11 April, 1904...	Ditto ...	48 ...	1 April, 1897

(1) Services not continuous. (2) Half-salary. Messenger Registrar Supreme Court, £48 per annum.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.					
Chief Justice	Dodds, the Hon. Sir John Stokell, K.C.M.G.	20 Oct. 1898...	Governor in Council, by Letters Patent	1500 ...	14 Feb. 1887
Puisne Judge	Clark, the Hon. Andrew Inglis	1 June, 1898...	Ditto ...	1200 ...	1 June, 1898
Ditto	M'Intyre, the Hon. John	21 Nov. 1898...	Ditto ...	1200 ...	21 Nov. 1898
Judges' Associate	Dodds, John Warren	1 Jan. 1904...	Governor in Council ...	150 ...	7 April, 1888
Messenger	Mills, Albert John	1 June, 1897...	Ditto ...	100 ...	1 Jan. 1884
LANDS TITLES OFFICE.					
Recorder of Titles	Whyte, James Wilkinson (1)	1 Aug. 1885...	Governor in Council ...	600 ...	29 May, 1883
Solicitor to Lands Titles' Commissioners	Richardson, Allan Abraham	1 Jan. 1901...	Ditto ...	210 ...	1 Mar. 1897
Deputy Recorder of Titles, Chief Clerk and Draftsman	Farmer, George Finch...	1 Aug. 1883...	Ditto ...	365 ...	1 Nov. 1876
Clerk and Draftsman	Reid, Albert Mowbray...	10 June, 1891...	Ditto ...	220 ...	1 Jan. 1883
Clerk and Accountant	Innes, Robert Russell ...	27 June, 1898...	Ditto ...	200 ...	1 April, 1884
Engrossing Clerk	Atkins, Charles Richard	19 July, 1876...	Ditto ...	190 ...	19 July, 1876
Indexing Clerk	Cole, Henry ...	1 May, 1904...	Ditto ...	160 ...	1 Oct. 1872
Clerk and Draftsman	Walshe, Charles Clarence	10 June, 1891...	Ditto ...	160 ...	1 July, 1888
Clerk	Windsor, Francis Victor	1 April, 1903...	Ditto ...	150 ...	17 Oct. 1887
Clerk and Junior Draftsman	M'Phee, Malcolm ...	18 Feb. 1901...	Ditto ...	115 ...	4 Jan. 1898
Clerk	Kemp, Evelyr Dudley...	17 Aug. 1903...	Ditto ...	105 ...	26 Nov. 1896
Clerk	Bingham, Robert George	1 Nov. 1904...	Ditto ...	70 ...	1 Mar. 1902
Junior Clerk	M'Donald, Lindley Winfield	9 May, 1904...	Ditto ...	45 ...	9 May, 1904
Messenger	Miles, John ...	1 Aug. 1899...	Ditto ...	110 ...	1 May, 1884

(1) Also Collector of Stamp Duties and Registrar of Public Trusts.

MAGISTERIAL.

Magistracy, Hobart and Southern Division.

Police Magistrate, Hobart, and Southern Division	Wise, Walter Ormsby (1)	1 Jan. 1904...	Governor in Council ...	400 ...	1 June, 1887
Bench Clerk	Johnston, Arthur	1 Aug. 1901...	Ditto ...	230 ...	21 April, 1884
Clerk	Hawson, Reginald James	1 Sept. 1904...	Ditto ...	110 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Messenger	Grimsey, Thomas	1 Aug. 1899...	Ditto ...	96 ...	25 Jan. 1883
Police Clerk, Kingston ...	Whitelaw, J. H. (2)	27 June, 1902...	The Governor ...	15 ...	1 June, 1902
Ditto, Woodbridge ...	Hardinge, H. V. C.	11 July, 1902...	Ditto ...	10 ...	1 Sept. 1900
Ditto, Franklin	Betts, John R. (3)	1 Aug., 1901...	Ditto ...	140 ...	1 Aug. 1901
Registrar Court of Requests, Port Cygnet	Wills, Thomas Charles (4)	13 Feb. 1901...	Ditto ...	25 ...	— Dec. 1893
Registrar Court of General Sessions, Premaydena	Locke, Francis Thomas...	1 Nov. 1900...	Ditto ...	27 ...	29 May, 1891

(1) Also Commissioner of Court of Requests. (2) Also Constable, £96; Registrar of Births, £5.
(3) Also Secretary Board of Advice, £15 and Returning Officer. (4) Also Senior Constable, £96.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL—*continued.*

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MAGISTERIAL—*continued.*

District of Launceston and Northern and North-Eastern Division.

Police Magistrate, Launceston, and Northern and North-Eastern Division	Hall, Edward Laret (1)..	1 Jan. 1904...	Governor in Council ...	400 ...	7 Jan. 1892
Bench Clerk and Information Clerk, Launceston	Madden, James Joseph...	1 Jan. 1901...	Ditto	240 ...	15 Oct. 1881
Clerk	Page, L. E.	15 Mar. 1900...	Ditto	90 ...	15 Mar. 1900
Registrar Court of Requests, Derby	Fitzpatrick, J. (2)	3 July, 1903...	The Governor	38 ...	12 April, 1886
Police Clerk, Beaconsfield	Harris, Arthur James (3)	21 Aug. 1896...	Ditto	35 ...	10 May, 1887
Police Clerk, St. Helens...	Soutar, Allan D. (4)	1 Jan. 1902...	Ditto	75 ...	11 Mar. 1897

(1) Also Commissioner of Mines, £150. (2) Also Constable, £96. (3) Also Sergeant of Police, £116, and quarters, fuel, and light, £25. (4) Also £40 as Registrar of Mines.

Western Division.

Police Magistrate, Zeehan	Chambers, Lloyd Eld (1) (5)	2 Mar. 1903...	Governor in Council ...	297*l* 10s.	1 July, 1878
Registrar Court of Requests, Zeehan; also Police Clerk	Goldsmid, Everard Vaughan (2)	1 Oct. 1893...	Ditto	120 ...	24 Sept. 1890
Registrar Court of Requests Strahan; also Police Clerk	Marshall, J. A. (Acting)	—	—	10 ...	—
Registrar Court of Requests, Queenstown	Rule, Thomas Edwin (4)	14 Mar. 1904...	Governor in Council ...	104 ...	1 Mar. 1884
Bailiff, Court of Requests, Queenstown	Daly, Michael Francis...	1 May, 1900...	Ditto	130 ...	1 May, 1900

(1) Also Commissioner of Mines, £100, and Returning Officer, and Commonwealth Returning Officer. (2) Also Registrar of Mines, £100, and Registrar of Births and Registrar under Vaccination Act. (3) Also Constable, £96. (4) Also Registrar of Mines, £75. (5) Service not continuous.

North-Western Division.

Police Magistrate, Latrobe, visiting Outstations	Maxwell, Patrick Churcher (1)	1 Jan. 1904...	Governor in Council ...	400 ...	1 Sept. 1878
Police Clerk, Latrobe	Root, Oswald Blake Hevingham (2)	1 Aug. 1901...	Ditto	165 ...	1 May, 1891
Police Clerk, Devonport...	Fulton, Græme Auchmulty (3)	4 Oct. 1886...	The Governor	168 ...	4 Oct. 1886
Registrar Court of Requests, Sheffield	Webster, John (4)	3 July, 1903...	Ditto	25 ...	—April, 1877
Police Clerk, Ulverstone...	Dixon, Arthur Gurnhill (5)	21 Oct. 1892...	Ditto	108 ...	1 April, 1875
Registrar Court of Requests, Penguin	Gibbens, Wm. David (6)...	8 Dec. 1889...	Ditto	10 ...	1 Dec. 1893
Registrar Court of Requests, Stanley	Colhoun, Arthur (7)	2 June, 1899...	Ditto	15 ...	14 Sept. 1861
Police Clerk, King Island	Rivett-Carnac, Harry Morland (8)	2 Aug. 1901...	Ditto	25 ...	2 Aug. 1901
Registrar Court of Requests, Wynyard	Carr, John (10)	3 July, 1903...	Ditto	22 ...	28 April, 1890
Registrar Court of Requests, Waratah	Donohue, James (11)	2 Aug. 1901...	Ditto	16 ...	7 Mar. 1891

(1) Also Returning Officer. (2) Also Secretary Board of Advice, £10. (3) Also Secretary Board of Advice, £10, and Returning Officer, with quarters, say £25. (4) Sub-Inspector of Police, £130. (5) Registrar of Births, &c.; also Registrar Court of Requests, Ulverstone, and Collector of Stamp Duties, and also Sub-Collector of Customs, Leven, Forth, and Penguin, £70. (6) Also Constable, £96. (7) Also Sub-Inspector of Police, £150. (8) Also Special Constable, £25, and Registrar Court of General Sessions. (10) Also Sergeant of Police, £116. (11) Also Constable, £96; and Registrar of Mines, £15.

COURT OF REQUESTS, AND COURT OF BANKRUPTCY, LAUNCESTON.

Commissioner in Bankruptcy, and Commissioner of the Court of Requests, Launceston	Hall, Edward Laret (1)...	1 July, 1901...	Governor in Council ...	400 ...	1 Feb. 1892
Clerk of the Peace, Registrar Supreme Court in its Local Courts Act Jurisdiction, Registrar Court of Requests, and Registrar in Bankruptcy	Hunt, William (2)	18 May, 1886...	Ditto	125 ...	1 Jan. 1861
Clerk to Registrar	Barnet, Nathaniel Vincent (3)	26 Feb. 1896...	Ditto	160 ...	1 May, 1890
Office-Cleaner	Offer, Elizabeth	1 July, 1890...	Ditto	20 ...	1 July, 1890

(1) Also Commissioner of Mines, £150. (2) Also Deputy-Sheriff, £200, and Deputy-Commissioner of Taxes, £200. (3) Also Superintendent of Invalid Depôt, with quarters, fuel, and light; no salary.

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Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
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SUPREME COURT, REGISTRAR OF DEEDS, PROBATE DUTIES, AND STAMP DUTIES.					
Registrar Supreme Court, Registrar of Deeds, Collector of Probate Duties, and Commissioner of Stamp Duties	Seager, Philip Samuel ...	1 Jan. 1895...	Governor in Council ...	550 ...	14 May, 1863
Chief Clerk	Brammall, Alfred George	1 Dec. 1891...	Ditto	280 ...	1 Mar. 1888
Clerk	Simmons, Charles Stephen	1 Dec. 1891...	Ditto	185 ...	1 April, 1889
Ditto	Wardrop, James	9 Nov. 1901...	Ditto	60 ...	9 Nov. 1901
Ditto (Deeds Office)...	Stops, Frederick Rolfe...	18 Jan. 1897...	Ditto	160 ...	1 Dec. 1891
Ditto	Walker, Albert Edward...	1 Jan. 1901...	Ditto	115 ...	1 Jan 1898
Probationer	Underwood, Horatio Nelson	12 Dec. 1905...	Ditto	30 ...	12 Dec. 1905
Messenger	Hanson, Frederick James (1)	1 April, 1904...	The Governor	48 ...	30 Mar. 1897
(1) Half-salary. Messenger Solicitor-General's Office, £48 per annum.					
COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.					
Accountant, also Secretary to Provident Fund	Paterson, Frederick John (1) (2)	25 Jan. 1886...	Governor in Council ...	210 ...	15 Dec. 1873
Chief Clerk	Lord, John Ernest Cecil (5)	19 July, 1886...	Ditto	195 ...	29 May, 1886
Clerk	Cuthbert, Edwin Bassett	1 Feb. 1900...	Ditto	100 ...	1 April, 1890
Relieving Superintendent	Cook, John Valentine (3)	1 April, 1899...	62 Vict. No. 48	200 ...	18 Oct. 1886
Superintendent of Police	Pedder, Frederick (3) (4)	1 Nov. 1879...	62 Vict. No. 48	348 ...	1 Jan. 1889
Ditto	Driscoll, Richard (3)	1 Aug. 1876...	Governor in Council ...	250 ...	25 July, 1867
Ditto	Berresford, Henry (3) ...	1 Jan. 1876...	Ditto	200 ...	1 May, 1871
Ditto	Wood, William (3) (4)...	13 Dec. 1872...	62 Vict. No. 8	170 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Ditto	Hedberg, Oscar Elieeus (3)	1 Jan. 1895...	Governor in Council ...	300 ...	14 Feb. 1884
Ditto	Whitham, Lawrence (3) (4)	1 Jan. 1889...	62 Vict. No. 8	190 ...	1 Jan. 1889
Ditto	Conlan, Michael (3)	1 Jan. 1892...	Governor in Council ...	200 ...	19 Jan. 1880
Ditto	Propsting, Frederick (3) (4)	1 Oct. 1893...	62 Vict. No. 48	170 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Ditto	Scott, Walter (3) (4).....	1 Feb. 1897...	Ditto	247 ...	1 Jan. 1899

21 Sub-Inspectors, 15 Sergeants, 7 Acting Sergeants, 160 Constables, 18 Special Constables. 5 per cent. deducted from salaries and pay placed to credit in Provident Fund. Long service pay: 5 to 10 years, 3*d.* to 6*d.* per diem; 10 to 20 years, 4*d.* to 9*d.* per diem; over 20 years, 6*d.* to 1*s.* per diem.

(1) Service not continuous. (2) Also £50 as Secretary Provident Fund. (3) And house, or allowance in lieu. (4) Previous service under Municipal Government. (5) Also Supervisor of Totalisators, say £25.

H.M. GAOL, HOBART.

Governor	Warner, Ashton Henry, Lt.-Col. (1)	1 Jan. 1895...	Governor in Council ...	300 ...	30 April, 1885
Medical Officer	Roberts, E. J. (6)	1 April, 1904...	Ditto	— ...	1 April, 1904
Deputy-Gaoler	M'Sherry, Michael (2) ...	12 June, 1904...	Ditto	150 ...	21 Nov. 1890
Chief Clerk and Storekeeper	Dollery, Elias Mark (3)...	17 July, 1890...	Ditto	200 ...	1 May, 1887
Clerk	Honey, Medland P. (3)...	1 April, 1900...	Ditto	150 ...	8 Dec. 1873
Overseer Mechanics	Harrison, Percy Eugene (4)	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	121 ...	10 Mar. 1897
Ditto Shoemakers	Marshall, John (3)	1 May, 1904...	Ditto	121 ...	1 Jan. 1899
Chief Warder	Burrows, William (2) ...	1 Aug. 1904...	Ditto	110 ...	7 Jan. 1888
First-class Warder	M'Cormick, John (4)	2 Sept. 1893...	Ditto	110 ...	1 Mar. 1879
Ditto	Newman, Frank (4)	1 Mar. 1898...	Ditto	110 ...	1 Sept. 1892
Ditto	Carpenter, Frederick (2) (7)	1 April, 1899...	Ditto	110 ...	7 July, 1883
Ditto	Long, Richard (4)	1 April, 1899...	Ditto	110 ...	3 April, 1886
Ditto	Wilson, James O. (4)	1 April, 1902...	Ditto	110 ...	8 Feb. 1886
Ditto	Donovan, Thomas (4) (7)	12 June, 1904...	Ditto	110 ...	1 Sept. 1887
Ditto	Foreman, Richard (4) ...	1 Aug. 1904...	Ditto	110 ...	1 June, 1880
Ditto	Filby, Alfred H. (4)	1 Mar. 1905...	Ditto	110 ...	2 Feb. 1891
Second-class Warder	Holman, John (2) (4)	12 June, 1904...	Ditto	96 ...	16 April, 1891
Ditto	Bartlett, Henry (4) (7)...	12 June, 1904...	Ditto	96 ...	9 Mar. 1881
Ditto	Moore, George N. (4) (7)	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	96 ...	27 Sept. 1884
Ditto	Askey, Samuel (4)	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	96 ...	15 Jan. 1900
Third-class Warder	Purkiss, James (4)	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	84 ...	2 May, 1892
Ditto	Gibson, James (2) (7)	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	84 ...	1 Nov. 1887
Ditto	Bates, Thomas (4)	1 July, 1904...	Ditto	84 ...	14 May, 1904
Ditto	Conlan, Charles R. (4). ..	17 July, 1905...	Ditto	84 ...	17 July, 1905
Ditto	M'Loughlin, James J. (4)	21 Sept. 1904...	Ditto	84 ...	2 Sept. 1898
Messenger	Hickson, James (4)	1 Mar. 1905...	Ditto	84 ...	1 Jan. 1885
Female Warder	Goddard, Mary Ann (5)...	1 Nov. 1904...	Ditto	50 ...	11 May, 1893
Ditto	Driscoll, Louisa E. (5)...	16 Nov. 1904...	Ditto	40 ...	16 Nov. 1904
Foreman Baker	Johnstone, Thomas	11 Dec. 1882...	Ditto	140 ...	3 Jan. 1882
Assistant Baker	Owen, William (4)	1 Mar. 1905...	Ditto	96 ...	3 Aug. 1891

(1) Quarters, fuel, and light, washing, and servant. (2) Quarters, fuel and light, uniform, and rations. (3) Ration. (4) Ration and uniform. (5) Quarters, rations, fuel and light. (6) Also House Surgeon, General Hospital. (7) Services not continuous.

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H.M. GAOL, LAUNCESTON.

Superintendent	Driscoll, Richard (1)	1 April, 1899...	Governor in Council	10	25 July, 1867
Senior Warder and Clerk	Mackay, Havilland (2)	12 June, 1904...	Ditto	110	1 Jan. 1888
Female Warder	Biggs, Mary (3)	1 July, 1899...	Ditto	45	16 Nov. 1879
Warder	Jones, Joseph Fletcher (4)	22 April, 1895...	Ditto	70	1 Nov. 1882
Ditto	M'Donnell, Burnett (5)	1 Jan. 1899...	Ditto	70	1 Mar. 1877

(1) Superintendent; also Superintendent of Police, Launceston, Selby, and George Town; Inspector for Contagious Diseases Hospital, Launceston, with fuel, light, and quarters. (2) With quarters, fuel, light, and rations. (3) With quarters, fuel, light, and rations; also Matron of Invalid Depôt. (4) With quarters, fuel, light, and rations. (5) With rations, and £15 per annum in lieu of quarters, fuel, and light.

SHERIFF AND COURT OF REQUESTS.

Hobart.

Sheriff	Ross, Hector (1)	8 Sept. 1899...	The Governor	375	1 July, 1892
Clerk	Abbott, Edward James	1 Sept. 1873...	Governor in Council	210	19 Nov. 1866
Registrar of Court of Requests	Edwards, Arthur Charles	1 Jan. 1904...	Ditto	180	1 April, 1888
Bailiff of Court of Requests and Sheriff's Officer	Shirley, Henry	1 Jan. 1904...	Ditto	165	20 July, 1891
Court House Keeper	Bradshaw, William (2)	1 Jan. 1890...	Ditto	125	1 May, 1884
Crier of the Court	Smith, William Curran	5 April, 1876..	Ditto	85	1 Jan. 1874

(1) Also Curator of Intestate Estates, Registrar of the Supreme Court in Bankruptcy, and in Local Courts Act Jurisdiction, and Clerk of the Supreme Court. (2) House allowance, £25.

Launceston.

Deputy Sheriff	Hunt, William (1)	25 May, 1886...	Governor in Council	100	1 Jan. 1861
Bailiff and Clerk, and Bailiff of Court of Requests	Dore, John William	1 Jan. 1900...	Ditto	160	19 Mar. 1887
Crier of Court and Court House Keeper	Duncan, Alfred Edward	1 Mar. 1905...	Ditto	90	1 May, 1897

(1) Also Clerk of the Peace, Collector of Stamp Duties, Registrar of Courts of Requests and Bankruptcy, and Deputy Commissioner of Taxes.

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DEPARTMENTS UNDER THE SUPERVISION AND CONTROL OF THE MINISTER OF LANDS AND WORKS.

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MINISTER OF LANDS AND WORKS.

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DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND WORKS.

MINISTERIAL AND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Minister of Lands and Works and Railways	Hean, Alexander	11 July, 1904	The Governor by Letters Patent	750	—
Engineer-in-Chief	Fincham, James	28 Aug. 1903	Governor in Council	375	9 April, 1877
Secretary	Reilly, George Henry	4 Sept. 1903	Ditto	315	8 Feb. 1875
Chief Clerk and Accountant	Kennedy, Edward Houlton	4 Sept. 1903	Ditto	275	29 Mar. 1883
Record Clerk	Haywood, T. Julian	28 Oct. 1897	Minister of Lands and Works	220	1 Jan. 1882
Clerk	Spencer, George Ernest	28 Oct. 1897	Ditto	190	7 July, 1886
Ditto	Wright, George Bentley	28 Oct. 1897	Ditto	150	29 Feb. 1884
Ditto	Hamilton, Joshua Charles	28 Oct. 1897	Ditto	80	4 Oct. 1890
Clerk to Minister	M'Gough, J. Leslie	1 Aug. 1898	Ditto	125	1 Aug. 1898
Cashier and Account Clerk	Richardson, Roland F.	4 Sept. 1903	Ditto	110	1 Feb. 1900
Clerk	Geary, Arthur	18 April, 1900	Ditto	90	18 April, 1900
Ditto	Walker, Ernest G.	1 May, 1900	Ditto	80	1 May, 1900
Ditto	Wadsley, Edwin William	6 May, 1901	Ditto	85	6 May, 1901
Ditto	Green, Alfred Osborn	1 Jan. 1902	Ditto	180	— Mar. 1887
Ditto	Cronly, John E.	26 June, 1905	Ditto	30	26 June, 1905
Engineer of Roads	Reynolds, W. Ross	1 June, 1904	Governor in Council	300	1 June, 1904
Inspector of Roads, North	Simmons, George	1 Aug. 1883	Minister of Lands and Works	350	1 Aug. 1883
Ditto, South	Trappes, F. W. (1)	1 Sept. 1903	Ditto	200	1 April, 1880
Sub-Inspector, South	Tait, Robert (1)	28 Oct. 1897	Ditto	185	28 Oct. 1897
Ditto, North	Simmons, H. H.	1 Jan. 1898	Ditto	170	1 Jan. 1898
Ditto	Piton, W. U.	— Oct. 1886	Ditto	170	— Aug. 1884
Ditto, N.E.	Holmes, H. E.	1 Dec. 1903	Ditto	157	1 Dec. 1903
Sub-Inspector Roads, N.W.	Miller, J. J. (1)	1 April, 1904	Governor in Council	157	1 April, 1904
Sub-Inspector Roads (also Inspector Mines, West Coast)	Harrison, J. (3)	1 Jan. 1904	Minister of Lands and Works	75	26 Oct. 1897
Sub-Inspector Roads	Woods, T. (4)	1 Mar. 1904	Ditto	156*l.* 10*s.*	1 Nov. 1899
Clerk, &c., North	Cresswell, Marshall, E.	28 Oct. 1897	Ditto	140	28 Oct. 1897
Storeman, &c.	Blakney, William	1 Aug. 1904	Ditto	6s. per day	1 Jan. 1900
Inspector of Public Buildings	Shield, John G.	25 Mar. 1879	Governor in Council	350	25 Mar. 1879
Architectural Draftsman	Baker, Orlando	14 April, 1897	Minister of Lands and Works	200	1 Oct. 1891
Engineering Draftsman	Middleton, Alfred E.	4 Sept. 1903	Ditto	220	— 1896
Draftsman	Midwood, T. C.	18 Sept. 1899	Ditto	185	4 June, 1883
Ditto	Forrest, L. S. B.	1 Jan. 1892	Ditto	185	1 June, 1878
Clerk of Works	Bucirde, H.	1 May, 1900	Ditto	180	1 May, 1900
Office-keeper and Messenger	Vincent, Millist (2)	31 Mar. 1890	Governor in Council	130	1 Jan. 1883
Messenger	Cole, W. J.	1 May, 1903	Minister of Lands and Works	90	1 Sept. 1898

(1) Forage allowance of £25 per annum. (2) Also quarters, fuel, light, £30 per year. (3) See also Mines Department.
(4) Services not continuous.

DEPARTMENT OF LANDS AND SURVEYS.

Surveyor-General and Secretary for Lands	Counsel, Edward Albert	8 Aug. 1894	Governor in Council and 58 Vict. No. 13	550	1 Mar. 1889

CLERICAL STAFF.

Chief Clerk and Secretary Board of Examiners	Butcher, Edward William Norton	1 June, 1895	Governor in Council	355	1 July, 1883
Clerk and Accountant	Hudson, Augustus William Lovett	1 July, 1897	Ditto	230	18 May, 1878
Clerk	Molloy, Timothy Paul	1 June, 1882	Ditto	215	1 Jan. 1877
Ditto	Pitman, Charles Bignell	1 July, 1882	Ditto	215	1 July, 1882
Ditto	Cato, William Coggin	1 Oct. 1899	Ditto	180	8 Dec. 1873
Ditto	Andrewartha, Edwin Percy	1 May, 1891	Ditto	180	8 Oct. 1889
Clerk (Engrossing, &c)	Bompas, Richard Carroll Delane (1)	21 April, 1893	Ditto	170	1 Oct. 1882
Clerk	Adams, Joseph	16 June, 1904	Ditto	160	6 Sept. 1897
Ditto	Quinn, Joseph Robert	11 July, 1902	Ditto	75	22 April, 1901
Ditto	Bantoft, Austin	16 May, 1904	Ditto	40	16 May, 1904
Officer in charge, Launceston	Sams, Louis Robert (2)	14 Feb. 1896	Ditto	125	13 Mar. 1882
Clerk (Launceston)	Smith, Arthur Garnet (3)	1 Jan. 1900	Ditto	28	11 July, 1891
Chief Forest Officer	Penny, John Compton	1 Jan. 1899	Ditto	240	1 April, 1870
Inspector of Timber, &c.	Andrewartha, William Guy	1 May, 1905	Ditto	200	1 May, 1905

(1) Service not continuous. (2) Also Mines Department, £125; General Registry Office, £20. (3) Also Mines Department, £112.

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Professional Staff.

Chief Draftsman	Hall, Leventhorpe (1)	1 Feb. 1889...	Governor in Council	365	1 Jan. 1866
Draftsman in charge	Hurst, William Nevin	12 Jan. 1887...	Ditto	265	1 July, 1885
Draftsman (computing)	Howell, Alfred Basil	1 Sept. 1889...	Ditto	255	1 Sept. 1889
Draftsman	Lovett Ernest Phillip...	1 Jan. 1887...	Ditto	195	1 Jan. 1886
Ditto	Oldmeadow, Charles Kenric	1 Jan. 1895...	Ditto	170	19 Oct. 1888
Ditto	Clarke, James Mallard (1)	1 Sept. 1897...	Ditto	160	25 July, 1860
Ditto	Scott, Walter	4 June, 1896...	Ditto	160	4 June, 1896
Ditto	Weber, Adolph	19 Nov. 1901...	Ditto	145	19 Nov. 1901
Ditto	Propsting, Gerald Leslie	1 Jan. 1904...	Ditto	90	1 Jan. 1904
Draftsman (Junior)	Weber, Otto Maseyk	1 June, 1904...	Ditto	50	1 June, 1904
Draftsman (Launceston)	Garrard, Thomas (2)	13 Aug. 1890...	Ditto	110	1 June, 1880

(1) Service not continuous. (2) Also Mines Department, £115.

Mining.

Chief Draftsman	Roper, Osmund	1 Jan. 1902...	Governor in Council	250	1 June, 1880
Draftsman	Turner, Lewis (1)	3 Mar. 1891...	Ditto	200	2 Jan. 1884
Ditto	Oldmeadow, Alfred Kenelm	4 June, 1896...	Ditto	150	4 June, 1896
Messenger	Vincent, Millist, jun. (2)	22 Aug. 1902...	Ditto	50	1 Feb. 1888

(1) Service not continuous. (2) Also Statistical Department, £50; Quarters, £20.

MINES DEPARTMENT.

Secretary for Mines and Commissioner of Mines	Wallace, William Henry (1)	1 Jan. 1898...	Governor in Council	400	1 July, 1882
Chief Clerk	Pretyman, William Arthur	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	250	1 July, 1882
Registrar of Mines	Elliott, Henry Mark (2) (15)	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	210	1 Jan. 1867
Clerk, Cashier, & Accountant	Bryan, Alfred Brock	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	210	19 Sept. 1887
Engrossing Clerk	Haden, Alexander Bunn	1 Jan 1898...	Ditto	190	3 Sept. 1891
Clerk	Green, Charles (18)	1 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	150	4 June, 1896
Ditto	Smith, William Arthur...	4 June, 1896...	Ditto	120	4 June, 1896
Junior Clerk	Piggott, John Peters	11 July, 1902...	Ditto	80	12 Sept. 1898
Launceston.					
Commissioner of Mines, Launceston, North, and North-Eastern Division	Hall, Edward Laret (1) (5)	1 Jan. 1902..	Ditto	150	1 Jan. 1892
Registrar of Mines	Sams, Louis Robert (3)...	14 Feb. 1896...	Ditto	125	13 Mar. 1882
Clerk and Draftsman	Garrard, Thomas (4)	1 Jan. 1883...	Ditto	115	1 June, 1880
Clerk	Smith, Arthur Garnett (14)	11 July, 1891...	Ditto	117	11 July, 1891
Government Geologist and Chief Inspector of Mines	Twelvetrees, William Harper (1)	4 Aug. 1899...	Ditto	500	4 Aug. 1899
Clerk and Draftsman	Grove, Frank Sneyd (2)	10 Feb. 1900...	Ditto	175	7 Jan. 1889
North-Western Division.					
Registrar of Mines, Moorina	Bomford, Francis Edward (8)	14 July, 1882...	Ditto	50	12 May, 1882
Ditto, Gladstone	Dickinson, Augusta Louisa (11)	28 April, 1890...	Ditto	15	28 April, 1890
Inspector of Mines	Griffin, Michael Joseph...	26 Jan. 1898...	Ditto	350	1 Oct. 1888
Eastern Division.					
Registrar of Mines and Clerk	Soutar, Allan (10)	1 Jan. 1902...	Ditto	45	11 Mar. 1897
North-Western Division.					
Registrar of Mines, Waratah	Donohue, Jas. (12)	16 Aug. 1901...	Ditto	15	1 Aug. 1901
Western Division.					
Commissioner of Mines	Chambers, Lloyd Eld (1) (2) (9)	1 Aug. 1901...	Ditto	100	1 July, 1878
Registrar, Zeehan	Goldsmid, Everard Vaughan (17)	1 Oct. 1893...	Ditto	100	24 Sept. 1890
Registrar of Mines, Queenstown	Rule, Thomas Edwin (16)	1 Aug. 1901...	Ditto	75	1 Mar. 1884
Inspector of Mines, Zeehan	Harrison, James (1) (13) (6)	26 Oct. 1891...	Ditto	250	26 Oct. 1891
Inspector of Mines, Queenstown	Curtain, Cornelius Henry	19 July, 1904...	Governor in Council	250	1 Feb. 1901

(1) Travelling Expenses. (2) Service not continuous. (3) Also Clerk in charge Lands Office, £125, and Registrar of Births, Launceston, £20. (4) Also Clerk and Draftsman, Lands Office, £110. (5) Also Commissioner Court of Requests, Launceston, &c., £400. (6) Also forage allowance, £50 per annum. (8) Also Registrar Court of Requests, £25. (9) Also Stipendiary Magistrate, £250. (10) Also Registrar Court of Requests and Clerk of Petty Sessions, £75. (11) Also Postmistress, &c., Gladstone, £70. (12) Also £16, Registrar Court of Requests, Waratah, and Police Department, £96. 13) Also Inspector of Works, Western Division, £75. (14) Also Clerk Lands Office, £28. (15) Also Examiner and Chairman of the Board of Examiners under "The Merchant Ships Officers Examination Act," £50. (16) Also Registrar Court of Requests, £75. (2) Also Police Clerk, £120; Registrar Births, £43. 18) Temporary Staff Public Works, 13 March, 1889.

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AGRICULTURAL AND STOCK DEPARTMENT.					
Secretary and Chief Inspector	Tabart, Thomas Alfred (1)	1 June, 1885	Governor in Council	400	16 Nov. 1870
Chief Clerk	Black, Raleigh Adelbert (3)	1 July, 1902	Ditto	120	25 July, 1898
Entomologist	Lea, Arthur Mills	20 Feb. 1899	Ministerial	225	20 Feb. 1899
Inspector	Fletcher, Melmoth	6 Nov. 1870	Governor in Council	125	16 Nov. 1870
Caretaker and Poultry Expert, "Nubeena"	Terry, Robert John (2)	1 Nov. 1899	Ditto	200	1 Nov. 1899
Assistant Caretaker, "Nubeena"	Bowen, Percy James (2)	1 Sept. 1904	Ditto	52	1 Sept. 1904
Caretaker, Middle Island	Wood, Charles G. (2)	17 Mar. 1884	Ditto	80	17 Mar. 1884

Inspectors of Imported and Exported Stock are appointed for the Ports of Hobart and Launceston, and North-West Coast, at salaries ranging from £20 to £35 per annum.

(1) £100 salary under "The Codlin Moth Act" included. (2) Allowance, £65. (3) Inspector under "The Vegetation Diseases Act."

COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURE.

Secretary and Editor *Agricultural Gazette*, Inspector Manure Adulteration Act, Inspector Vegetation Diseases Act	Evans, Leslie Arthur (2) (1)	16 Jan. 1893	Governor in Council	175	16 Jan. 1892
Agricultural Expert	Colbourn, Henry James (2)	1 June, 1900	Ditto	210	1 June, 1900
Dairy Instructor	Conlon, Augustus (2)	1 June, 1900	Ditto	260	1 June, 1900

(1) £50 Allowance. (2) Appointed by Council of Agriculture on 9th January, 1903.

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

GENERAL OFFICES.

General Manager	McCormick, John M.	1 Aug. 1903	Governor in Council	800	1 Feb. 1884
Chief Accountant	Lovett, William Henry	1 July, 1882	Ditto	490	7 Jan. 1869
Cashier, Launceston	Weedon, Aubrey	1 Sept. 1880	Ditto	365	3 Aug. 1872
Ditto, Hobart	Todd, John	1 Oct. 1890	Ditto	310	1 Oct. 1890
Engineer of Existing Lines and Resident Engineer	Nairn, Chas. Cameron	1 Oct. 1890	Ditto	520	1 Oct. 1890
Resident Engineer, Launceston	Hales, William Prior	8 Feb. 1892	Ditto	400	8 Feb. 1892
Clerk, Engineer's	Smith, Chas. C.	1 Jan. 1902	Ditto	150	20 Nov. 1901
Ditto	Lane, Alfred James	26 Nov. 1900	Ditto	130	26 Nov. 1900
Ditto	Searl, Chas. J.	8 Mar. 1899	Ditto	107	8 Mar. 1899
Ditto (Junior)	Pillinger, Jas. A.	1 Nov. 1905	Ditto	40	13 Mar. 1900
Chief Mechanical Engineer	Deeble, William Rufus	1 July, 1898	Ditto	515	1 Oct. 1890
Draftsman	Lowe, Robert D.	23 April, 1900	Ditto	97	23 April, 1900
Ditto	Curtis, William Oscar	6 Oct, 1896	Ditto	170	19 May, 1888
Ditto	Mason, Wm. Hofland	7 Jan, 1891	Ditto	210	Jan. 1891
Timekeeper	Baillie, Wm. Frederick	9 Dec. 1901	Ditto	140	Feb. 1898
Ditto	Ward, Wm. H.	30 Dec. 1905	Ditto	97	23 Nov. 1899
Clerk	Fisher, Hy. Robinson	10 Feb. 1903	Ditto	140	4 June, 1891
Ditto	Maddox, E. L.	20 Mar. 1902	Ditto	50	20 Mar. 1902
Ditto (Junior)	Tolson, Tasman E.	29 July, 1905	Ditto	40	13 Mar. 1904
Superintendent of Telegraphs	M'Donald, John Jas. (1)	1 May, 1891	Ditto	200	21 Nov. 1862
Fitter, Telegraph Department	Harris, James Henry	1 May, 1891	Ditto	12s. a day	1 May, 1891
Overseer Telegraph Lines	M'Donald, Allan	19 May, 1891	Ditto	12s. a day	19 May, 1891
Assistant Overseer Telegraph Lines	Smith, William Henry	1 May, 1891	Ditto	11s. a day	11 May, 1891
Storekeeper	Fisher, Samuel Richard	1 Oct. 1890	Ditto	320	1 Oct. 1890
Assistant Storekeeper	Frazer, Hugh Roberts	1 July, 1875	Ditto	230	1 July, 1875
Chief Traffic Inspector	Mann, Samuel	1 Oct. 1890	Ditto	20s. per diem	26 July, 1886
Clerk	Donnelly, Sylvester H.	2 June, 1902	Ditto	150	5 Jan. 1895
Ditto	Proctor, Russell Claude	6 Jan. 1903	Ditto	102	5 April, 1900
Ditto	Bessell, Chas. H.	18 April, 1904	Ditto	140	Aug. 1886
Ditto	Shephard, C. M.	28 Sept. 1904	Ditto	40	26 Sept. 1904
Medical Officer	Willmott, R.	1 April, 1897	Ditto	53	1 April, 1897
Secretary	Winterson, Alfred John	1 Oct. 1890	Ditto	365	1 Oct. 1890
Clerk (Chief), General Manager's Office	Emmett, Evelyn Temple	1 Oct. 1890	Ditto	215	1 Oct. 1890
Clerk, ditto	Good, Chas. Goode	18 Sept. 1889	Ditto	185	24 July, 1889
Ditto	Parkes, Frederick	10 April, 1896	Ditto	175	27 Nov. 1893
Ditto	Harrison, Chas. Hardwicke	11 Aug. 1883	Ditto	225	11 Aug. 1883
Ditto	Reeves, Wilfred A.	23 Nov. 1901	Ditto	87	21 Dec. 1899
Ditto	Smith, Benjamin G.	3 Sept. 1900	Ditto	87	3 Sept. 1900
Ditto	Lane, A. B.	22 May, 1900	Ditto	77	7 Feb. 1900
Ditto	Wilkinson, A. G.	10 Feb. 1903	Ditto	115	31 May, 1897
Ditto	Terry, R. G.	11 Dec. 1905	Ditto	30	11 Dec. 1905

(1) *Vide* Post and Telegraph Department.

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Chief Audit Clerk	Barnes, Philip Norman...	1 July, 1882...	Governor in Council ..	245 ...	1 Oct. 1877
Audit Clerk	Whittington, George	1 Oct. 1890...	Ditto	225 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Ditto	Boyes, Charles Edward...	8 Mar. 1891...	Ditto	200 ...	1 July, 1882
Ditto	Bailey, Keith B.	25 April, 1901...	Ditto	87 ...	25 April, 1901
Ditto	Harvey, Frank	23 Nov. 1900...	Ditto	77 ...	23 Nov. 1900
Ditto	Spong, Ronald William...	22 Sept. 1885...	Ditto	170 ...	22 Sept. 1885
Ditto	Crawford, William H. ...	18 May, 1895...	Ditto	170 ...	1 Feb. 1886
Ditto	Harrison, George E.	1 July, 1897...	Ditto	170 ...	16 June, 1885
Ditto	Fisher, William Henry...	28 July, 1902...	Ditto	160 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Ditto	Hood, Chas. Andrew	23 Aug. 1898...	Ditto	120 ...	17 Jan. 1898
Ditto	Moat, Arthur	22 Feb. 1897...	Ditto	150 ...	22 Feb. 1897
Ditto	Henderson, Fred. Richd.	1 Jan. 1897...	Ditto	165 ...	15 April, 1891
Ditto	Heathorn, Percy	15 Dec. 1898...	Ditto	130 ...	9 Dec. 1895
Ditto	Birch, Ernest Charles ...	8 Mar. 1897...	Ditto	110 ...	8 Mar. 1897
Ditto	Weaver, Arthur	24 Aug. 1898...	Ditto	100 ...	10 April, 1895
Ditto	Jones, J. D.	30 June, 1902...	Ditto	87 ...	30 June, 1902
Ditto	Steele, Chas. Gilbert	27 Nov. 1899...	Ditto	97 ...	27 Nov. 1899
Ditto	Woolnough, Clarence	3 July, 1902...	Ditto	77 ...	16 April, 1902
Ditto	Manton, Percy R. O.	9 Nov. 1904...	Ditto	40 ...	9 Nov. 1904
Ditto	Winterson, W.	1 Nov. 1905...	Ditto	30 ...	1 Nov. 1905
Messenger	Hughes, D. S.	28 Nov. 1905...	Ditto	10s. a week ...	13 Oct. 1904
Stores Clerk (Chief)	Rollins, Charles	30 Mar. 1891...	Ditto	160 ...	30 Mar. 1891
Stores Clerk	Rapp, Albert	5 Sept. 1899...	Ditto	120 ...	9 Feb. 1897
Ditto	Cook, Thomas F.	Aug. 1900...	Ditto	120 ...	Aug. 1900
Ditto	Whittington, Arthur C...	10 April, 1901...	Ditto	77 ...	10 April, 1901
Ditto	Barrett, Henry	1 Feb. 1897...	Ditto	6/6 a day ...	2 Feb. 1896
Ditto	Dodds, Norman	1 Jan. 1899...	Ditto	135 ...	1 Feb. 1897
Ditto	Hudson, John Lambert...	28 July, 1902...	Ditto	105 ...	9 April, 1900
Ditto	Horne, William	1 Oct. 1893...	Ditto	210 ...	15 Feb. 1892
Ditto	Whittington, H. R.	17 Nov. 1899...	Ditto	97 ...	17 Nov. 1899
Ditto (Cashier's)	Norman, Leslie	20 Mar. 1897...	Ditto	125 ...	19 June, 1893
Junior Clerk (Cashier's)...	Packer, H. E.	13 Mar. 1905...	Ditto	30 ...	13 Mar. 1905
TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT.					
Main Line.					
Hobart.					
Station Master	Tracey, Michael A. (1)....	8 Sept. 1898...	Governor in Council...	250 ...	1 April, 1883
Booking Clerk	Russell, Edgar W.	18 May, 1895...	Ditto	145 ...	6 Sept. 1890
Ditto	Robertson, H. E.	23 May, 1904...	Ditto	135 ...	21 Nov. 1894
Parcels Clerk	Bessell, W. E.	24 Feb. 1903...	Ditto	120 ...	15 Mar. 1898
Ditto	Carroll, Harry	29 June, 1897...	Ditto	140 ...	9 May, 1892
Operator	Whight, George P.	17 Feb. 1897...	Ditto	157 ...	17 Feb. 1897
Ditto	McBain, A. R.	18 Nov. 1904...	Ditto	72 ...	17 Feb. 1900
Ditto	Goodrick, C. H.	23 June, 1903...	Ditto	50 ...	3 Jan. 1902
Ditto	Donnelly, J. F.	23 May, 1904...	Ditto	40 ...	23 May, 1904
Goods Agent	Colvin, John M. (2)	3 Sept. 1891...	Ditto	275 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Chief Clerk	Seager, Alfred George ...	3 Sept. 1891...	Ditto	175 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Clerk	Stuart, Ernest	1 Oct. 1890...	Ditto	175 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Ditto	Wakeham, William	8 Oct. 1891...	Ditto	150 ...	26 June, 1891
Ditto	Young, Henry J.	29 Feb. 1892...	Ditto	140 ...	29 Feb. 1892
Ditto	Jones, Charles C.	29 May, 1897...	Ditto	107 ...	7 Jan. 1897
Ditto	Henderson, W. B.	18 April, 1904...	Ditto	150 ...	12 Feb. 1891
Ditto	Steele, J. E.	4 Mar. 1903...	Ditto	97 ...	Mar. 1899
Junior Clerk	Robinson, H. D.	23 June, 1903...	Ditto	40 ...	21 Feb. 1903
New Town.					
Station Master	Johnston, E.	1 Sept. 1904...	Ditto	115 ...	13 July, 1889
Glenorchy.					
Station Master	Bessell, A. H.	2 June, 1902...	Ditto	120 ...	4 Nov. 1890
Claremont.					
Station Master	Fleming, C. E. (3)	9 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	100 ...	11 April, 1892
South Bridgewater.					
Station Master	Parr, H. J. M	10 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	100 ...	12 Dec. 1890
Bridgewater Junction.					
Station Master	M'Villy, W. H. (3)	2 May, 1904...	Ditto	160 ...	12 Mar. 1890
Brighton Junction.					
Station Master	Fleming, T. J.	30 Oct. 1904...	Ditto	130 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Campania.					
Station Master	Adams, A. C.	2 June, 1902...	Ditto	140 ...	6 June, 1889
Colebrook.					
Station Master	Fox, Chas. L. (3).....	1 Oct. 1890...	Ditto	160 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Parattah.					
Station Master	Fahey, Francis, J. (3) ...	2 May, 1904...	Ditto	150 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Antill Ponds.					
Station Master	Mitchell, W.	7 Nov. 1904...	Ditto	100 ...	24 Oct. 1900
Tunbridge.					
Station Master	Johnson, A. A.	19 Dec. 1905...	Ditto	100 ...	30 Nov. 1898
Ross.					
Station Master	Fielding, Harry J.	6 May, 1885...	Ditto	170 ...	Mar. 1876
Campbell Town.					
Station Master	Skeels, Thomas	28 April, 1889...	Ditto	130 ...	16 Aug. 1887
Conara Junction.					
Station Master	Duff, Peter	13 April, 1901...	Ditto	141 ...	28 Nov. 1887
Epping Forest.					
Station Master	Fox, B. F.	18 April, 1903...	Ditto	107 ...	26 May, 1888

(1) Quarters. (2) Also £52 in lieu of quarters. (3) Also Postmaster.

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Evandale.					
Station Master	Pogue, A. G.	3 Feb. 1902...	Governor in Council ..	107 ...	1 Sept. 1890
Launceston.					
Station Master	Abey, John R.	1 April 1889...	Ditto	285 ...	19 June, 1880
Booking Clerk	Sharman, Edward B.	15 Aug. 1894...	Ditto	150 ...	12 June, 1889
Ditto	Tolson, William V.	23 June, 1902...	Ditto	110 ...	24 Jan. 1898
Parcels Clerk	Robertson, J. H.	15 May, 1897...	Ditto	120 ...	20 Nov. 1894
Ditto	Bessell, F. H.	23 Nov. 1900...	Ditto	105 ...	9 Mar. 1896
Operator (Chief)	Harris, Henry E. H.	27 Jan. 1892...	Ditto	150 ...	27 Jan. 1892
Clerk	Gibb, John	18 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	92 ...	27 Oct. 1899
Ditto	Lay, Claud C.	17 July, 1905...	Ditto	55 ...	10 Dec. 1903
Ditto	Wheeler, Reginald R.	18 Nov. 1904...	Ditto	77 ...	23 Jan. 1900
Ditto	O'Reilly, James	4 Feb. 1904...	Ditto	67 ...	22 Mar. 1901
Goods Agent	Huxtable, E.	28 April, 1903...	Ditto	245 ...	1 Jan. 1885
Chief Clerk	Pybus, Leonard T.	3 Feb. 1902...	Ditto	160 ...	25 Sept. 1891
Clerk	Jones, F. J.	5 June, 1889...	Ditto	150 ...	5 June, 1889
Ditto	Jowett, Robert S.	27 June, 1892...	Ditto	150 ...	25 Feb. 1889
Ditto	Huxtable, E. J.	4 Mar. 1897...	Ditto	120 ...	4 Mar. 1897
Ditto	Bird, R. S.	30 April, 1904...	Ditto	105 ...	24 Feb. 1899
Ditto	Moore, Robert J.	11 April, 1905...	Ditto	5/6 a day ...	5 Sept. 1904
Ditto	Gittus, H.	28 Nov. 1905...	Ditto	110 ...	10 Oct. 1899
Ditto	Dyer, I. G.	9 Dec. 1905...	Ditto	105 ...	22 Dec. 1898
St. Leonards.					
Station Master	Brockett, Theed W.	28 May, 1900...	Ditto	115 ...	1 Feb. 1891
Evandale Junction.					
Station Master	Croft, Fredk. (1)	11 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	160 ...	1 Oct. 1890
Perth.					
Station Master	Fox, L. A.	10 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	100 ...	1 July, 1897
Longford.					
Station Master	Heyward, Richard	15 June, 1891...	Ditto	160 ...	23 April, 1887
Clerk	White, R.	24 Nov. 1903...	Ditto	50 ...	15 Dec. 1902
Bishopsbourne.					
Station Master	Harris, V. C. S.	19 Dec. 1905...	Ditto	120 ...	20 Jan. 1880
Hagley.					
Station Master	Tolland, J.	12 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	115 ...	29 Sept. 1891
Westbury.					
Station Master	Whittles, Willie	8 Dec. 1898...	Ditto	110 ...	9 Aug. 1897
Exton.					
Station Master	Tolson, A. J.	31 Aug. 1904...	Ditto	110 ...	15 April, 1895
Deloraine.					
Station Master	Woolnough, S. P.	1 Nov. 1904...	Ditto	170 ...	13 Dec. 1888
Clerk	Webb, H.	28 Nov. 1905...	Ditto	120 ...	1 Sept. 1904
Chudleigh Junction.					
Station Master	Bye, Hy.	23 June, 1902...	Ditto	120 ...	9 April, 1891
Dunorlan.					
Station Master	Jensen, Carl Franz	25 Feb. 1905...	Ditto	115 ...	9 Sept. 1889
Kimberley.					
Station Master	Peacock, J. J.	17 June, 1903...	Ditto	110 ...	28 Jan. 1896
Railton.					
Station Master	Baggott, James	13 April, 1901...	Ditto	130 ...	2 Dec. 1891
Clerk	Hughes, W. R.	7 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	30 ...	30 Mar. 1903
Latrobe.					
Station Master	Abey, Wm. Arthur	8 Sept. 1898...	Ditto	160 ...	20 May, 1886
Clerk	Jordan, R. C.	18 July, 1903...	Ditto	92 ...	3 April, 1900
Devonport.					
Station Master	Dowling, Leonard John..	8 Sept. 1898...	Ditto	200 ...	1 Oct. 1884
Chief Clerk	Larner, Albert Victor	24 July, 1902...	Ditto	145 ...	1 Nov. 1898
Clerk	Cooper, P. W.	24 April, 1903...	Ditto	107 ...	5 April, 1897
Ditto	Blakeney, C. G.	25 May, 1904...	Ditto	107 ...	11 Jan. 1899
Ditto	M'Ennulty, J. O.	8 April, 1904...	Ditto	60 ...	9 Oct. 1902
Junior Clerk	Wyatt, A. V.	8 April, 1904...	Ditto	40 ...	8 April, 1904
Messenger	Davey, C.	26 Jan. 1903...	Ditto	10s. a week ...	26 Jan. 1903
Leith.					
Station Master	M'Donald, George	17 April, 1903...	Ditto	100 ...	10 May, 1893
Ulverstone.					
Station Master	Wells, H. E.	19 Mar. 1900...	Ditto	160 ...	7 Sept. 1887
Penguin.					
Station Master	Thomas, Jno. Wm.	13 April, 1901...	Ditto	120 ...	21 Dec. 1891
Burnie.					
Station Master	Bessell, A. T.	11 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	160 ...	1 Mar. 1886

Guards, Porters, Shunters, &c., from 3s. 3d. to 10s. 6d. per day.

(1) Also Postmaster.

Scottsdale Line.

Lilydale.					
Station Master	Bessell, Geo.	21 Jan. 1905...	Governor in Council...	160 ...	2 Jan. 1873
Junior Clerk	Smith, James	30 April, 1904...	Ditto	40 ...	30 April, 1904
Scottsdale.					
Station Master	Robertson, J.	29 April, 1903...	Ditto	180 ...	4 Dec. 1874
Junior Clerk	M'Ennulty, G. E.	8 April, 1904...	Ditto	40 ...	8 April, 1904

Porters in charge, Guards, and Porters, from 3s. 3d. to 8s. per day.

MINISTER OF LANDS AND WORKS—*continued.*

Office.	Name.	Date of Appointment to present Office.	By whom appointed and under what Instrument.	Annual Salary.	Date of First Appointment under Government.
				£	

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT—*continued.*

Fingal Line.

Avoca.					
Station Master	Dyer, A. R.	11 July, 1905...	Governor in Council...	105 ...	9 June, 1897
Fingal.					
Station Master	Raley, T. R.	23 Oct. 1903...	Ditto	150 ...	14 Mar. 1887
St. Marys.					
Station Master	Tabart, Fred G.	28 May, 1900...	Ditto	140 ...	18 Aug. 1890
Messenger	Lohrey, C. E.	20 Nov. 1905...	Ditto	5s. a week ...	20 Nov. 1905

Guards and Porters, from 3s. 3d. to 8s. 6d. per day.

Derwent Valley Line.

New Norfolk.					
Station Master	Gillett, John (1)	1 July, 1897...	Governor in Council...	130 ...	12 Sept. 1888
Plenty.					
Station Master	Marshall, M. A.	20 April, 1905...	Ditto	95 ...	27 Feb. 1901
Macquarie Plains.					
Station Master	Joyce, John	28 Mar. 1892...	Ditto	140 ...	1 July, 1887
Glenora.					
Station Master	Howell, H. C.	21 Oct. 1903...	Ditto	100 ...	21 Mar. 1898

Guards, Signalmen, and Porters, from 4s. to 8s. 6d. per day.

(1) Also Postmaster.

Apsley Line.

Kempton.					
Station Master	Sibley, A. H.	22 May, 1901...	Governor in Council...	107 ...	Mar. 1891
Apsley.					
Station Master	Bullock, Geo.	11 Mar. 1904...	Ditto	107 ...	26 May, 1888

Sorell Line.

Bellerive.					
Station Master	Blee, Robert	28 April, 1899...	Governor in Council...	130 ...	23 April, 1896
Sorell.					
Station Master	Burke, Daniel Fred.	1 Nov. 1892...	Ditto	130 ...	1 Aug. 1885

Strahan-Zeehan Line.

Strahan.					
Station Master	Bantoft, Wm. Henry (1)	3 Feb. 1903...	Governor in Council...	145 ...	14 May, 1888
Clerk	Nicholson, Thomas	28 Jan. 1892...	Ditto	160 ...	16 Aug. 1887
Watchman	Wyman, Thomas John	10 April, 1905...	Ditto	6s. per diem ...	28 Jan. 1892
Storeman	Bagshaw, Joseph	22 Jan. 1897...	Ditto	10s. per diem ...	22 Jan. 1897
West Strahan.					
Clerk	Rider, Frederick Wm.	19 Oct. 1904...	Ditto	100 ...	20 Mar. 1896
Silver Bell.					
Station Master	Weatherhead, L. S. P.	19 Oct. 1904...	Ditto	150 ...	22 Dec. 1890
Clerk	McKay, H. J.	24 Aug. 1905...	Ditto	106 ...	18 Nov. 1899
Zeehan.					
Principal Station Master and Traffic Inspector	Parry, Thomas Stanton..	27 Oct. 1898...	Ditto	300 ...	1 Jan. 1873
Clerk	Lumsden, Arthur	23 Nov. 1898...	Ditto	150 ...	24 Sept. 1891
Ditto	Peck, L. W.	25 April, 1903...	Ditto	125 ...	2 Mar. 1896
Ditto	Blyth, John	20 Jan. 1903...	Ditto	92 ...	16 April, 1901
Ditto	Beamish, H. C.	1 Dec. 1905...	Ditto	92 ...	24 Oct. 1903

Mt. Dundas and Zeehan Line.

Dundas.					
Station Master	Sullivan, D. J. (1)	31 Dec., 1904...	Governor in Council...	120 ...	2 April, 1895

Relieving Staff.

Relieving Station Master	Fleming, Jas. Geo.	22 April, 1901...	Governor in Council...	105 ...	17 Jan. 1898
Ditto	Connor, Eldred H.	2 Jan. 1902...	Ditto	115 ...	30 Mar. 1896
Ditto	Parsons, A. J.	3 Feb. 1903...	Ditto	125 ...	22 Dec. 1892
Ditto	Fletcher, J. W.	7 June, 1904...	Ditto	150 ...	17 Dec. 1888

PERMANENT WAY DEPARTMENT.

Inspectors, Foremen, Carpenters, Painters, Gangers, Platelayers, Fencers, and Labourers, from 5s. 6d. to 12s. 6d. a day.

LOCOMOTIVE DEPARTMENT—ALL LINES.

Fitters, Turners, Carpenters, Painters, Blacksmiths, Storemen, Enginemen, Firemen, Cleaners, Strikers, Labourers, and Apprentices, from 3s. 6d. to 15s. per diem.

(1) Also Postmaster.

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CENSUS, 1901.

POPULATION, DWELLINGS, LAND.

Population.—General Summary.

Table I.—*Population of Tasmania and its Dependencies on 31st March, 1901.*

	Numerical.			Centesimal.		
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
Total Population enumerated ...	172,475	89,624	82,851	100·00	51·96	48·04
				Total.		
Chinese	482	23	505			
H. C. Chinese.....	54	49	103			
Other Alien Coloured Races...	60	22	82	847		
H. C. Aboriginals	79	78	157			

Dwellings.—General Summary.

Table II.—*Habitations in Tasmania on the 31st March, 1901.*

Number of Dwellings.	Numerical.	Centesimal.	Number of Dwellings.	Numerical.	Centesimal.
Classified according to Occupation.			*Houses.*		
Total	36,470	...	Total	36,470	...
Total specified.....	36,470	100·00	Total specified..... ...	33,838	100·00
Inhabited Houses	32,059	87·91	One Room—		
Inhabited Stores, Offices, and Public Buildings.....	1093	3·00	Brick, Stone, Iron, &c.	717	2·11
Inhabited Tents	1013	2·78	Huts, Tents, &c	2245	6·64
Uninhabited Houses	2187	5·99	Two Rooms.....	3529	10·43
Being built	118	0·32	Three and Four Rooms ...	13,028	38·50
Materials.			Five and Six Rooms	8193	24·22
Total	36,470	...	Seven & under Ten Rooms	4158	12·28
Total specified.....	33,885	100·00	Ten and over	1968	5·82
			Unspecified.....	2632	...
Brick or Stone	8059	23·79	*Aggregate Rooms.*		
Wood, Iron, and Lath and Plaster.....	23,653	69·80	Total	167,198	...
Slab, Bark, Mud, &c.....	1304	3·84	Total specified.....	164,567	100·00
Canvas, Linen, Calico, &c.	869	2·57	One Room—		
Unspecified.....	2585	...	Brick, Stone, Iron, &c..	717	0·43
			Huts, Tents, &c.	2245	1·36
			Two Rooms	7058	4·28
			Three and Four Rooms...	50,926	30·95
			Five and Six Rooms	44,693	27·16
			Seven & under Ten Rooms	32,158	19·54
			Ten and over	26,770	16·28
			Unspecified.....	2631	...
Total Number of Assessments.			*Aggregate Amount of Assessment.*		
Total	36,470	...	Total	£611,806	...
Total specified	33,814	100·00	Total specified	£609,150	100·00
Under £10.....	10,724	31·72	Under £10	52,861	8·68
£10 to £20	11,760	34·78	£10 to £20.....	153,856	25·26
£20 to £30	6099	18·05	£20 to £30	138,933	22·81
£30 to £40	2386	7·06	£30 to £40	77,421	12·71
£40 to £50	1119	3·30	£40 to £50.....	46,931	7·70
£50 to £60	714	2·11	£50 to £60	36,712	6·03
£60 to £70	288	0·85	£60 to £70.....	17,675	2·90
£70 to £80	206	0·61	£70 to £80.....	14,897	2·44
£80 to £90	122	0·36	£80 to £90	9796	1·61
£90 to £100	45	0·13	£90 to £100	4094	0·67
£100 and over	351	1·03	£100 and over	55,974	9·19
Unspecified.....	2656	...	Unspecified.....	2656	...

Population and Dwellings.—General Summary.

Table III.—*Inhabitants and Dwellings in Tasmania on the 31st March, 1901.*

Numerical.

Dwellers in				Travellers and persons sleeping under drays and camping out.	Persons in ships.	Migratory.	Total persons.
Brick, stone, wood, or lath and plaster buildings.	Slab, bark, or mud huts.	Tents and dwellings with canvas roofs.	Habitations of unspecified materials.				
166,528	2567	1710	205	77	1388	...	172,475

Centesimal.

96·56	1·49	0·99	0·12	0·04	0·80	...	100·00

Proportion of the Sexes, Density of Population, and Houses at Successive Census Periods.

Table IV.—*Number of Females to 100 Males, and Number of Persons to the Square Mile, at the period of each Enumeration from 1841 to 1901, also Number of Persons to the Inhabited House, and of Inhabited Houses to the Square Mile.*

Date of Enumeration.	No. of Females to 100 Males.	Number of Persons to the Square Mile.	Number of Persons to the Inhabited Dwelling.	Number of Inhabited Dwellings to the Square Mile.
27 September, 1841	45·54	1·92	7·32	·26
31 December, 1847	46·70	2·68	7·37	·36
1 March, 1851	59·06	2·68	6·25	·43
31 March. 1857	75·98	3·11	5·71	·55
7 April, 1861	81·43	3·43	5·12	·67
7 February, 1870	84·73	3·79	5·50	·69
3 April, 1881	89·18	4·39	5·26	·83
5 April, 1891	89·12	5·60	5·23	1·07
31 March, 1901	92·44	6·58	5·05	1·30

Increase of Population, 1841–1901.

Table V.—*Showing the Increase or Decrease of the Population at successive Census Periods*, 1841–1901.

Date of Enumeration.	Interval between each Enumeration. (Years.)	Total Population.			Increase or Decrease.					
					Actual since previous Census.			Percentage since previous Census.		Percentage since 1841.
		Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Decennial Rate.	Annual Rate.	Annual Rate.
1841—27 September[a]	—	50,216	34,504	15,712	—	—	—	—	—	—
1847—31 December[b]	6·26	70,164	47,828	22,336	19,948	13,324	6624	63·46	5·45	5·45
1851— 1 March[c]	3·14	70,130	43,127	25,482	—34	—4701	3146	—0·15	—0·001	3·62
1857—31 March[d]	6·08	81,492	45,916	34,886	11,362	2789	9404	26·64	2·50	3·18
1861— 7 April	4·02	89,977	49,593	40,384	8485	3677	5498	25·91	2·44	3·02
1870— 7 February	8·84	99,328	52,853	46,475	9351	3260	6091	11·76	1·13	2·44
1881— 3 April[e]	11·15	115,705	61,162	54,543	16,377	9309	8068	14·78	1·38	2·14
1891— 5 April	10·01	146,667	77,560	69,107	30,962	16,408	14,564	26·73	2·36	2·18
1901—31 March	9·98	172,475	89,624	82,851	25,808	12,064	13,744	17·60	1·64	2·09
Total Increase in 59·48 years	—	—	—	—	122,259	55,120	67,139	243·40	—	2·09

[a] The figures for 1841, as published in *Gazette*, are full of errors which cannot now be corrected, and should therefore be used with great caution.

[b] The figures (Persons) for 1847 include 2246 military, women, and children; also 3739 male convicts on public works.

[c] „ „ 1851 „ 953 „ „ „ „ 568 convicts, sex not d. tinguished.

[d] „ „ 1857 „ 630 „ „ „

[e] The discrepancy in the number of brick and stone houses in 1870 and 1881 arises from a large number of residents in country districts failing to give definite descriptions.

Census 1901.—Distribution and Density of Population.

Table VI.—*Return showing the Distribution and Density of the Population in the various Electoral, Municipal and Police, and Registration Districts of Tasmania, on 31st March, 1901.*

BY ELECTORAL BOUNDARIES.				BY MUNICIPAL AND POLICE DISTRICT BOUNDARIES.				BY REGISTRATION BOUNDARIES.			
District.	Area in Square Miles.	Population Census 1901.	Persons per Square Mile.	District.	Area in Square Miles.	Population Census 1901.	Persons per Square Mile.	District.	Area in Square Miles.	Population Census 1901.	Persons per Square Mile.
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION.											
Evandale	431·50	3353	7·77	Evandale	386·75	2030	5·24	Beaconsfield	92·50	3308	35·38
Fingal	1536·96	5831	3·79	Fingal	1122·00	4108	3·66	Fingal	1117·96	4028	3·60
Launceston	5·38	18,022	3349·81	Launceston (City)	5·38	18,022	3349·81	George Town	85·75	448	5·22
George Town	431·00	4896	11·36	George Town	431·00	4896	11·36	Lefroy	253·75	1140	4·49
Ringarooma	2057·50	5592	2·72	Portland	638·50	1723	2·69	Launceston	378·25	21,180	55·99
Selby	494·25	4860	9·83	Ringarooma	1808·50	5592	3·09	Lilydale	130·00	1702	13·09
Longford	131·75	3106	23·57	Selby	574·75	6819	10·77	Evandale	431·50	3353	7·77
Cressy	340·00	2173	6·39	Westbury	466·50	4721	10·12	Portland	423·00	1803	4·26
Westbury	358·50	4144	11·56					Ringarooma	2055·50	5592	2·70
								Westbury	218·75	3289	15·03
								Frankford	140·75	855	6·07
Total North-Eastern Division	5786·84	51,977	89·82	*Total North-Eastern Division*	5433·38	47,911	8·70	*Total North-Eastern Division*	5327·71	46,698	8·76
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION.											
Deloraine	825·75	4969	6·01	Deloraine	629·00	5496	8·73	Deloraine	825·75	4969	6·01
Devonport	296·25	7685	25·95	Devon West	883·00	6668	7·55	Emu Bay	178·00	3153	17·71
Devon West	773·00	7483	9·68	Emu Bay	1868·75	7956	4·25	Waratah	2061·50	1714	0·83
Wellington	1527·95	5565	3·81	Latrobe	219·75	3573	16·26	Stanley	530·00	2108	3·97
Latrobe	213·25	3490	16·36	Mersey	537·00	7900	14·71	Montagu	627·70	617	0·98
Waratah	2254·25	4867	2·15	Russell	1549·20	2543	1·64	Mersey	161·25	4342	26·93
								Port Sorell	129·25	564	4·36
								Port Frederick	31·50	3479	110·45
								Sheffield	184·50	2790	15·12
								Ulverstone	773·00	7483	9·68
								Wynyard	374·25	2840	7·58
Total North-Western Division	5890·45	34,059	5·78	*Total North-Western Division*	5686·70	34,136	6·00	*Total North-Western Division*	5876·70	34,059	5·79
MIDLAND DIVISION.											
Campbell Town	892·50	2337	2·62	Bothwell	495·00	1162	2·34	Bothwell	975·00	1347	1·38
Oatlands	583·00	3182	5·45	Campbell Town	622·00	1659	2·66	Campbell Town	622·00	1659	2·66
Cumberland	4221·25	3338	0·79	Green Ponds	142·50	1145	8·03	Green Ponds	142·50	1145	8·03
Lyell	1420·00	10,451	7·35	Hamilton	3224·25	2284	0·70	Hamilton	3273·50	1991	0·60
Zeehan	520·00	6772	13·02	Macquarie	2270·50	16,850	7·42	Longford	473·75	5279	11·14
				Lake District	535·75	188	0·35	Oatlands	583·00	3182	5·45
				Longford	357·50	4066	13·15	Strahan	914·50	2846	3·11
				Oatlands	678·00	3383	4·99	Lyell	453·00	7605	16·78
				Ross	270·50	678	2·50	Ross	270·50	678	2·50
								Zeehan	520·00	6772	13·02
Total Midland Division	7636·75	26,080	3·50	*Total Midland Division*	8596·00	31,415	3·72	*Total Midland Division*	8227·75	32,504	3·95

Brighton	309·50	2958	9·56
Richmond	259·00	2457	9·49
Sorell	532·75	4152	7·79
Glamorgan	1168·75	1704	1·45
Hobart	1·98	24,654	12,450·00
Queenborough	79·25	4248	53·60
Glenorchy	48·00	6266	130·55
Kingborough	601·50	4830	8·03
New Norfolk	427·00	4764	11·15
Franklin	2826·89	4326	1·53
Total South-Eastern and South-Western Division	6254·62	60,359	9·66
	25,568·66		
Area of Islands, Lakes, Estuaries, &c., not otherwise included	646·34		
Total for Tasmania	26,215·00	172,475	6·58

Brighton	169·00	1813	10·73
Carnarvon	190·00	885	4·65
Clarence	81·50	1599	19·62
Glamorgan	643·25	843	1·31
Glenorchy	39·00	2393	61·35
Hobart (City)	1·98	24,654	12,450·00
New Town	13·00	4806	369·70
Queenborough	40·00	2707	67·66
Kingborough	301·00	2802	9·30
New Norfolk	385·25	4764	12·36
Richmond	237·25	2092	8·81
Sorell	283·25	2033	7·17
Spring Bay	381·50	660	1·72
Franklin	1069·50	6962	2·25
Port Davey	2017·10		
Total South-Eastern and South-Western Division	5852·58	59,013	10·08
	25,568·66		
Area of Islands, Lakes, Estuaries, &c., not otherwise included	646·34		
Total for Tasmania	26,215·00	172,475	6·58

Brighton	169·00	1813	10·72
Clarence	33·00	964	29·21
Glamorgan	644·00	843	1·30
Gordon	142·00	1176	8·28
Hobart	89·50	34,604	386·50
Kingston	103·25	1311	12·70
New Norfolk	387·75	4791	12·36
Port Cygnet	103·00	1678	16·29
Ralph's Bay	28·50	270	9·47
Richmond	259·00	2457	9·49
Sorell	283·25	2033	7·17
Spring Bay	523·50	861	1·64
Tasman's Peninsula	190·00	885	4·65
Victoria	603·00	1202	1·99
Esperance	111·25	929	8·35
Franklin	1404·00	1524	1·08
Geeveston	102·50	1065	10·38
Southport	960·00	808	0·84
Total South-Eastern and South-Western Division	6136·50	59,214	9·68
	25,568·66		
Area of Islands, Lakes, Estuaries, &c., not otherwise included	646·34		
Total for Tasmania	26,215·00	172,475	6·58

Population and Dwellings, 1901.

TABLE VII.—*Showing in regard to each City, Town, or Village in the State (of more than 100 Inhabitants), the Electoral and Municipal District in which situated, the Pursuits with which connected, the Stream or River on which built, the number of Inhabitants, and the number of Inhabited Dwellings.*

C signifies City, *T* Township or Village.

City, Town or Village.	Where situated.			Pursuits connected with.	Population.			Inhabited Dwellings.
	Electoral District.	Municipal or Police District.	On what River, Stream, &c.		Total.	Males.	Females.	
Alberton *T*	Ringarooma	Ringarooma	—	Mining	183	101	82	35
Alveston *T*	Deloraine	Deloraine	Meander River	A and P farming	125	66	59	23
Avoca *T*	Fingal	Fingal	South Esk River	Pastoral farming	183	91	92	33
Beaconsfield *T*	George Town	George Town	Anderson's Creek	Mining	2658	1341	1317	530
Bellerive *T*	Sorell	Clarence	River Derwent	Suburb of Hobart	653	293	360	124
Bothwell *T*	Cumberland	Bothwell	River Clyde	A. and P. farming	384	175	209	83
Bracknell *T*	Cressy	Westbury	River Liffey	A. farming	160	82	78	38
Branxholm *T*	Ringarooma	Ringarooma	Ringarooma Rvr.	Tin-mining	145	77	68	27
Breadalbane	Evandale	Selby	—	Agriculture	120	56	64	21
Bridgewater, N.	Brighton	Brighton	River Derwent	Railway Junction, A. and P. farming	214	109	105	38
Beltana *T*	Richmond	Hobart	River Derwent	Suburb of Hobart	251	108	143	45
Bismarck *T*	Glenorchy	Glenorchy	Sorell Creek	Fruit-growing	206	110	96	46
Broadmarsh	Brighton	Brighton	River Jordan	A. and P. farming	166	93	73	30
Buckland *T*	Glamorgan	Spring Bay	Prosser's River	A. and P. farming	74	36	38	17
Burnie *T*	Waratah	Emu Bay	Emu River and Bass Straits	A. farming, mining seaport	1548	779	769	263
Campbell Twn. *T*	Campbell Twn.	Campbell Twn.	Elizabeth River	P. farming	735	331	404	169
Carrick *T*	Westbury	Westbury	Liffey River	A. farming	224	118	106	51
Chudleigh *T*	Deloraine	Deloraine	Lobster Rivulet	A. farming	162	89	73	30
Colebrook *T*	Richmond	Richmond	Coal River	A. and P. farming, coal mining	147	70	77	27
Cornwall.	Fingal	Fingal	—	Coal mining	200	98	102	36
Cressy *T*	Longford	Longford	Brumby's Creek	A. farming	291	152	139	54
Deloraine *T*	Deloraine	Deloraine	Meander River	A. and P. farming	949	443	506	167
Derby *T*	Ringarooma	Ringarooma	Cascade River	Tin-mining & agriculture	587	323	264	110
Devonport, E. *T*	Devonport	Mersey	Mersey River and Bass Straits	Seaport and watering place, A. farming	673	309	364	128
Devonport, W. *T*	Devonport	Mersey	Mersey River and Bass Straits	Seaport and watering place, A. farming	2101	1070	1031	386
Dover *T*	Franklin	Franklin	D'Entrecasteaux Channel	Timber	121	57	64	23
Dundas	Zeehan	Macquarie	—	Silver mining	306	182	124	81
Scottsdale *T*	Ringarooma	Ringarooma	Cox's Rivulet	A. farming	636	330	306	133
Evandale *T*	Evandale	Evandale	South Esk River	A. farming	617	286	331	123
Fingal *T*	Fingal	Fingal	South Esk River	Dairy farming and coal mining	372	195	177	74
Forth *T*	Mersey	Mersey	Forth River	A. farming	208	114	94	38
Franklin *T*	Franklin	Franklin	River Huon	Fruit-growing and timber producing	765	397	368	142
Geeveston *T*	Franklin	Franklin	Kermandie River	Timber and fruit-growing	289	153	136	55
George Town *T*	George Town	George Town	River Tamar	Watering place	274	123	151	53
Gladstone *T*	Ringarooma	Ringarooma	Ringarooma R.	Tin-mining	163	93	70	42
Glenorchy *T*	Glenorchy	Glenorchy	River Derwent	Fruit and hop-growing	578	279	299	107
Glebeton *T*	Glenorchy	Glenorchy	—	Suburb of Hobart	694	323	371	128
Gormanston *T* (including North Lyell.)	Lyell	Macquarie	—	Mining	1760	1209	551	240
Gould's Country	Fingal	Portland	North George .	Farming	254	135	119	33
Hagley *T*	Westbury	Westbury	—	A. farming	77	28	49	18
Hamilton *T*	Hamilton	Hamilton	River Ouse	P. farming	232	102	130	59
Hobart *C*	Hobart	Hobart	River Derwent	Metropolis	24,654	11,691	12,963	4478
Huonville	Franklin	Franklin	River Huon	Fruit-growing	261	139	122	51
Invermay *T*	Selby	Selby	River Tamar	Suburb of Launceston	1010	485	525	193
Kempton *T*	Brighton	Green Ponds	—	A. and P. farming	288	137	151	63
Kettering *T*	Kingborough	Kingborough	D'Entrecasteaux Channel	Fruit-growing	152	87	65	30
Kingston *T*	Kingborough	Kingborough	Brown's River	Watering place & dairying	219	98	121	50
Latrobe *T*	Latrobe	Latrobe	—	A. farming	1360	633	727	266
Launceston *C*	Launceston	Launceston	River Tamar	City	18,022	8449	9573	3323
Lefroy *T*	George Town	George Town	Nine-mile Creek	Mining, gold	709	345	364	158
Leith	Mersey	Mersey	River Forth	A. farming (seaport)	160	81	79	20
Lisle *T*	Selby	Selby	Bessell Rivulet	Mining, gold	119	65	54	29
Longford *T*	Longford	Longford	South Esk River	A. & P. farming	1223	592	631	247
Low Head	George Town	George Town	River Tamar	Cable Station	99	35	64	19
Lovett *T*	Franklin	Franklin	River Huon	Fruit-growing	230	116	114	43

POPULATION AND DWELLINGS, 1901—*continued.*

City, Town, or Village.	Where situated.			Pursuits connected with.	Population.			Inhabited Dwellings.
	Electoral District.	Municipal or Police District.	On what River, Stream, &c.		Total.	Males.	Females.	
Mangana	Fingal	Fingal	Richardson's Creek	Mining	243	121	122	50
Mathinna T'	Fingal	Fingal	South Esk	Gold-mining	815	435	380	169
Moonah T'	Glenorchy	Glenorchy	—	Suburb of Hobart	732	320	412	144
Mt. Nicholas	Fingal	Fingal	—	Coal-mining	91	61	30	20
Mt. Stuart T'	Glenorchy	Hobart	—	Suburb of Hobart	523	240	283	97
New Norfolk T'	New Norfolk	New Norfolk	River Derwent	Fruit and hop-growing	1151	557	594	144
New Town T'	Glenorchy	New Town	—	Suburb of Hobart	2314	1127	1187	367
Oatlands T'	Oatlands	Oatlands	Lake Dulverton	A. and P. farming	618	280	338	125
Penguin	W. Devon	Mersey	Penguin Creek	A. farming	540	288	252	105
Perth T'	Longford	Longford	South Esk	A. and P. farming	442	206	236	106
Pillinger T'	Lyell	Macquarie	Kelly Basin	Mining Seaport	637	423	214	159
Pontville T'	Brighton	Brighton	River Jordan	A. and dairy farming	114	50	64	23
Queenstown T'	Lyell	Macquarie	—	Mining	5051	3117	1934	1337
Ramsgate	Franklin	Franklin	D'Entrecasteaux Channel	Fruit-growing	130	70	60	20
Richmond T'	Richmond	Richmond	Coal River	A. and P. farming	395	174	221	81
Ringarooma T'	Ringarooma	Ringarooma	Ringarooma Rvr.	Mining and A. farming	230	127	103	48
Ross T'	CampbellTown	Ross	Macquarie River	P. farming	311	155	156	65
Sandy Bay T'	Kingborough	Queenborough	River Derwent	Suburb of Hobart	1821	830	991	363
Sheffield T'	Devonport	Mersey	—	A. farming	446	205	241	90
Sorell T'	Sorell	Sorell	Pittwater	A. and P. farming	245	119	126	45
Stanley T'	Wellington	Russell	Bass Straits	A. farming	484	234	250	93
St. Helens T'	Fingal	Portland	George's River	Dairy and A. farming	410	204	206	73
St. Leonards T'	Evandale	Selby	North Esk River	Suburb of Launceston	265	115	150	55
St. Marys T'	Fingal	Fingal	Break o' Day Rr.	Mining and A. farming	281	147	134	59
Strahan T'	Lyell	Macquarie	Macquarie Harbour	Mining seaport	1504	825	679	299
Swansea T'	Glamorgan	Glamorgan	Oyster Bay	A. farming and fruit-growing	213	110	103	50
Tea Tree	Brighton	Brighton	Strathallern Rivt.	A. and P. farming	184	95	89	33
Trevallyn	Selby	Selby	River Tamar	Suburb of Launceston	529	251	278	92
Triabunna T'	Glamorgan	Spring Bay	Spring Bay	A. farming	181	89	92	37
Ulverstone T'	W. Devon	Mersey	River Leven	A. farming	1164	551	613	226
Waratah T'	Waratah	Emu Bay	—	Tin-mining	1265	707	558	264
Weldborough	Fingal	Portland	Weld River	Mining	283	194	89	80
WellingtonHamlets	Kingborough	Queenborough	—	Suburb of Hobart	776	388	388	172
Westbury T'	Westbury	Westbury	Quamby's Brook	A. farming	1027	491	536	229
Winkleigh	Westbury	Westbury	—	A. farming	223	133	90	44
Woodbridge	Kingborough	Kingborough	D'Entrecasteaux Channel	Fruit-growing	194	105	89	44
Wynyard T'	Wellington	Emu Bay	River Inglis	A. farming	526	256	270	88
Zeehan T'	Zeehan	Macquarie	—	Silver-mining	5014	2731	2283	1177

Ages of the People, 1901.

TABLE VIII.—*Showing the Numbers and Proportions of Persons and Sexes under various Age-groups.*

	Numerical.			Centesimal.		
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
All Ages	172,475	89,624	82,851	...	...	...
Specified Ages	172,328	89,504	82,824	100·00	100·00	100·00
Under 5 years	20,865	10,702	10,163	12·12	11·97	12·28
5 - 65	144,440	74,973	69,467	83·80	83·75	83·85
65 and over	7023	3829	3194	4·08	4·28	3·87
7 - 14 (school age)	30,294	15,282	15,012	17·58	17·07	18·12
20 - 40 (soldier's age)	53,724	28,221	25,503	31·18	31·53	37·64
15 - 45 (age of fertility)	81,915	42,882	39,033	47·53	47·91	47·13
21 years and over (adults)	86,399	45,961	40,438	50·13	51·35	48·82
Under 5 years	20,865	10,702	10,163	12·12	11·97	12·28
5 - 10	22,024	11,160	10,864	12·76	12·47	13·12
10 - 15	21,136	10,649	10,487	12·29	11·90	12·66
15 - 20	18,451	9388	9063	10·71	10·49	10·94
20 - 25	16,410	8261	8149	9·52	9·23	9·83
25 - 30	13,837	7276	6561	8·03	8·13	7·92
30 - 35	11,998	6422	5576	6·96	7·17	6·73
35 - 40	11,479	6262	5217	6·66	7·00	6·30
40 - 45	9740	5273	4467	5·65	5·89	5·40
45 - 50	6854	3760	3094	3·98	4·20	3·75
50 - 55	5176	2797	2379	3·00	3·12	2·87
55 - 60	3881	1996	1885	2·25	2·23	2·28
60 - 65	3454	1729	1725	2·00	1·94	2·08
65 - 70	2613	1292	1321	1·51	1·44	1·59
70 - 75	2033	1123	910	1·18	1·25	1·10
75 - 80	1270	756	514	0·74	0·84	0·62
80 - 85	761	459	302	0·44	0·51	0·36
85 and over	346	199	147	0·20	0·22	0·17
Unspecified children	...	...	...	...	...	...
Unspecified adults and altogether	147	120	27	0·17	0·13	0·03

General Summary—Numbers and Ages.

TABLE IX.—*Showing the Number of Unmarried, Married, and Widowed Males and Females in the Population at different Ages, also the Proportion per* 100 *to the Total Number of each Sex at each Quinquennial Period of Age.*

Ages	Numerical.									Centesimal Proportion.					
	All.			Married.		Widowed.		Never Married.		Married.		Widowed.		Never Married.	
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
All Ages	172,475	89,624	82,851	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Specified condition	172,044	89,319	82,725	25,807	25,460	2560	4672	60,952	52,593	28·89	30·78	2·86	5·65	68·25	63·57
Specified Ages & condition	171,965	89,257	82,708	25,792	25,449	2558	4671	60,907	52,588	28·89	30·78	2·86	5·65	68·25	63·57
Specified, under 15 years	64,025	32,511	31,514	...	...	...	...	32,511	31,514	...	...	...	...	100 00	100·00
15–45	81,723	42,740	38,983	15,697	18,211	540	791	26,503	19,981	36·72	46·72	1·26	2·02	62·02	51·26
15 years and over	108,019	56,808	51,211	25,807	25,460	2560	4672	28,441	21,079	45·43	49·72	4·50	9·12	50·07	41·16
45 years and over	26,296	14,068	12,228	10,110	7249	2020	3881	1938	1098	71·88	59·28	14·35	3·17	13·77	8·98
Under 5 years	20,865	10,702	10,163	...	...	...	...	10,702	10,163	...	...	...	...	100·00	100·00
5–10	22,024	11,160	10,864	...	...	...	...	11,160	10,864	...	...	...	...	100·00	100·00
10–15	21,136	10,649	10,487	...	...	...	...	10,649	10,487	...	...	...	...	100·00	100·00
15–20	18,450	9388	9062	20	332	...	2	9368	8728	...	3·68	0·21	...	99·79	96·32
20–25	16,386	8238	8148	876	2427	15	26	7347	5695	10·64	29·78	0·18	0·31	89·18	69·89
25–30	13,796	7246	6550	2678	3773	46	67	4522	2710	36·96	57·60	0·63	1·02	62·41	41·38
30–35	11,959	6392	5567	3837	3977	102	130	2453	1460	60·04	71·44	1·59	2·33	38·37	26·23
35–40	11,428	6224	5204	4310	4114	170	256	1744	834	69·24	79·04	2·73	4·92	28·03	16·04
40–45	9704	5252	4452	3976	3588	207	310	1069	554	75·70	80·38	3·94	6·96	20·36	12·46
45–50	6815	3732	3083	2948	2358	231	380	553	345	78·99	76·48	6·19	12·34	14·82	11·18
50–55	5147	2779	2368	2174	1654	237	429	368	285	78·24	69·87	8·53	18·12	13·23	12·04
55–60	3862	1986	1876	1517	1228	214	487	255	161	76·39	65·46	10·78	25·96	12·83	8·58
60–65	3433	1720	1713	1220	914	245	664	255	135	70·94	53·36	14·24	38·76	14·82	7·88
65–70	2594	1278	1316	878	597	249	641	151	78	68·70	45·37	19·48	48·71	11·82	5·92
70–75	2007	1107	900	666	304	308	551	133	45	60·15	33·78	27·84	61·22	12·01	5·00
75–80	1260	748	512	380	115	264	373	104	24	50·80	22·46	35·29	72·85	13·91	4·69
80–85	759	460	299	233	56	175	235	52	8	50·65	18·73	38·05	78·60	11·30	2·67
85 and over	340	196	144	79	12	95	120	22	12	40·31	8·33	48·47	83·34	11·22	8·33

NOTE.—The divorced are considered in this table as single.

Education at successive Censuses.

Table X.—*Showing the Proportion per cent. of all Persons specified under the various degrees of Education relative to the Total Numbers specified under the principal Age-groups at the four last Census Periods.*

Per cent. to Total specified of each Age-group.

Census Periods.	All Ages.			Under 10.			10 and under 20.			20 and over.		
	Read and write.	Read only.	Cannot read.	Read and write.	Read only.	Cannot read.	Read and write.	Read only.	Cannot read.	Read and write.	Read only.	Cannot read.
1861	53·66	14·60	31·74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1870	56·32	14·04	29·64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1881	64·65	8·40	26·95	24·46	10·92	64·62	92·64	3·94	3·42	78·99	7·94	13·07
1891	70·26	4·36	25·38	26·29	7·46	66·25	96·78	1·54	1·68	87·36	3·95	8·69
1901	77·47	2·26	20·07	28·89	3·79	67·32	96·35	0·99	2·66	92·10	2·09	5·81
Per cent. to Total specified under each degree of Education.												
1861	100·00	100·00	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1870	100·00	100·00	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1881	100·00	100·00	100·00	8·12	38·94	74·53	31·07	14·19	3·99	60·81	46·87	21·48
1891	100·00	100·00	100·00	8·75	50·10	81·80	26·32	8·48	1·70	64·93	41·42	16·50
1901	100·00	100·00	100·00	9·22	41·43	82·02	28·64	10·15	3·02	62·14	48·42	14·96

Sickness and Infirmity.

Table XI.—*Showing the Number of Sick and Infirm, and Proportion per* 10,000 *of the living Population of Persons, Males and Females, at the last two Censuses,* 1891 *and* 1901, *under each description of Infirmity.*

Nature of Infirmity.	Number of Sick and Infirm.						Proportion per 10,000 living.					
	1901.			1891.			1901.			1891.		
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	F males.
Totals	3432	1993	1439	3416	2097	1319	169·00	222·40	173·70	232·90	270·37	190·86
Totals, less Epileptics, Crippled, and Deformed	2092	1225	867	1969	1136	833	121·30	136·70	104·65	134·24	146·47	120·54
Sick	1127	618	509	1169	659	510	65·36	68·98	61·44	79·70	84·97	73·80
Accident (suffering from)	277	238	39	152	132	20	16·06	26·56	4·71	10·36	17·02	2·89
Deaf and Dumb	75	41	34	54	27	27	4·35	4·57	4·11	3·68	3·48	3·91
Blind	173	97	76	165	97	68	10·03	10·82	9·18	11·25	12·51	9·84
Insane	421	225	196	383	204	179	24·41	25·11	23·66	26·11	26·30	25·90
Idiotic	19	6	13	46	17	29	1·10	0·66	1·56	3·14	2·19	4·20
Epileptic	14	5	9	37	21	16	0·81	0·55	1·08	2·52	2·71	2·31
Crippled, Deformed, and other Infirmities	1326	763	563	1410	940	470	76·88	85·15	67·96	96·14	121·19	68·01

	Persons.		Males.		Females.
Total Population of State per Census 1891	146,667	...	77,560	...	69,107
" " " 1901	172,475	...	89,624	...	82,851

Relative Distribution in Urban and Rural Districts, 1901.

Table XII.—*Showing the Numbers, and Proportion per cent., of Persons belonging to the principal Groups, and to each Religious Denomination in the State, and in Urban and Rural Districts, according to the Returns of the Census taken on 31st March, 1901.*

Denomination.	Numerical.				Centesimal.			
	The Colony.	City of Hobart.	City of Launceston.	Rural Districts.	The Colony.	City of Hobart.	City of Launceston.	Rural Districts.
Total	172,475	24,654	18,022	129,799	102·00	102·15	101·53	102·00
Total specified	169,095	24,134	17,750	127,211	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
Christian Denominations.								
Baptists	4716	475	972	3269	2·79	1·97	5·48	2·57
Christian Brethren, &c.	1729	252	304	1173	1·02	1·04	1·72	0·92
Church of England	83,812	13,248	7671	62,893	49·58	54·92	43·22	49·45
Church of Rome	30,314	4486	3033	22,795	17·93	18·58	17·08	17·94
Independents	5544	975	752	3817	3·28	4·04	4·23	3·01
Lutherans	387	72	18	297	0·23	·30	·10	·23
Methodists	24,961	2042	2728	20,191	14·76	8·46	15·37	15·88
Presbyterians	11,523	1770	1455	8298	6·82	7·33	8·20	6·52
Salvation Army	1454	162	163	1129	·86	·67	·92	·88
Other Christian Denominations	3170	479	500	2191	1·86	1·97	2·82	1·70
Total Christian Denominations	167,610	23,961	17,596	126,053	99·13	99·28	99·14	99·10
Non-Christian Religions	559	82	77	400	·33	·35	·43	·31
Residue of Population	926	91	77	758	·54	·37	·43	·59
Unspecified	3380	520	272	2588	2·00	2·15	1·53	2·03
Christian Denominations.								
Baptists—								
General Baptist, Baptist Union of Tasmania	4325	423	498	2954	2·56	1·75	5·34	2·33
Particular Baptist	5	1	—	4	—	—	—	—
Seventh Day Baptist, Adventist	386	51	24	311	·23	·22	·14	·24
Christian Brethren, &c.—								
Christian, Disciple of Christ, Church of Christ	1070	193	210	667	·64	·80	1·19	·53
Christian Brethren, Plymouth Brethren, Exclusive Brethren, Open Brethren, Gospel Brethren	645	57	90	498	·38	·24	·51	·39
Christian Israelites, First-day Christians	14	2	4	8	—	—	·02	—
Church of England	83,812	13,248	7671	62,893	49·58	54·92	43·22	49·45
Church of Rome	30,314	4486	3033	22,795	17·93	18·58	17·08	17·94
Independents, Congregationalists	5544	975	752	3817	3·28	4·04	4·23	3·01
Lutherans—								
Lutheran, German Evangelical	240	39	16	185	·14	·16	·09	·15
Lutheran (not otherwise defined)	147	33	2	112	·09	·14	·01	·08
Methodists—								
Wesleyan, Wesleyan Methodists	20,470	1592	2138	16,740	12·12	6·60	12·04	13·16
Primitive Methodist	3213	354	444	2415	1·90	1·47	2·50	1·90
United Methodist Free Church	282	—	—	282	·16	—	—	·23
Free Methodist	9	—	—	9	—	—	—	—
Methodist (not otherwise defined)	987	96	146	745	·58	·39	·83	·59
Presbyterians—								
Presbyterian Church of Tasmania	4229	656	496	3077	2·51	2·72	2·80	2·42
Ditto of Australia	13	2	1	10	—	—	—	—
Ditto of Scotland	98	15	19	64	·06	·06	·10	·06
Free Presbyterian Church	7	—	—	7	—	—	—	—
Free Church of Scotland	855	172	187	496	·51	·71	1·06	·38
Presbyterian (not otherwise defined)	6321	925	752	4644	3·74	3·84	4·24	3·66
Other Christian Denominations—								
Bible Christians	38	—	—	38	·01	—	—	·02
Catholic Apostolic Church, Irvingites	38	5	18	15	·01	·02	·10	·10
Free Church of England	3	3	—	—	—	·01	—	—
Greek Church, Russian Church	10	5	—	5	—	·03	—	—
New Jerusalem	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Protestant (not otherwise defined)	2621	330	423	1868	1·55	1·36	2·39	1·46
Salvation Army	1454	162	163	1129	·86	·67	·92	·88
Society of Friends, Quaker	179	54	7	118	·11	·23	·03	·02
Swiss, Reformed Church	1	—	—	1	—	·20	·02	—
Unitarian	88	49	5	34	·05	—	—	—
Welsh Church	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
Other Unclassified Christian Sects	189	31	47	111	·13	·13	·27	·09
Non-Christian Religions—								
Jews, Hebrews	107	46	19	42	·06	·20	·11	·04
Mahometans	27	11	6	10	·01	·05	·03	—
Buddhists, Confucians, & other Chinese Sects	353	2	33	318	·25	·01	·18	·25
Other Unclassified Non-Christian Sects	72	23	19	30	·01	·09	·11	·02
Residue of Population.								
No Denomination (stated as such)	515	37	41	437	·30	·15	·23	·34
No Religion (Agnostics, Deists, Infidels, &c.)	411	54	36	321	·24	·22	·20	·25
Object to state Religion	2900	254	263	2383	1·72	1·05	1·48	1·87
Unspecified	480	266	9	205	·28	1·10	·05	·16

Birth-places of the Urban and Rural Population, 1901.

Table XIII.—*Showing, numerically and centesimally, Persons, Males and Females, born in different Countries.*

Birth-places.	Numerical.			Centesimal.		
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
Total	172,475	89,624	82,851	100·00	100·00	100·00
Total specified	172,467	89,616	82,851	100·00	100·00	100·00
British Empire—						
Australasia	149,155	75,939	73,216	86·50	84·73	88·37
United Kingdom	19,815	11,283	8532	11·48	12·61	10·30
Other British Possessions	1273	701	572	0·74	·78	·69
Total British Empire	170,243	87,923	82,320	98·72	98·12	99·36
Foreign Countries	2224	1693	531	1·28	1·88	·64
Unspecified	8	8	...	·00	·00	·00
British Empire—						
Australasia:						
Tasmania	136,629	69,093	67,536	79·23	70·09	81·54
New South Wales	2075	1064	1011	1·20	1·18	1·22
Victoria	7949	4502	3447	4·60	5·02	4·16
Queensland	288	127	161	·17	·14	·19
South Australia	887	458	429	·52	·51	·52
Western Australia	96	53	43	·06	·05	·06
New Zealand	1193	626	567	·70	·70	·69
Fiji	24	9	15	·01	·01	·02
Australasia—State undefined	14	7	7	·00	·00	·00
Aboriginals	...	...	...	...	...	...
United Kingdom:						
England	12,658	7558	5100	7·34	8·44	6·17
Wales	284	180	104	·17	·20	·13
Scotland	2986	1652	1334	1·74	1·84	1·61
Ireland	3887	1893	1994	2·26	2·11	2·41
Other British Possessions:						
European	10	5	5	·00	·00	·00
Asiatic	399	207	192	·23	·23	·23
African	73	34	39	·04	·04	·05
American	101	72	29	·05	·08	·04
Other British subjects undefined	690	383	307	·41	·43	·37
Foreign Countries—						
Europe:						
German Empire	773	482	291	·44	·54	·32
France	56	30	26	·03	·03	·04
Russia	37	34	3	·02	·04	·00
Austria—Austro-Hungary	23	21	2	·01	·02	·00
Spain	12	7	5	·01	·07	·00
Portugal	20	19	1	·01	·02	·00
Switzerland	19	13	6	·01	·02	·00
Holland	13	12	1	·01	·01	·00
Belgium	13	10	3	·01	·01	·00
Denmark	155	99	56	·09	·11	·07
Balkan States	1	1	...	·00	·00	·00
Turkey	59	40	19	·04	·05	·03
Greece	7	4	3	·00	·00	·00
Sweden and Norway	219	205	14	·13	·23	·02
Italy	50	42	8	·02	·05	·01
Other European Countries or not stated	4	4	...	·00	·00	·00
Asia:						
China	484	473	11	·28	0·53	·02
Other Asiatic Countries	7	6	1	·00	·00	·00
Africa	14	8	6	·01	·00	·00
North America:						
United States	234	168	66	·13	·19	·08
Other Countries	3	2	1	·00	·00	·00
South America	18	11	7	·02	·01	·00
Polynesia	2	1	1	·00	·00	·00
Unspecified	8	8	...	·00	·00	·00
Foreign Subject born at sea	1	1	...	·00	·00	·00

Breadwinners—Numbers and Proportions—Classes and Sub-Classes, 1901.

Table XIV.—*Showing, in respect of the Total of all Classes and of Breadwinners, the Numbers and Proportions per cent. of Persons, Males and Females, belonging to the different Divisions, Classes, and Sub-Classes of Occupations, according to the new classification adopted in Census of* 1901.

Class.	Sub-Class.	Occupations.	Numerical.			Centesimal Proportion.					
						In relation to All Classes.			In relation to Breadwinners.		
			Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
		Divisions.									
		All Classes	172,475	89,624	82,851	100·00	100·00	100·00	234·70	155·64	520·82
		Breadwinners (I.–VII.)	73,494	57,585	15,909	42·61	64·25	19·20	100·00	100·00	100·00
		Dependants (VIII.)	98,981	32,039	66,942	57·39	35·75	80·80	134·70	55·64	420·82
		Classes.									
I.		Professional	4997	3067	1930	2·90	3·42	2·33	6·80	5·32	12·23
II.		Domestic	7937	1463	6474	4·60	1·63	7·82	10·80	2·54	40·61
III.		Commercial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	A.	Property and Finance	1364	1008	356	·79	1·13	·43	1·87	1·75	2·30
	B.	Trade	6131	5087	1044	3·56	5·68	1·26	8·43	8·86	6·77
	C.	Storage	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
IV.		Transport and Communication	4848	4518	330	2·81	5·04	·39	6·59	7·85	2·07
V.		Industrial	18,750	16,475	2275	10·88	18·38	2·75	25·53	28·62	14·30
VI.		Agricultural, Pastoral, Mineral, and other Primary Producers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	A.	Agricultural	19,422	17,348	2074	11·26	19·35	2·51	26·43	30·13	30·03
	B.	Pastoral	1881	1518	363	1·09	1·69	·44	2·55	2·62	2·29
	C.	Mineral	5467	5466	1	3·17	6·10	...	7·44	9·49	...
	D.	Other Primary Producers	1129	1107	22	·65	1·24	·02	1·53	1·42	·14
VII.		Indefinite	1566	526	1040	·90	·59	1·25	2·13	·91	6·53
VIII.		Dependants	98,981	32,039	66,942	57·39	35·75	80·80	134·70	55·64	420·82

TABLE XV.—*Showing the Numbers and Proportions per cent. of Persons living in the State belonging to the several Divisions, Classes, and principal Sub-Classes of Occupations, distinguishing the grades of Employer, Employed on own account, Relative assisting, and Wage-earner; also, distinguishing the Unemployed and the Dependants.*

Class.	Sub-Class.	Occupations.	Grade, &c.—Numerical.—(Persons.)								Grade, &c.—Centesimal Proportion.—(Specified.)							
			TOTAL.	Employer.	Engaged on own account.	Relative assisting.	Wage-earner.	Unemployed.	Dependants.	Undefined.	TOTAL.	Employer.	Engaged on own account.	Relative assisting.	Wage-earner.	Unemployed.	Dependants.	
		DIVISIONS.																
I.-VII.		All Classes	172,475	6667	12,178	6160	46,249	2165	98,981	75	100·00	3·87	7·06	3·57	26·83	1·25	57·42	
I.-VI.		Breadwinners	73,494	6667	12,178	6160	46,249	2165	...	75	100·00	9·08	16·59	8·39	62·99	2·95	...	
VII.		Dependants	98,981	...	...	...	...	...	98,981	...	100·00	...	...	...	...	...	100·00	
		CLASSES AND SUB-CLASSES.																
I.		Professional	4997	226	846	61	3778	86	...	...		4·52	16·93	1·22	75·61	1·72	...	
II.		Domestic	7937	323	558	339	6492	224	...	1		4·07	7·03	4·27	81·81	2·82	...	
III.		Commercial	7497	1071	1926	292	4036	171	...	1		14·28	25·70	3·90	53·83	2·29	...	
„	A.	Property and Finance	1364	155	740	2	457	10	...	...		11·36	54·25	0·14	33·52	0·73	...	
„	B.	Trade	6131	916	1186	290	3577	161	...	1		14·95	19·34	4·73	58·36	2·62	...	
„	C.	Storage	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	
IV.	D.	Transport and Communication	4848	201	360	49	4059	179	...	...	100·00	4·14	7·42	1·01	83·74	3·69	...	
V.		Industrial	18,750	1244	1750	284	14,563	905	...	4		6·65	9·33	1·52	77·67	11·83	...	
VI.		Primary Producers	27,899	3561	5564	5135	12,987	594	...	58		12·80	19·08	18·44	46·64	2·13	...	
„	A.	Agricultural	19,422	3028	4340	4578	7217	249	...	10		15·69	22·36	23·59	37·17	1·28	...	
„	B.	Pastoral	1881	324	410	459	648	30	...	10		17·32	21·92	24·53	34·63	1·60	...	
„	C.	Mineral	5467	132	537	17	4449	298	...	34		2·43	9·88	0·31	81·90	5·48	...	
	D.	Other Primary Producers	1129	77	277	81	673	17	...	4		6·84	24·62	7·20	59·82	1·52	...	
VII.		Indefinite	1566	41	1174	...	334	6	...	11		2·63	75·50	...	21·48	0·39	...	
VIII.		Dependants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	
		On Natural Guardians	97,404	...	...	...	...	...	97,404	...		...	...	...	...	...	100·00	
		On the State or Public Charity	1577	...	...	...	...	...	1577	...		...	...	...	...	...	100·00	

Occupations of the People, 1901.—Ages.

Table XVI.—*Showing the Numbers and Proportion per cent. of Persons living in the State belonging to the several Divisions, Classes, and principal Sub-Classes of Occupations under various Age-Groups.*

Class.	Sub-Class.	Occupations.	Ages—Numerical—(Persons).									Ages—Centesimal Proportion—(Specified Ages.)							
			All Ages.	5.	- 15.	- 20.	- 25.	- 45.	- 65.	65 and over.	Unspecified Ages.	All Ages specified.	5.	- 15	- 20.	- 25.	- 45.	- 65.	65 and over.
		Divisions.																	
I.-VIII.		All Classes	172,475	20,865	43,160	18,451	16,410	47,054	19,365	7023	147	100·00	12·10	25·04	10·72	27·30	11·23	9·53	4·08
I.-VII.		Breadwinners	73,494	...	3024	12,182	11,595	29,883	12,412	4293	105	100·00	...	4·12	16·60	15·80	40·72	16·91	5·85
VIII.		Dependants	98,981	20,865	40,136	6269	4815	17,171	6953	2730	42	100·00	21·09	40·58	6·33	4·86	17·36	7·03	2·75
		Classes and Sub-classes.																	
I.		Professional	4997	...	48	453	951	2358	963	215	9		...	·97	9·09	19·06	47·26	19·31	4·31
II.		Domestic	7939	...	428	2147	1938	2318	870	234	2		...	5·39	27·07	24·42	29·20	10·97	2·95
III.		Commercial	7497	...	277	1135	1012	2998	1468	603	4		...	3·70	15·15	13·51	40·00	19·59	8·05
„	A.	Property and Finance	1364	...	9	76	99	391	427	360	2		...	·66	5·58	7·26	28·71	31·36	26·43
„	B.	Trade	6131	...	268	1059	912	2606	1041	243	2		...	4·37	17·28	14·88	42·53	16·98	3·96
„	C.	Storage	2	..	...	...	1	1	...	...	...		...	...	...	50·00	50·00	...	...
IV.		Transport & Communication	4848	...	120	532	733	2404	909	145	5	100·00	...	2·47	10·98	15·14	49·65	18·77	2·99
V.		Industrial	18.750	...	610	3316	3117	8310	2625	715	57		...	3·26	17·74	16·68	44·46	14·04	3·82
VI.		Primary Producers.....	27,899	...	1540	4564	3797	11,140	5024	1813	21		...	5·52	16·37	13·62	39·95	18·04	6·50
„	A.	Agricultural	19,422	...	1277	3575	2545	6930	3551	1533	11		...	6·57	18·42	13·11	35·70	18·29	7·89
„	B.	Pastoral.....	1881	...	111	300	196	745	410	119	...		...	5·90	15·95	10·42	39·61	21·80	6·32
„	C.	Mineral	5467	...	51	470	899	3013	906	119	9		...	·93	8·61	16·48	55·21	16·59	2·18
„	D.	Other Primary Producers	1129	...	101	219	157	452	157	42	1		...	8·95	19·41	13·92	40·08	13·92	3·72
VII.		Indefinite	1566	...	1	35	47	355	553	568	7		...	·06	2·24	3·01	22·77	35·48	36·44
VIII.		Dependants	98,981	20,865	40,136	6269	4815	17,171	6953	2730	42		21·09	40·58	6·33	4·86	17·36	7·03	2·75
„	A.	On Natural Guardians	97,404	20,823	39.930	6146	4695	16,839	6713	2232	26		21·38	41·02	6·31	4·82	17·29	6·89	2·29
„	B.	On State or Public Charity	1577	42	206	123	120	332	240	498	16		2·69	13·20	7·88	7·68	21·27	15·37	31·91

Occupations of the People—Distribution by Electoral Districts.—Breadwinners—Centesimal Proportion, 1901.

Table XVII.—*Showing the Per-centage Proportion of Breadwinners (Persons) living in the Colony, in Urban Districts, in Rural Districts as a whole, and in each Electoral District, distinguishing the various Classes and principal Sub-classes.*

Districts.	Breadwinners (Persons).											
	All Breadwinners.	Class I. Professional.	Class II. Domestic.	Class III. Commercial.	Class IV. Transport and Communication.	Class V. Industrial.	Class VI. Primary Producers.					Class VII. Indefinite.
							All Primary Producers.	Agriculture.	Pastoral.	Mines and Minerals.	Other Primary Producers.	
The whole Colony..	100·00	6·80	10·80	10·20	6·59	25·53	37·95	26·43	2·55	7·44	1·53	2·13
City of Hobart ...	100·00	12·25	15·52	18·22	12·99	33·51	3·59	1·85	·40	·90	·44	3·92
City of Launceston		9·72	16·06	20·45	8·25	38·61	4·29	2·77	·64	·59	·29	2·61
Rural Districts		5·29	9·10	9·12	5·06	22·04	49·70	34·77	3·27	9·73	1·93	1·69
Brighton	100·00	4·26	9·61	5·60	4·26	17·31	55·87	52·13	1·75	·42	1·57	3·09
Campbell Town		5·83	15·06	7·10	6 68	20·15	42·53	22·48	9·97	1·27	8·81	2·65
Cressy		3·34	8·46	8·61	2·33	7·23	71·26	62·70	6·56	·00	2·00	1·67
Cumberland.....		4·11	10·42	3·97	3·47	18·78	56·92	33·88	16·59	·28	6·17	2·33
Devonport.....		5·73	8·49	7·82	8·08	21·19	46·72	43·79	1·53	1·06	·34	1·97
Devon, West.....		4·41	7·33	4·85	3·90	20·08	57·94	54·75	1·18	1·44	·57	1·49
Deloraine		4·76	8·24	5·60	2·90	15·32	61·90	1·28	58·46	1·87	·68	·89
Evandale.....		4·85	13·31	7·59	3·99	20·96	46·02	39·37	5·24	·55	·86	3·28
Fingal.....		4·20	8·28	6·22	3·53	13·24	63·40	18·76	8·91	34·47	1·26	1·13
Franklin		3·78	6·00	3·90	5·51	32·32	47·35	41·84	0·66	·60	4·26	1·13
George Town		4·89	9·57	7·63	4·73	19·76	51·43	15·09	2·34	30·69	3·31	1·99
Glamorgan.....		5·40	9·06	2·64	3·50	15·65	61·41	49·27	9·79	·74	1·61	2·34
Glenorchy		12·87	13·17	14·80	5·49	24·37	24·86	22·31	1·62	·79	·14	4·44
Kingborough		3·46	4·64	3·36	4·30	11·46	72·09	64·93	1·53	1·04	4·59	·69
Latrobe		5·79	10·00	6·66	2·20	18·13	55·37	52·20	1·17	·68	1·32	1·85
Longford		5·66	14·34	9 24	3·49	23·82	40·37	35·46	3·25	·92	·74	3·08
Lyell		4·31	8·69	8·18	7·99	46·15	24·29	·45	·31	22·52	1·01	·39
New Norfolk		6·38	5·76	3·19	2·00	17·58	64·00	62·34	1·00	·33	·33	1·09
Oatlands		4·77	14·02	5·85	4·31	12·25	58·10	45·68	6·48	·69	5·25	·69
Queenborough.....		11·24	13·94	14·57	6·07	25·70	23·55	19·64	2·22	1·14	·55	4·93
Richmond.....		5·25	9·44	5·14	4·93	17·64	55·61	51·11	2·83	1·15	·52	1·99
Ringarooma.....		4·07	7·18	4·62	3·80	15·45	64·14	27·56	5·86	24·31	6 41	·74
Selby		5·46	9·23	12·59	4·92	19·13	46·57	38·53	4·16	3·07	·81	2·10
Sorell.....		5·28	9·16	6·52	4·22	14·84	56·81	50·39	3·05	·35	2·82	3·17
Waratah.....		6·08	9·75	8·20	11·35	24·81	38·87	19·40	·70	17·51	1·17	·94
Wellington		4·22	6·33	5·24	4·35	15·77	62·85	51·24	8·55	·84	2·22	1·84
Westbury		3·53	6·41	4·08	2·33	12·98	68·40	63·55	3·20	·33	1·32	2 27
Zeehan		4·87	10·16	10·51	5·62	26·23	42·18	1·10	40·20	·69	·19	·43

Distribution of Occupations under Twenty-four Orders.

Table XVIII.—*Showing numerically and centesimally, Persons, Males and Females, living in Tasmania belonging to Twenty-four Orders of Occupations, arranged under their respective Divisions and Classes.*

Occupations.		Numerical.			Centesimal.		
		Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
Divisions.							
All Classes		172,475	89,624	82,851	100·00	100·00	100 00
Breadwinners (Classes I. to VII.)		73,494	57,585	15,909	42·61	64·25	19·20
Dependants (Class VIII.)		98,981	32,039	66,942	57·39	35·75	80·80
Nature of Services.	*Classes.*						
Personal and Immaterial	I. Professional	4997	3067	1930	2·90	3·42	2·33
	II. Domestic	7937	1463	6474	4·60	1·63	7·82
Distributors of Materials	III. Commercial	7497	6097	1400	4·35	6·81	1·69
Transport of Goods, &c.	IV. Transport & Communication	4848	4518	330	2·81	5·04	·39
Modifiers of Materials	V. Industrial	18,750	16,475	2275	10·88	18·38	2·75
Primary Producers of Materials.	VI. Primary Producers	27,899	25,439	2460	16·17	28·38	2·97
Indefinite	VII. Indefinite	1566	526	1040	0·90	0·59	1·25
Dependants	VIII. Dependants	98,981	32,039	66,942	57·39	35·75	80·80
Class.	Order	Order.					
		Services, Personal and Immaterial.					
		Persons not otherwise classed, engaged in or ministering to—					
I.	1	Government, Law, Defence, and Protection	1329	1312	17	·77	1·46	·02
	2	Religion, Charity, Health, Education, Science, and Amusement	3668	1755	1913	2·13	1·96	2·31
II.	3	Board and Lodging and Personal Service	7937	1463	6474	4·60	1·63	7·82
		Distributors of Materials.						
III.	4	Property and Finance	1364	1008	356	7·79	1·12	·43
		Traders and Dealers in—						
	5	Art and Mechanic Productions, various	359	305	54	·21	1·34	·07
	6	Textile Fabrics, Dress, and Fibrous Materials	957	707	250	·55	·79	·30
	7	Food, Drink, Narcotics, and Stimulants	1530	1301	229	·89	1·46	·28
	8	Animals, and Animal and Vegetable Substances	345	329	16	·20	·38	·02
	9	Minerals mainly used for Fuel and Light	259	255	4	·15	·28	·00
	10	Other Minerals	205	195	10	·12	·21	·01
	11	General Dealers and other undefined Mercantile Pursuits	2437	1960	477	1·42	2·19	·58
	12	Speculators in Chance Events	39	35	4	·22	·04	·00
	13	Storage	2	2	...	·00	·00	·00
IV.	14	Transport and Communication	4848	4518	330	2·81	5·04	·39
		Modifiers, Manufacturers of Materials.						
		Workers in—						
V.	15	Art, Mechanic Productions, various	2445	2368	77	1·42	4·08	·09
	16	Textile Fabrics, Dress, and Fibrous Materials	3368	1269	2099	1·96	2·19	2·54
	17	Foods, Drinks, Narcotics, and Stimulants	1217	1133	84	·71	1·95	·10
	18	Animal and Vegetable Substances	582	575	7	·33	·99	·01
	19	Metals and Minerals	2052	2051	1	1·19	3·54	·00
	20	Substances for Heat and Light, not otherwise classed	120	120	...	·06	·21	·00
	21	Construction and Repair of Buildings, Roads, Railways, Canals, Docks, Earthworks, &c.	3926	3924	2	2·28	6·76	·00
	22	Disposal of the Dead or Refuse	87	86	1	·05	·14	·00
	23	Industrial Workers imperfectly defined	4953	4949	4	2·88	8·52	·01
		Primary Producers of Materials.						
VI.	24	Agricultural, Pastoral, Mineral, and other Primary Producers—						
		Workers in —						
	24*a*	Agricultural Pursuits	19,422	17,348	2074	11·26	·40	2·50
	„ *b*	Pastoral Pursuits	1881	1518	363	1·09	·04	·41
	„ *c*	Mines and Minerals	5467	5466	1	3·17	·13	·00
	„ *d*	Other Primary Producers	1129	1107	22	·65	·02	·09
		Indefinite.						
VII.	25	Indefinite Occupations	1566	526	1040	·90	5·04	1·25
		Dependants.						
VIII.	26	Wives, Children, and Relatives dependent upon Natural Guardians	97,404	31,230	66,174	56·48	34·85	79·88
	27	Other Dependants upon the State or upon Public or Private Support	1577	809	768	·91	·90	·92

RELIGIONS OF THE PEOPLE.

ESTIMATE of the Number of Persons belonging to the various Religious Denominations on 31st December, 1905, based upon the relative proportions ascertained by the Census of 31st March, 1901.

Denomination.	Percentage as per Census 1901.	Estimated No. of Persons, 31st December, 1905.
Church of England	49·58	89,792
Church of Rome	17·93	32,472
Methodists	14·76	26,731
Presbyterians	6·82	12,351
Independents	3·28	5940
Baptists	2·79	5053
Protestants	1·55	2808
Christian Brethren	1·02	1847
Salvation Army	·86	1558
Buddhists	·25	453
No Religion	·24	435
Lutheran	·23	417
No Denomination	·30	543
Society of Friends	·11	199
Other Sects	·21	380
Mahometans	·01	18
Jews	·06	108
TOTAL	100·00	181,105

MIGRATION.

RETURN showing the Direction and Extent of Migration of Persons to and from Tasmania during the Year 1905.

	TOTAL NUMBER.	MALES.	FEMALES.	ADULTS.	CHILDREN.	NUMBERS TO AND FROM—* (Direct.)								
						New South Wales.	*Victoria.*	*Queensland.*	*South Australia.*	*Western Australia.*	*Total to and from neighbouring States.*	*New Zealand.*	*United Kingdom.*	*South Africa, &c.*
Immigration	31,116	18,857	12,259	28,995	2121	5298	24,129	—	1	—	29,428	1290	134	264
Emigration †	29,887	18,043	11,844	27,681	2206	4520	23,708	—	15	26	29,887	1446	149	23
Immigration in excess of Emigration	1229	814	415	1314	—	778	421	—	—	—	—	—	—	241
Emigration in excess of Immigration	—	—	—	—	85	—	—	—	14	26	459	156	15	—

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns supplied by the Customs Department.]

* The corresponding numbers to and from, as ascertained by the Customs Departments of the various States, are so utterly irreconcilable that it has been deemed more desirable to take the departures as ascertained by our own Customs Department than to base the statement of migration upon the compilations prepared at State and Foreign ports of arrival or departure. Owing, however, to the completely insular character of Tasmania as a State, conclusions drawn in respect of increase or decrease to population are less liable to error than similar conclusions drawn in respect of each State of Continental Australia. As regards migration seaward, it must be borne in mind that it is more than probable that the figures given independently by each State are equally and indefinitely erroneous within certain limits, and therefore it is unwise to assume that the differences shown between the statements of two States afford any reliable index to either the extent or direction of the divergence from the truth.

† Estimated to be understated by about 12½ per cent.

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MIGRATION.

RETURN showing the Direction and Extent of Migration of Persons to and from Tasmania for the Decade ending 31st December, 1905.

	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.		1901.		1902.		1903.		1904.		1905.		TOTAL FOR DECADE.	
	Immigrants.	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*	*Immigrants.*	*Emigrants.*
To and from—																						
New South Wales... No. Persons	4415	2973	4817	3141	4617	3568	5356	3993	4183	3653	5106	3595	5144	4150	5009	4123	4755	4167	5298	4520	48,700	37,883
Victoria..... .... „ „	13,397	12,018	14,382	13,007	18,068	15,135	18,325	16,212	17,752	18,004	18,883	18,716	20,535	19,174	18,800	18,091	18,851	19,335	24,129	23,708	183,122	173,400
Queensland ..... „ „	...	...	...	80	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80
South Australia..... „ „	5	5	3	5	3	...	3	11	2	...	2	...	4	7	1	...	1	2	1	15	25	45
Western Australia . „ „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	26	...	41
New Zealand ..... „ „	705	413	786	409	765	516	811	474	611	666	808	1086	911	834	950	875	1188	1310	1290	1446	8825	8029
Total for States and Colony..	18,522	15,409	19,988	16,642	23,453	19,219	24,495	20,690	22,548	22,323	24,799	23,397	26,594	24,165	24,760	23,089	24,795	24,829	30,718	29,715	240,672	219,478
The United Kingdom No. Persons	499	7	601	53	395	104	377	115	390	65	285	89	693	100	399	58	591	85	134	149	4364	825
Foreign Ports..... „ „	55	3	146	2	226	...	87	...	118	186	...	†265	263	307	4	58	46	8	264	23	1209	852
Males ..... No.	11,650	9322	12,488	9911	16,270	12,517	16,581	13,621	14,490	14,345	15,598	14,790	17,525	15,265	15,505	14,309	15,498	15,164	18,857	18,043	154,462	137,287
Females ..... „	7426	6097	8247	6786	7804	6806	8378	7184	8566	8229	9486	8961	10,025	9307	9658	8896	9934	9758	12,259	11,844	91,783	83,868
Total Number of Persons...	19,076	15,419*	20,735	16,697*	24,074	19,323	24,959	20,805	23,056	22,574	25,084	23,751	27,550	24,572	25,163	23,205*	25,432	24,922	31,116	29,887	246,245	221,155
Immigration in excess of Emigration	3657	...	4038	...	4751	...	4154	...	482	...	1333	...	2978	...	1958	...	510	...	1229	...	25,090	...
Emigration in excess of Immigration	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Estimated to be understated by 12½ per cent. † South Africa.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Customs Department.]

ASSISTED IMMIGRATION, 1905.

THERE was no Assisted Immigration during the year 1905.

POPULATION OF TASMANIA, 1905.

TABLE of the Population of Tasmania, Males and Females, at the end of each Quarter of the Year, showing the Increase or Decrease by Births and Deaths, and by Migration, during each Quarter of the Year.

	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated Population 1st January, 1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	93,158	87,042	180,200
First Quarter—									
Births	677	584	1261						
Deaths	234	191	425						
Excess of Births over Deaths	...	...	...	443	393	836			
Immigration	6866	4710	11,576						
Emigration *	7489	5324	12,813						
Increase or Decrease by Migration	...	...	...	—623	—614	—1237			
Total Increase or Decrease during the Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	...	—180	—221	—401
Estimated Populat. n 31st March, 1905.	...	...	...	...	...	...	92,978	86,821	179,799
Second Quarter—									
Births	666	575	1241						
Deaths	277	176	453						
Excess of Births over Deaths	...	...	...	389	399	788			
Immigration	3509	2049	5558						
Emigration *	4633	3548	8181						
Increase or Decrease by Migration	...	...	...	—1124	—1499	—2623			
Total Increase or Decrease during the Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	...	—735	—1100	—1835
Estimated Population 30th June, 1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	92,243	85,721	177,964
Third Quarter—									
Births	755	617	1372						
Deaths	271	213	484						
Excess of Births over Deaths	...	...	...	484	404	888			
Immigration	3219	1740	4959						
Emigration*	3333	1862	5195						
Increase or Decrease by Migration	...	...	...	—114	—122	—236			
Total Increase or Decrease during the Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	...	+370	+282	+652
Estimated Population 30th September, 1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	92,613	86,003	178,616
Fourth Quarter—									
Births	714	669	1383						
Deaths	279	203	482						
Excess of Births over Deaths	...	...	...	435	466	901			
Immigration	5264	3759	9023						
Emigration *	4843	2592	7435						
Increase or Decrease by Migration	...	...	...	421	1167	1588			
Total Increase or Decrease during the Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	...	+856	+1633	+2489
Esti nated Population 31st December, 1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	93,469	87,636	181,105
Mean Population for the Year, 1905	...	...	...	...	...	...	92,787	86,472	179,259

NOTE—The signs + and — signify Increase and Decrease respectively. * Including an allowance of 12½ per cent. for estimated unrecorded departures.

POPULATION OF TASMANIA.

SUMMARY for the Year 1905.

	Males.	*Females.*	*Total.*	*Males.*	*Females.*	TOTAL.
Births during the year ended 31st December, 1905	2812	2445	5257	...	...	...
Deaths ditto	1061	783	1844	...	...	...
Increase by excess of Births over Deaths	...	...	...	1751	1662	3413
Arrivals by sea during the year ended 31st December, 1905	18,858	12,258	31,116	...	...	...
Departures ditto*	20,298	13,325	33,623	...	...	...
Decrease Emigration over Immigration	...	...	...	—1440	—1068	—2508
Total increase during the year 1905	...	...	...	311	594	905
Population Census 31st March, 1901	...	...	...	89,624	82,851	172,475
Estimated Population, 31st December, 1905	...	...	...	93,469	87,636	181,105
Ditto, 1904	...	...	...	93,158	87,042	180,200
Mean Population during year 1905	...	...	...	92,787	86,472	179,259

* Including unrecorded Emigration, estimated at 12½ per cent. of recorded departures.

ESTIMATED POPULATION.

SUMMARY BY DECADES.

Decade.	Mean Population.	Increase per cent. in relation to former Decade.
	Persons.	
1821–30 ...	14,226	...
1831–40 ...	38,990	174·07
1841–50 ...	61,396	57·47
1851–60 ...	74,905	22·00
1861–70 ...	95,985	28·14
1871–80 ...	106,653	11·11
1881–90 ...	131,234	23·05
1891–1900.	160,210	22·07

SUMMARY (1896–1905).

Year.	Population on 31st December.			Mean Population.		
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.
1896 ...	159,844	83,060	76,784	157,702	81,960	75,742
1897 ...	164,373	85,415	78,960	162,108	84,228	77,872
1898 ...	168,746	87,676	81,070	166,559	86,540	80,019
1899 ...	172,572	89,672	82,900	170,659	88,665	81,994
1900 ...	172,979	89,880	83,099	172,775	89,763	83,012
1901 ...	174,380	90,343	84,037	173,679	90,112	83,567
1902 ...	177,465	92,236	85,229	175,922	91,289	84,633
1903 ...	179,487	93,078	86,409	177,547	92,265	85,282
1904 ...	180,200	93,158	87,042	178,826	92,851	85,975
1905 ...	181,105	93,469	87,636	179,259	92,787	86,472

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POPULATION—*continued.*

RETURN showing the Population of Hobart and Suburbs, Launceston and Suburbs, and Country Districts, 31st December, 1905.

	Population, 31st December.	Mean for the Year.
Hobart—City	24,654*	24,654
Suburbs	10,335	10,253
TOTAL DISTRICT	34,989	34,907
Launceston—City	18,296†	18,237
Suburbs	3409	3355
TOTAL DISTRICT	21,705	21,592
Country Districts	124,411	122,760
TOTAL TASMANIA	181,105	179,259

* Males, 11,691; Females, 12,963.
† „ 8578; „ 9618.

RETURN showing the Mean Population of Hobart and Suburbs, Launceston and Suburbs, and Country Districts, for the Ten Years ended 1905.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Hobart—City	24,798	24,756	24,711	24,671	24,651	24,652	24,654	24,654	24,654	24,654
Suburbs	9145	9385	9628	9851	9966	10,005	10,103	10,135	10,234	10,253
TOTAL DISTRICT	33,943	34,141	34,339	34,522	34,617	34,657	34,757	34,789	34,888	34,907
Launceston—City	17,556	17,695	17,836	17,965	18,031	18,059	18,130	18,016	18,223	18,237
Suburbs	2854	2957	3060	3153	3189	3201	3265	3320	3343	3355
TOTAL DISTRICT	20,410	20,652	20,896	21,118	21,220	21,260	21,395	21,336	21,566	21,592
Country Districts	103,349	107,315	111,324	115,019	116,938	117,762	119,766	121,422	122,372	122,760
TOTAL TASMANIA	157,702	162,108	166,559	170,659	172,775	173,679	175,918	177,547	178,826	179,259

POPULATION OF TASMANIA.

RETURN showing the estimated Population of each Electoral, Municipal and Police, and Registration District of Tasmania on 31st December, 1905, compiled on the basis of the Census of 31st March, 1901.

Electoral Districts.			Municipal and Police Districts.		Registration Districts.	
Name.	No. of Members.	Population.	Name.	Population.	Name.	Population.
Fingal	1	5560	Evandale	2165	Beaconsfield	3527
George Town	1	5229	Fingal	4381	Evandale	3575
Launceston, North	1	5062	George Town	5221	Fingal	4294
,, West	1	4960	Launceston (City)	18,296	Frankford	912
,, Central	1	5123	Portland	1838	George Town	478
,, East	1	4839	Ringarooma	5964	Launceston	21,706
Longford	1	5231	Selby	7273	Lefroy	1216
North Esk	1	5323	Westbury	5035	Lilydale	1815
Ringarooma	1	5495			Portland	1923
					Ringarooma	5962
					Westbury	3507
Total North-Eastern Division	...	46,824	...	50,173	...	48,915
Burnie	1	5285	Deloraine	5861	Deloraine	5298
Deloraine	1	5260	Emu Bay	8485	Emu Bay	3362
Devonport	1	5020	Latrobe	3810	Mersey	4630
Kentish	1	5400	Mersey	8427	Montagu	658
Latrobe	1	5105	Russell	2712	Port Frederick	3710
Waratah	1	4650	West Devon	7111	Port Sorell	601
Wellington	1	5205			Sheffield	2975
Westbury	1	5242			Stanley	2248
West Devon	1	5560			Ulverstone	7978
					Waratah	1828
					Wynyard	3028
Total North-Western Division	...	46,727	...	36,406	...	36,316
Cumberland	1	5314	Bothwell	1239	Bothwell	1436
Lyell	1	4807	Campbell Town	1769	Campbell Town	1769
Queenstown	1	5385	Green Ponds	1221	Green Ponds	1221
Zeehan	1	5345	Hamilton	2436	Hamilton	2123
			Longford	4336	Longford	5628
			Longford (South), Lake District	201	Lyell	8106
			Macquarie	17,970	Oatlands	3393
			Oatlands	3608	Ross	723
			Ross	723	Strahan	3035
					Zeehan	7220
Total Midland Division	...	20,851	...	33,503	...	34,654
Cambria	1	5411	Brighton	1934	Brighton	1933
Glenorchy	1	4916	Carnarvon	944	Clarence	1028
Hobart, North	1	5122	Clarence	1705	Glamorgan	899
,, Central	1	5159	Glamorgan	899	Gordon	1254
,, West	1	4978	Glenorchy	2486	Hobart	34,989
,, East	1	5176	Hobart (City)	24,654	Kingston	1398
,, South	1	5033	Kingborough	2988	New Norfolk	5097
Kingborough	1	5149	New Norfolk	5081	Port Cygnet	1789
Monmouth	1	5169	New Town	4993	Ralph's Bay	288
New Norfolk	1	5361	Queenborough	2813	Richmond	2620
Queenborough	1	5254	Richmond	2231	Sorell	2168
Sorell	1	5363	Sorell	2168	Spring Bay	918
			Spring Bay	704	Tasman's Peninsula	944
					Victoria	1283
Total South-Eastern Division.	...	62,091	...	53,600	...	56,608
Franklin	1	4612	Franklin	7423	Esperance	990
			Port Davey		Franklin	1625
					Geeveston	1135
					Southport	862
Total South-Western Division.	...	4612	...	7423	...	4612
Total for Tasmania...	35	181,105	...	181,105	...	181,105

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POLITICAL FRANCHISE.

RETURN showing the Number of Electors whose Names were on the Electoral Rolls on the 21st April, 1906, together with the Number of those whose Names were struck off or added during the Year, also the Qualifications of such Electors.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Electoral District.		Date of holding Court of Revision.	Number on Roll before Revision.		Number struck off the Roll.		Number added to Roll.		Number on Roll after Revision.		At last contested Election.*					Qualification.								
											Number on Roll.	Date.	Number of Votes recorded.	Percentage of Votes recorded to Number on Roll.	Number of Informal Ballot Papers.	On account of Owners of Property.		Occupiers of Property.		Others.		Total on Roll.	
		1906.														M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Buckingham	Males	9 Mar.	1220	...	8	...	3	...	1215	...	1085	7 May, 1901	763	70·32	...	898	...	284	...	33	...	1215	...
	Females	„	...	348	...	2	...	...	...	346	...	...	...	...	...	...	294	...	52	...	...	...	346
Cambridge	Males	27 Feb.	557	...	9	...	9	...	557	...	321	5 May, 1891	240	74·77	5	432	...	117	...	8	...	557	...
	Females	„	...	118	...	1	...	1	...	118	...	...	...	...	...	...	110	...	8	...	...	...	118
Derwent	Males	31 Jan.	543	..	4	...	...	...	539	...	500	7 May, 1889	326	75·20	1	393	...	109	...	37	...	539	...
	Females	„	...	123	...	2	...	...	...	121	...	...	...	...	...	...	110	...	8	...	3	...	121
Gordon	Males	27 Feb.	866	..	17	...	5	...	854	...	296	10 April, 1899	126	42·56	2	730	...	98	...	26	...	854	...
	Females	„	...	214	...	1	...	...	...	213	...	...	...	...	...	...	199	...	14	...	...	...	213
Hobart	Males	28 Feb.	2021	...	13	...	40	...	2048	...	2789	5 May, 1905	1725	61·85	...	1164	...	828	...	56	...	2048	...
	Females	„	...	826	...	6	...	14	...	834	...	...	...	73·08	...	...	588	...	246	...	...	...	834
Huon	Males	28 Feb.	921	...	25	...	...	...	896	...	1051	2 May, 1905	768	80·28	...	847	...	38	...	11	...	896	...
	Females	„	...	114	...	9	...	...	...	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	94	...	10	...	1	...	105
Launceston	Males	21 April	1653	...	18	...	26	...	1661	...	1661	8 May, 1906	647	38·97	...	1051	...	552	...	58	...	1661	...
	Females	„	...	629	...	4	...	11	...	636	636	...	87	13·68	...	...	510	...	121	...	5	...	636
Macquarie	Males	30 Jan.	451	...	7	...	...	...	444	...	282	6 May, 1890	156	55·32	1	349	...	87	...	8	...	444	...
	Females	„	...	88	...	1	...	...	...	87	...	...	...	...	...	...	83	...	4	...	...	...	87
Meander	Males	27 Feb.	860	...	18	...	11	...	853	...	457	2 May, 1893	320	70·02	...	621	...	224	...	8	...	853	...
	Females	„	...	205	...	3	...	4	...	206	...	...	...	...	...	...	197	...	9	...	...	...	206
Mersey	Males	23 April	2187	...	105	...	127	...	2209	...	1299	18 July, 1902	587	45·10	...	1737	...	438	...	34	...	2209	...
	Females	„	...	399	...	20	...	12	...	391	...	...	...	...	...	...	351	...	40	...	...	...	391
Pembroke	Males	27 Feb.	611	...	7	...	...	...	604	...	308	14 April, 1891	203	65·91	2	447	...	149	...	8	...	604	...
	Females	„	...	141	...	3	...	...	...	138	...	...	...	...	...	...	125	...	13	...	...	...	138
Russell	Males	27 Feb.	1121	...	3	...	21	...	1139	...	115	2 July, 1881	92	80·00	...	932	...	200	...	7	...	1139	...
	Females	„	...	158	...	1	...	2	...	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	148	...	11	...	...	...	159
South Esk	Males	2 Mar.	983	...	2	...	4	...	985	...	744	5 May, 1904	514	70·43	...	727	...	204	...	54	...	985	...
	Females	„	...	203	...	...	...	...	...	203	...	...	...	...	...	...	189	...	14	...	...	...	203
Tamar	Males	2 Feb.	1248	...	94	...	26	...	1180	...	315	8 May, 1895	224	71·11	2	931	...	240	...	9	...	1180	...
	Females	„	...	276	...	12	...	6	...	270	...	...	...	...	...	...	258	...	12	...	...	...	270
Westmorland	Males	27 Feb.	725	...	...	...	7	...	732	...	*	...	...	...	...	496	...	223	...	13	...	732	...
	Females	„	...	141	...	...	...	...	...	141	...	...	...	...	...	...	123	...	18	...	...	...	141
Total	Males	...	15,967	...	330	...	279	...	15,916	...	11,859	...	6778	57·16	...	11,755	...	3791	...	370	...	15,916	...
	Females	...	...	3983	...	65	...	50	...	3968	...	...	...	...	...	...	3379	...	580	...	9	...	3968

* The blank indicates that the Election was not contested.

POLITICAL FRANCHISE—*continued.*

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

RETURN showing the Number of Electors whose Names were on the Electoral Rolls on the 29th March, 1906.†

Electoral District.		Number on Roll after Revision. ‡		At last contested election.* Number of Votes recorded.		Date of Election.	Percentage of Voters to Number on Roll.		Total.	Number of Informal Ballot Papers.
				M.	F.		M.	F.		
Burnie	Males	1476	...	749	...		50·75	...	48·48	14
	Females	...	1125	...	412		...	36·73	...	...
Cambria	Males	1239	...	836	...		67·46	...	58·57	18
	Females	...	1035	..	496		...	42·92	...	...
Cumberland	Males	1178	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
	Females	...	978	...	...		...	...	...	...
Deloraine	Males	1370	...	953	...		69·56	...	61·93	28
	Females	...	1097	...	575		...	52·41	...	...
Devonport	Males	1585	...	816	...		51·48	...	47·45	19
	Females	...	1449	...	624		...	43·06	...	...
Fingal	Males	1377	...	930	...		67·52	...	62·10	...
	Females	...	1013	...	554		...	54·69	...	31
Franklin	Males	1160	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
	Females	...	897	...	...		...	...	...	...
George Town	Males	1493	...	937	...		62·75	...	62·17	...
	Females	...	1095	...	672		...	61·37	...	...
Glenorchy	Males	1339	...	993	...		74·16	...	72·20	26
	Females	...	1456	...	1025		...	70·40	...	...
Hobart—Central	Males	1536	...	1054	...		68·62	...	...	13
	Females	...	1754	...	1095		...	62·43	65·32	...
East	Males	1111	...	663	...		59·73	...	...	39
	Females	...	1318	...	531		...	40·28	49·15	...
North	Males	1287	...	901	...		70·02	...	64·43	23
	Females	...	1435	...	853		...	59·44	...	...
South	Males	1224	...	832	...		67·98	...	58·94	44
	Females	...	1770	...	933		...	52·71	...	...
West	Males	1291	...	931	...		72·10	...	65·46	47
	Females	...	1442	...	858		...	59·50	...	...
Kentish	Males	1356	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
	Females	...	1057	...	...		...	...	...	...
Kingborough	Males	1360	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
	Females	...	1108	...	...		...	...	...	...
Latrobe	Males	1139	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
	Females	...	939	...	...		...	..	...	...
Launceston—Central	Males	1220	...	601	...		49·26	...	...	10
	Females	...	1244	...	530		...	42·60	45·90	..
East	Males	1128	...	688	...		61·00	...	...	8
	Females	...	1503	...	660		...	43·91	51·23	..
West	Males	1575	...	909	...		57·72	...	...	17
	Females	...	1654	...	640		...	38·70	44·87	...
North	Males	1206	...	815	...		67·59	...	...	7
	Females	...	1253	...	612		...	48·85	58·03	...
Longford	Males	1104	...	700	...		63·40	...	55·90	...
	Females	...	1155	...	563		...	48·79	...	16
Lyell	Males	1407	...	791	...		56·22	...	52·54	...
	Females	...	584	...	255		...	43·66	...	...
Monmouth	Males	1262	...	...	...		...	...	..	...
	Females	...	1041	...	...		...	...	...	...
New Norfolk	Males	1321	...	1044	...		79·01	...	70·78	...
	Females	...	1095	...	666		...	60·82	...	...
North Esk	Males	1177	...	637	...		54·11	...	48·93	25
	Females	...	1073	...	464		...	43·24	...	...
Queenborough	Males	1372	...	998	...		72·74	...	65·10	10
	Females	...	1648	...	968		...	58·73	...	...
Queenstown	Males	1613	...	943	...		58·46	...	59·48	15
	Females	...	902	...	553		..	61·31	...	...
Ringarooma	Males	1757	...	927	... §		52·75	...	56·28	...
	Females	...	1116	...	690		...	61·83	...	...
Sorell	Males	1355	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
	Females	...	1127	...	...		...	...	...	...
Waratah	Males	1409	...	890	...		63·17	...	62·98	...
	Females	...	612	...	383		...	62·58	...	14
Wellington	Males	1738	...	831	...		47·81	...	43·80	21
	Females	...	1246	...	476		...	38·20	...	...
Westbury	Males	1260	...	648	...		51·43	...	44·58	23
	Females	...	1095	...	403		...	36·81	...	...
West Devon	Males	1470	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
	Females	...	1067	...	..		...	...	...	...
Zeehan	Males	1605	...	1112	...		69·26	...	66·12	19
	Females	...	1246	...	773		...	62·04	...	...
Total	Males	47,400	...	23,128	...	...	62·10	...	57·10	487
	Females	...	41,629	...	17,194		...	51·50		

Qualification—Universal adult suffrage. Act 3 Edward VII. No. 13, Sect. 5.

* The blank indicates that the Election was not contested.

† Date of last Revision.

‡ New Rolls prepared under New Act 3 Edward VII. No. 13.

§ Estimated for General Election.

ELECTIONS, 1905.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

District.	Date of Election.	No. of Candidates.	No. on Roll.	No. of Electors voting.
	1905.			
Hobart	2 May	2	2789	1725
Huon	,,	2	1051	768
Meander	,,	1	—	—
Pembroke	,,	1	—	—
Gordon	,,	1	—	—
Hobart	22 December	2	2853	1771

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

Nil.

P. C. DOUGLAS, *Chief Electoral Officer.*

TASMANIA.

NUMBER OF ELECTORS ON ROLLS.

RETURN showing the Number of Electors whose Names were on the Electoral Rolls for the Federal Parliament on the 31st May, 1906.

Division.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Bass	8553	8445	16,998
Darwin	9576	6262	15,838
Denison	7707	9293	17,000
Franklin	8871	7461	16,332
Wilmot	8898	7697	16,595
TOTALS	43,605	39,158	82,763

No Federal Elections have been held in this State since 26th February, 1904.

J. P. BICHARD, *Commonwealth Electoral Officer for Tasmania.*

Hobart, 23rd July, 1906.

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BIRTHS.

RETURN showing the Number of Births registered during the Year 1905 for each Registration District of Tasmania, including detail showing—(1) the Number of Births registered each Quarter; and (2) Comparisons with former Periods.

REGISTRATION DISTRICT.	Area: Square Miles.	Actual Population, Census 31st March, 1901.	Estimated Mean * Population, 1905.	Births registered, 1905. During 1st Quarter.	During 2nd Quarter.	During 3rd Quarter.	During 4th Quarter.	During whole Year. Males.	Fem.	Total.	Birth-Rate 1905 per 1000 of Mean Population.	Decade ending 1905. Average No. per Year.	Rate per 1000 Mean Population.
CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS.													
Hobart	89·50	34,604	34,907	274	248	244	242	557	451	1008	28·88	913	
Launceston	378·25	21,180	21,592	144	175	204	156	341	338	679	31·45	622	
Total Chief Urban Districts	467·75	55,784	56,499	418	423	448	398	898	789	1687	29·85	1535	
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.													
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—													
Beaconsfield	92·50	3308		23	23	36	29	67	44	111		110	
Evandale	431·50	3353		22	13	20	12	29	38	67		76	
Fingal	1117·96	4028		35	39	45	47	88	68	156		135	
Frankford	140·75	855		4	4	6	4	13	5	18		14	
George Town	85·75	448		1	2	3	1	3	4	7		10	
Lefroy	253·75	1140		3	2	2	6	7	6	13		31	
Lilydale	130·00	1702		8	9	12	9	26	12	38		47	
Portland	423·00	1803		6	9	14	18	23	24	47		50	
Ringarooma	2055·50	5592		35	41	32	43	78	73	151		138	
Westbury	218·75	3289		25	22	25	24	56	40	96		100	
Total North-Eastern Division	4949·46	25,518	26,842	162	154	195	193	390	314	704	26·23	711	
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION—													
Deloraine	825·75	4963		43	43	47	35	88	80	168		161	
Emu Bay	178·00	3153		52	55	46	42	91	84	175		140	
Mersey	161·25	4342		32	36	41	46	65	90	155		143	
Montagu	627·70	617		11	7	6	8	18	14	32		22	
Port Frederick	31·50	3479		42	30	30	21	59	64	123		112	
Port Sorell	129·25	564		1	1	3	2	4	3	7		10	
Sheffield	184·50	2790		26	19	26	21	59	33	92		96	
Stanley	530·00	2108		18	25	16	28	42	45	87		76	
Ulverstone	773·00	7483		63	62	77	73	142	133	275		238	
Waratah	2061·50	1714		12	10	9	28	33	26	59		54	
Wynyard	374·25	2840		29	27	20	27	57	46	103		87	
Total North-Western Division	5876·70	34,059	35,829	329	295	321	331	658	618	1276	35·61	1133	
MIDLAND DIVISION—													
Bothwell	975·00	1347		5	10	6	8	15	14	29		32	
Campbell Town	622·00	1659		10	3	8	19	19	21	40		46	
Green Ponds	142·50	1145		4	5	8	6	14	9	23		29	
Hamilton	3273·50	1991		12	15	14	19	28	32	62		61	
Longford	473·75	5279		18	26	30	46	58	62	120		133	
Lyell	453·00	7605		55	65	61	78	141	117	258		226	
Oatlands	583·00	3182		17	22	20	19	44	34	78		97	
Ross	270·50	678		3	8	7	6	13	11	24		19	
Strahan	914·50	2846		7	7	9	6	16	13	29		50	
Zeehan	520·00	6772		54	41	43	50	117	71	188		207	
Total Midland Division	8277·75	32,504	34,196	185	198	209	257	465	384	849	24·83	855	
SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—													
Brighton	169·00	1813		5	10	11	8	21	13	34		37	
Clarence	33·00	964		9	7	8	5	14	15	29		27	
Glamorgan	644·00	843		4	4	4	3		6	15		22	
Gordon	142·00	1176		9	10	8	5	15	17	32		28	
Kingston	103·25	1311		5	5	5	17	21	11	32		33	
New Norfolk	387·75	4791		31	31	37	42	76	65	141		145	
Port Cygnet	103·00	1678		19	11	16	20	31	35	66		46	
Ralph's Bay	28·50	270		1	2	..	..	2	1	3		2	
Richmond	259·00	2457		16	14	17	11	31	27	58		59	
Sorell	283·25	2033		15	21	16	14	43	23	66		59	
Spring Bay	523·50	861		3	4	5	5	6	11	17		19	
Tasman's Peninsula	190·00	5		10	10	7	9	18	18	36		29	
Victoria	603·00	1202		12	10	19	16	29	28	57		40	
Total South-Eastern Division	3469·25	20,284	21,341	139	139	153	155	316	270	586	27·46	546	
SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION—													
Esperance	111·25	929		4	8	12	12	20	16	36		27	
Franklin	1404·00	1524		11	13	15	13	29	23	52		43	
Geeveston	102·50	1065		11	4	11	16	25	17	42		32	
Southport	960·00	808		3	7	9	6	11	14	25		23	
Total South-Western Division	2577·75	4326	4552	29	32	47	47	85	70	155	34·05	125	
Total Country Districts	25,100·91	116,691	122,760	844	818	925	983	1914	1656	3570	29·09	3370	
GRAND TOTAL	25,568·66	172,475	179,259	1262	1241	1373	1381	2812	2445	5257	29·32	4905	28·60
Per cent. to Total	..	..	..	24·00	23·61	26·12	26·27	53·49	46·51	100·	..	..	..

Births below 1904, 35. Births above average of last Decade, 352. Birth-rate, 1905, per 1000 of Mean Population, 29·32.

* Including natural increase, and increase by excess of Immigration over Emigration; the latter distributed over principal Divisions proportionately on the basis of the Census of 1901.

BIRTHS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

RETURN showing the Number of registered Births in Tasmania under the various Divisions and Registration Districts; also showing certain Averages and Proportions.

Mean Population of Decade—171,503.

DISTRICTS. (Year / Mean Population)	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	YEARLY AVERAGE.
	157,702	162,108	166,559	170,659	172,775	173,679	175,918	177,547	178,826	179,259	
CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS.											
Hobart	917	865	857	842	830	909	956	947	999	1008	913
Launceston	588	604	547	558	628	595	645	637	736	679	622
Total Chief Urban Districts.	1505	1469	1404	1400	1458	1504	1601	1584	1735	1687	1535
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.											
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—											
Beaconsfield	83	121	117	99	117	113	123	116	96	111	110
Evandale	95	92	82	76	76	75	66	73	60	67	76
Fingal	112	159	138	135	138	125	130	139	120	156	135
Frankford	16	17	17	5	16	15	16	15	9	18	14
George Town	19	19	17	7	5	8	5	9	8	7	10
Lefroy	95	59	34	32	21	23	15	9	10	13	31
Lilydale	53	53	56	45	51	44	40	48	39	38	47
Portland	47	58	48	46	47	48	56	44	55	47	50
Ringarooma	151	130	120	124	127	121	151	141	164	151	138
Westbury	114	120	97	97	94	95	87	111	91	96	100
Total North-Eastern Division.	785	828	726	666	692	667	689	705	652	704	711
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION—											
Deloraine	187	161	158	150	162	137	145	160	180	168	161
Emu Bay	159	146	112	122	132	111	148	129	172	175	140
Mersey	148	133	134	162	158	152	156	160	173	155	153
Montagu	21	15	18	23	10	22	21	29	26	32	22
Port Frederick	88	89	84	89	105	120	126	147	153	123	112
Port Sorell	19	13	10	13	11	6	9	11	7	7	10
Sheffield	83	98	84	100	89	103	96	100	111	92	96
Stanley	53	79	60	76	81	66	83	82	98	87	76
Ulverstone	191	212	187	226	243	239	261	275	270	275	238
Waratah	37	57	57	45	63	49	67	56	51	59	54
Wynyard*	...	...	80	75	82	76	97	84	102	103	87
Total North-Western Division.	986	1003	984	1081	1136	1081	1209	1233	1343	1276	1133
MIDLAND DIVISION—											
Bothwell	38	32	29	36	33	36	34	24	26	29	32
Campbell Town	51	54	41	48	46	49	50	39	45	40	46
Green Ponds	26	36	33	31	40	19	30	30	26	23	29
Hamilton	66	55	70	54	54	63	52	61	70	60	61
Longford	144	139	130	139	128	141	124	129	132	120	133
Lyell*	...	...	120	168	227	269	271	271	226	258	226
Oatlands	105	107	108	104	83	111	91	90	98	78	97
Ross	15	22	15	21	21	13	18	25	13	24	19
Strahan	51	70	23	49	73	77	70	37	30	29	50
Zeehan	148	211	229	236	239	221	191	205	197	188	207
Total Midland Division	644	726	798	886	944	999	931	911	863	849	855
SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—											
Brighton	55	41	45	37	28	32	37	35	28	34	37
Clarence	31	19	35	22	31	26	24	26	30	29	27
Glamorgan	27	29	25	11	29	18	20	22	26	15	22
Gordon	34	29	27	29	29	23	28	23	29	32	28
Kingston	37	24	28	19	25	30	30	44	40	32	33
New Norfolk	134	141	162	155	159	159	150	112	141	141	145
Port Cygnet	40	40	47	44	44	39	53	50	34	66	46
Ralph's Bay	2	2	...	2	1	5	2	3	1	3	2
Richmond	74	61	51	56	56	57	54	59	66	58	59
Sorell	71	62	59	57	51	61	56	51	53	66	59
Spring Bay	21	20	20	25	17	20	16	19	19	17	19
Tasman's Peninsula	19	24	24	29	29	30	38	31	33	36	29
Victoria	26	41	35	41	35	48	30	38	47	57	40
Total South-Eastern Division	571	533	558	527	534	548	538	513	547	586	546
SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION—											
Esperance	21	24	16	25	15	34	30	33	37	36	27
Franklin	37	44	40	35	40	40	39	46	52	52	43
Geeveston	30	32	32	25	28	33	31	31	37	42	32
Southport	24	25	22	29	17	24	17	24	26	25	23
Total South-Western Division	112	125	110	114	100	131	117	134	152	155	125
Total Country Districts	3098	3215	3176	3274	3406	3426	3484	3496	3557	3570	3370
GRAND TOTAL	4603	4984	4580	4674	4864	4930	5085	5080	292	5257	4905
Birth-rate per 1000 of Mean Population	29·19	28·90	27·50	26·84	28·16	28·40	28·95	28·61	29·59	29·33	28·60

* Included as part of another District prior to date where figures are first shown.

DEATHS.

RETURN showing the Number of Deaths REGISTERED *during the Year* 1905 *for each Registration District of Tasmania, including detail showing*—(1) *the Number of Deaths registered each Quarter; and* (2) *Comparisons with former Periods.*

REGISTRATION DISTRICT.	Area Square Miles.	Actual Population, Census 1901, 31 March.	Estimated Mean* Population, 1905.	Deaths Registered, 1905.							Death-rate, 1905, per 1000 of Mean Population.	Decade ending 1905	
				During 1st Quarter.	During 2nd Quarter.	During 3rd Quarter.	During 4th Quarter.	During whole Year.				Average No. per Year.†	Rate per 1000 Mean Population.
								Males.	Fem.	Total.			
CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS.													
Hobart†	89·50	34,604	34,907	158	160	135	144	342	255	597	17·10	599	
Launceston†	378·25	21,180	21,592	75	66	93	95	192	137	329	15·24	373	
Total Chief Urban Districts†	467·75	55,784	56,499	233	226	228	239	534	392	926	16·39	972	
COUNTRY DISTRICTS													
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—													
Beaconsfield	92·50	3308		10	13	10	14	28	19	47		45	
Evandale	431·50	3353		3	8	8	8	16	11	27		27	
Fingal	1137·96	40·8		1	11	7	5	17	7	24		37	
Frankford	140·75	855		..	..	1	2	1	2	3		5	
George Town	85·25	448		1	1	..	..	..	2	2		5	
Lefroy	253·75	1140		1	..	1	2	3	1	4		10	
Lilydale	130·00	1702		4	5	2	3	5	9	14		12	
Portland	423·00	1803		5	2	6	1	9	5	14		12	
Ringarooma	2055·50	5592		13	10	5	6	21	13	34		35	
Westbury	218·75	3289		7	8	4	6	11	14	25		39	
Total North-Eastern Division	4949·46	25,518	26,842	45	58	44	47	111	83	194	7·23	227	
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION—													
Deloraine	825·75	4969		10	10	13	6	22	17	39		46	
Emu Bay	178·00	3153		6	5	4	5	9	11	20		29	
Mersey	161·25	4342		9	18	14	16	35	22	57		56	
Montagu	627·70	617		1	..	1	..	1	1	2		4	
Port Frederick	31·50	3479		6	9	8	6	13	16	29		36	
Port Sorell	129·25	564		1	..	..	..	..	1	1		3	
Sheffield	184·50	2790		1	2	8	4	6	9	15		21	
Stanley	530·00	2108		2	4	2	7	7	8	15		18	
Ulverstone	773·00	7483		7	16	20	16	33	26	59		63	
Waratah	3061·50	1714		4	..	4	3	7	4	11		12	
Wynyard	374·25	2840		10	8	2	9	18	11	29		18	
Total North Western Division	5876·70	34,059	35,829	57	73	76	72	151	126	277	7·73	302	
MIDLAND DIVISION—													
Bothwell	975·00	1347		2	2	3	3	4	6	10		8	
Campbell Town	622·00	1659		4	2	7	8	13	8	21		21	
Green Ponds	142·50	1145		1	2	1	..	2	2	4		9	
Hamilton	3273·50	1991		3	4	1	3	7	4	11		16	
Longford	473·75	5279		7	9	12	9	19	18	37		49	
Lyell	453·00	7605		17	7	14	13	34	17	51		50	
Oatlands	483·00	3182		6	8	11	5	16	14	30		28	
Ross	270·50	678		..	..	2	..	2	..	2		6	
Strahan	914·50	2846		1	3	..	3	5	2	7		18	
Zeehan	520·00	6772		11	7	19	15	34	18	52		64	
Total Midland Division	8277·75	32,504	34,196	52	44	70	59	136	89	225	6·58	269	
SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—													
Brighton	169·00	1813		..	4	4	4	5	7	12		14	
Clarence	33·00	964		2	5	1	3	7	4	11		10	
Glamorgan	644·00	843		4	2	5	3	5	9	14		10	
Gordon	142·00	1176		2	2	1	2	4	3	7		7	
Kingston	103·25	1311		2	1	..	7	9	1	10		11	
New Norfolk	387·75	4791		10	19	21	20	41	29	70		68	
Port Cygnet	103·00	1678		4	1	8	3	9	7	16		18	
Ralph's Bay	28·50	270		..	..	..	1	..	1	1		2	
Richmond	259·00	2457		1	4	5	2	6	6	12		16	
Sorell	283·25	2033		2	3	7	1	5	8	13		15	
Spring Bay	523·50	861		..	2	..	3	3	2	5		7	
Tasman's Peninsula	190·00	885		1	..	2	3	5	1	6		5	
Victoria	603·00	1202		4	1	2	3	6	4	10		8	
Total South-Eastern Division	3469·25	20,284	21,341	32	44	56	55	105	82	187	8·76	191	
SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION—													
Esperance	111·25	808		2	3	2	2	5	4	9		9	
Franklin	1404·00	929		1	3	5	3	5	7	12		13	
Geeveston	102·50	1524		1	1	3	4	8	1	9		7	
Southport	960·00	1065		2	2	1	..	3	2	5		7	
Total South-Western Division	2577·75	4326	4552	6	9	11	9	21	14	35	7·69	36	
Total Country Districts	25,100·91	116,691	122,760	192	227	257	242	527	391	918	7·48	1026	
GRAND TOTAL	25,568·66	172,475	179,259	425	453	485	481	1061	783	1844	10·29	1998	11·65
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Deaths below 1904, 130. Deaths below average last Decade, 154. Death-rate, 1905, per 1000 of Mean Population, 10·29.

* Including natural increase, and increase by excess of Immigration over Emigration; the latter distributed over principal Divisions, proportionately on the basis of the Census of 1901. † Including Deaths in Gaols, Hospitals, &c.

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RETURN of Deaths of Males and Females registered in Tasmania

DISEASES.	Total of all Ages.			Under 1 Month.		1 Month and under 3 Months.		3 Months and under 6 Months.		6 Months and under 1 Year.		Under 1 Year.		1 to 2.	
	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.
CLASS I.—GENERAL DISEASES.															
Measles (Morbilli)	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Scarlet Fever	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Influenza	16	9	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1
Diphtheria, Membranous Croup	10	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Enteric Fever	23	16	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	53	35	18	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	1
Diarrhœa, Choleraic Diarrhœa	21	13	8	1	...	4	...	2	3	5	3	12	6	...	...
Dysentery	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	23	15	8	1	...	4	...	2	3	5	3	12	6	...	...
Tetanus	4	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
Syphilis	5	3	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	1	...
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Puerperal Septicæmia, Sapræmia	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerperal Pyæmia	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerperal Fever	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lobar, Croupous-Pneumonia	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular, Pneumonia	21	13	8	1	3	2	...	...	...	3	1	6	4	1	1
Pneumonia	67	46	21	1	1	1	...	6	1	2	5	10	7	1	2
Erysipelas	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Septicæmia (not Puerperal)	3	1	2	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pyæmia (not Puerperal)	2	1	1	1	...	...	...		...	...	...	1	...	...	...
	104	63	41	3	4	3	...	6	1	5	6	17	11	2	3
Tuberculous Phthisis (Pulm. Tuberculosis)	34	18	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Phthisis	100	44	56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Tuberculous Meningitis	11	7	4	...	...		...	1	...	1	1	2	1	1	1
Tuberculous Peritonitis	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Tabes Mesenterica	2	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...
Tubercle of other Organs	9	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
General Tuberculosis	18	11	7	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	4	...	...	...
	177	88	89	...	...	1	...	4	...	4	2	9	2	2	2
Parasitic Diseases.															
Hydatids	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Dietic Diseases.															
Alcoholism, Delirium Tremens	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Constitutional Diseases.															
Rheumatic Fever, Acute Rheumatism	7	5	2	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rheumatic Arthritis, Rheumatic Gout	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gout	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	7	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carcinoma	45	22	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sarcoma	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Malignant Disease, Cancer	51	22	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	97	45	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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during the Year 1905, *showing the Ages and Causes of Death.*

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DEATHS—*continued.*

DISEASES.	Total of all Ages			Under 1 Month.		1 Month and under 3 Months.		3 Months and under 6 Months.		6 Months and under 1 Year.		Under 1 Year.		1 to 2.	
	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Rickets	7	4	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	3	2	...
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia	9	2	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diabetes Mellitus	8	3	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	24	9	15	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	3	2	...
Developmental Diseases.															
Premature Birth	72	43	29	36	27	5	2	2	...	...	...	43	29	...	...
Congenital Defects	13	10	3	4	3	3	...	1	...	...	...	8	3	2	...
Injury at Birth	7	2	5	2	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	...	...
Atelectasis	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Want of Breast Milk	16	8	8	1	2	4	2	2	4	1	...	8	8	...	...
Teething	10	6	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	4	4	4	2	...
	119	70	49	44	37	12	4	6	4	4	4	66	49	4	...
Total Class I.	622	343	279	50	41	21	4	19	9	19	19	109	73	14	6
CLASS II.—LOCAL DISEASES.															
Diseases of Nervous System.															
Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	23	14	9	..	...	...	...	2	1	5	...	7	1	2	...
Softening of Brain	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
General Paralysis of Insane	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Epilepsy	11	7	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Convulsions	63	35	28	17	12	3	3	6	3	7	3	33	21	1	2
Laryngismus Stridulus	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Locomotor Ataxy	6	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	7	3	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Brain Tumour (not specific)	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Nervous System, other Diseases	19	12	7	...	...	...	...	..	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
	143	86	57	18	12	4	3	9	4	14	3	45	22	3	2
Diseases of Organs of Special Sense.															
Otitis, Mastoid Disease	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Disease of Heart															
Valve Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	27	16	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pericarditis	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Angina Pectoris	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Dilatation of Heart	5	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fatty Degeneration of Heart	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Syncope, Heart Disease (not specified)	151	78	73	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	...	...
	188	98	90	2	...	2	...	..	...	...	1	4	1	...	...
Diseases of Blood Vessels.															
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Emb. Throm.	36	13	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	38	18	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aneurism	13	11	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Senile Gangrene	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)	9	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Blood Vessels, other Diseases	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	99	48	51	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Diseases of the Respiratory Organs.															
Laryngitis	4	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...
Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Croup (not Spasmod. or Membr.)	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...
Larynx, other Diseases (not specified)	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bronchitis	48	26	22	2	2	6	4	1	3	3	...	12	9	4	...
Emphysema, Asthma	7	4	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Pleurisy	11	6	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fibroid Disease of Lung	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Respiratory Diseases, other	6	3	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
	82	47	35	3	4	7	4	2	3	5	...	17	11	5	...

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DISEASES.	Total of all Ages			Under 1 Month.		1 Month and under 3 Months.		3 Months and under 6 Months.		6 Months and under 1 Year.		Under 1 Year.		1 to 2.	
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Diseases of Digestive System.															
Tonsillitis, Quinsy	4	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Mouth, Pharynx, Disease (not specific)	4	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...
Gastric Ulcer	5	4	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Gastric Catarrh	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stomach, other Disease (not Malig.)	10	6	4	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	...
Enteritis (not Epidemic)	11	5	6	...	1	...	1	4	3	...	...	4	5	1	1
Gastro Enteritis	31	14	17	...	2	6	5	4	6	4	1	14	14	...	2
Appendicitis, Perityphlitis	12	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
Hernia	5	2	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Intestinal Obstruction	7	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
Other Diseases of Intestines	9	6	3	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	4	1	1	...
Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	12	7	5	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...
Cirrhosis of Liver	8	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Liver and Gall Bladder, other Diseases	24	18	6	4	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	7	...	...	...
Digestive System, other Diseases	4	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...
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Lymphatic Diseases.															
Spleen Disease	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lymph. System, other Diseases	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Thyroid Body Disease	2	...	2	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Supra-Renal Capsule Disease	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Diseases of Urinary System.															
Nephritis, Acute	7	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	23	11	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calculus (not Biliary)	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
Bladder and Prostate Disease	10	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Urinary System, other Diseases	9	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...
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Diseases of Generative System															
Ovarian Tumour (not Malig.)	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Uterine Tumour (not Malig.)	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Accidents of Childbirth.															
Abortion, Miscarriage	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Puerperal Convulsions	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Placenta Prævia, Flooding	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...
Other Accid. of Pregnancy and Childbirth	9	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Joint Diseases.															
Caries, Necrosis	3	2	1	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Diseases of Locomotor System	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Skin Diseases.															
Ulcer, Bedsore	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eczema	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...
Skin Diseases, other	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...
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Total Class II.	749	408	341	29	20	28	13	23	19	26	9	106	61	11	6
CLASS III.—OTHER SPECIFIED DISEASES	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLASS IV.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED DISEASES.															
Atrophy, Debility	70	32	38	16	14	6	9	5	11	2	4	29	38	...	...
Old Age	261	153	108	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca	3	2	1	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Causes not specified	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Total Class IV.	340	193	147	16	14	6	9	5	11	3	4	30	38	...	...

DEATHS—*continued.*

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DEATHS—*continued.*

DISEASES.	Total of all Ages			Under 1 Month.		1 Month and under 3 Months.		3 Months and under 6 Months		6 Months and under 1 Year.		Under 1 Year.		1 to 2.	
	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.															
Accident or Negligence.															
In Mines and Quarries	8	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vehicles and Horses	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	30	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Machinery	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Weapons and Implements	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burns and Scalds	13	5	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1
Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Drowning	21	19	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Suffocation—															
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b. Otherwise	4	3	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	..	...	2	...	...	...
Falls	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Weather Agencies	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bite of Snake	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Otherwise or not stated	24	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	122	108	14	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	3	3	1	2
Homicide and Suicide.															
Homicide—															
By Whites	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Suicide—															
By Hanging or Strangulation	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By Firearms	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By Cutting Instruments	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By other means	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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Total Class V.	133	117	16	1	2	1	...	...	1	1	1	3	4	1	2
Grand Total	1844	1061	783	96	77	56	26	47	40	49	33	248	176	26	14

DEATHS—*continued.*

2 to 3.		3 to 4.		4 to 5.		5 to 10.		10 to 15.		15 to 20.		20 to 25.		25 to 30		30 to 35		35 to 40.		40 to 45.		45 to 50.		50 to 55.		55 to 60.		60 to 65.		65 to 70.		70 to 75.		75 to 80.		80 to 85.		85 to 90.		90 to 95.		95 and over.		Ages not specified.	
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10	9	7	7	8	5	28	11	22	15	38	29	37	30	29	29	29	30	35	29	43	3	37	19	45	30	51	29	54	41	56	49	59	63	78	55	63	39	40	24	15	15	2	3	1	...

DEATHS.

RETURN of the Number of Deaths registered during the Year 1905, showing Distribution under each specific Cause and under classified Divisions and Registration Districts.

| DISEASES. | TOTAL. | | CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS. | | | COUNTRY DISTRICTS. | | |

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DEATHS—*continued.*

| DISEASES. | TOTAL. | | CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS. | | | COUNTRY DISTRICTS. | | |

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DEATHS—*continued.*

| DISEASES. | TOTAL. | | CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS | | | COUNTRY DISTRICTS. | | |

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DEATHS.

RETURN showing in respect of each specific Cause the Number of Deaths which occurred during each particular Month of the Year 1905.

DISEASES.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
CLASS I.—GENERAL DISEASES.													
ZYMOTIC DISEASES.													
Measles (Morbilli)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	3
Scarlet Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Influenza	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	4	5	2	16
Diphtheria, Membranous Croup	1	...	2	...	...	3	2	1	...	...	...	1	10
Enteric Fever	3	3	2	5	3	...	2	1	...	1	...	3	23
	4	3	4	5	4	4	5	3	2	6	7	6	53
Diarrhœa, Choleraic Diarrhœa	3	5	2	4	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	21
Dysentery	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	3	5	2	6	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	23
Tetanus	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	4
Syphilis	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	5
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	7
Puerperal Septicæmia, Sapræmia	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	4
Puerperal Pyæmia	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Puerperal Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	3
Lobar, Croupous-Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	2
Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular, Pneumonia	1	2	2	...	1	1	1	5	3	2	3	21
Pneumonia	3	5	2	4	3	4	5	7	6	13	8	7	67
Erysipelas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Septicæmia (not Puerperal)	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Pyæmia (not Puerperal)	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	3	6	5	7	5	8	10	9	12	18	11	10	104
Tuberculous Phthisis (Pulm. Tuberculosis)	3	1	4	1	2	3	1	4	8	2	3	2	34
Phthisis	6	9	3	9	9	7	11	14	6	11	8	7	100
Tuberculous Meningitis	...	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	1	2	11
Tuberculous Peritonitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	3
Tabes Mesenterica	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2
Tubercle of other Organs	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	2	2	1	...	9
General Tuberculosis	2	...	2	2	3	2	1	2	1	...	3	...	18
	11	10	12	16	15	14	14	2	18	18	16	11	177
PARASITIC DISEASES.													
Hydatids	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Alcoholism, Delirium Tremens	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2
Rheumatic Fever, Acute Rheumatism	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	...	2	7
Rheumatic Arthritis, Rheumatic Gout	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3
Gout	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	1	3	1	...	2	11
Carcinoma	3	4	4	...	7	3	6	3	3	4	3	5	45
Sarcoma	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Malignant Disease, Cancer	7	4	6	3	3	2	4	6	4	4	5	3	51
	10	8	10	3	10	5	10	9	8	8	8	8	97
Rickets	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	7
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia	1	1	...	1	2	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	9
Diabetes Mellitus	...	1	1	2	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	8
	2	3	1	4	3	3	1	4	2	1	...	...	24

DISEASES.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
Premature Birth	4	5	7	6	5	6	8	8	5	3	9	6	72
Congenital Defects	1	2	...	1	1	...	...	3	1	1	2	1	13
Injury at Birth	...	2	...	1	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	7
Atelectasis	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Want of Breast Milk	...	...	1	2	6	...	1	2	1	...	1	2	16
Teething	2	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	2	10
	7	9	9	11	13	7	12	14	9	5	12	11	119
Total Class I.	41	45	45	54	52	45	55	63	56	57	57	52	622
CLASS II.—LOCAL DISEASES.													
DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.													
Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	...	...	3	3	2	1	2	2	1	1	5	3	23
Softening of Brain	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3
General Paralysis of Insane	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	3	1	...	7
Epilepsy	...	1	...	...	4	1	3	...	...	1	...	1	11
Convulsions	8	4	6	7	5	2	7	4	4	7	3	6	63
Laryngismus Stridulus	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2
Locomotor Ataxy	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	...	6
Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	1	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	7
Brain Tumour (not specific)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2
Nervous System, other Diseases	1	2	1	1	...	4	1	1	2	...	4	2	19
	10	9	12	12	11	9	16	11	9	15	17	12	143
DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.													
Otitis, Mastoid Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	3
DISEASE OF HEART.													
Valve Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	1	2	3	3	...	2	1	2	4	3	3	3	27
Pericarditis	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	2
Angina Pectoris	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2
Dilatation of Heart	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	5
Fatty Degeneration of Heart	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Syncope, Heart Disease (not specified)	19	12	10	14	9	12	12	8	17	10	13	15	151
	20	15	13	18	9	14	14	11	22	16	18	18	188
DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.													
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Emb., Throm.	4	1	2	3	3	6	1	5	2	3	5	1	36
Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	4	2	3	2	3	4	4	3	2	2	7	2	38
Aneurism	...	1	2	2	...	1	1	2	2	1	...	1	13
Senile Gangrene	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)	...	...	2	...	...	3	2	...	1	...	1	...	9
Blood Vessels, other Diseases	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	9	4	9	8	6	14	8	10	8	6	13	4	99
DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.													
Laryngitis	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4
Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Croup (not Spas. mod. or Membr.)	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2
Larynx, other Diseases (not specified)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Bronchitis	2	...	4	2	2	2	2	9	10	7	5	3	48
Emphysema, Asthma	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	1	7
Pleurisy	...	2	1	...	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	...	11
Fibroid Disease of Lung	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
Respiratory Diseases, other	1	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	6
	4	4	7	3	5	6	6	12	11	11	8	5	82
DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.													
Tonsillitis, Quinsy	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4
Mouth, Pharynx, Disease (not specific)	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	4
Gastric Ulcer	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	5
Gastric Catarrh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Stomach, other Disease (not Malig.)	2	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	2	10
Enteritis (not Epidemic)	1	2	3	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	11
Gastro Enteritis	6	4	3	2	2	3	1	...	2	...	3	5	31
Appendicitis, Perityphlitis	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	2	2	2	12
Hernia	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	5
Intestinal Obstruction	...	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	7
Other Diseases of Intestines	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	9
Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	1	1	...	1	3	...	1	2	3	...	...	...	12
Cirrhosis of Liver	...	...	...	2	1	2	...	1	...	...	1	1	8
Liver and Gall Bladder, other Diseases	4	3	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	24
Digestive System, other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	4
	18	14	10	13	12	12	10	10	10	7	14	17	147

DISEASES.	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
LYMPHATIC DISEASES.													
Spleen Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Lymph. System, other Diseases	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Thyroid Body Disease	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2
Supra Renal Capsule Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	3
	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	1	7
DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.													
Nephritis, Acute	2	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	7
Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	6	...	1	2	1	2	3	1	2	...	2	3	23
Calculus (not Biliary)	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3
Bladder and Prostate Disease	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	1	1	1	1	...	10
Urinary System, Other Diseases	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	2	9
	10	...	3	5	6	5	3	3	6	2	4	5	52
DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.													
Ovarian Tumour (not Malig.)	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
Uterine Tumour (not Malig.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2
Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	5
ACCIDENTS OF CHILDBIRTH.													
Abortion, Miscarriage	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	3
Puerperal Convulsions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Placenta Prævia, Flooding	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Other Accid. of Pregnancy and Childbirth	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	2	...	2	1	9
	...	1	...	2	1	...	1	2	2	...	4	1	14
JOINT DISEASES.													
Caries, Necrosis	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3
Other Diseases of Locomotor System	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	4
SKIN DISEASES.													
Ulcer, Bedsore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Eczema	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2
Skin Diseases, other	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	5
TOTAL CLASS II.	72	48	56	63	51	60	61	60	71	62	80	65	749
CLASS III.—OTHER SPECIFIED DISEASES.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLASS IV.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED DISEASES.													
Atrophy, Debility	9	6	7	10	5	7	1	3	8	4	6	4	70
Old Age	18	13	21	17	23	28	26	25	28	32	15	15	261
Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3
Causes not specified	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	..	6
TOTAL CLASS IV.	28	19	29	29	28	35	28	28	37	39	21	19	340
CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.													
ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.													
In Mines and Quarries	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	8
Vehicles and Horses	...	...	1	2	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	7
Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	1	...	20	...	30
Machinery	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Weapons and Implements	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	4
Burns and Scalds	1	1	3	...	1	3	1	...	1	1	...	1	13
Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	3
Drowning	4	...	1	1	3	1	1	...	1	3	2	4	21
Suffocation—(*a*) From overlaying	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
(*b*) Otherwise	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4
Falls	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	3
Weather Agencies	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2
Bite of Snake	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Otherwise or not stated	3	2	3	1	...	3	1	...	5	1	4	1	24
	8	8	9	8	7	17	7	3	14	6	27	8	122
HOMICIDE AND SUICIDE.													
Homicide by Whites	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Suicide—By Hanging or Strangulation	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3
By Firearms	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
By Cutting Instruments	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
By other means	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	...	3
	2	2	1	...	2	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	11
TOTAL CLASS V.	10	10	10	8	9	18	7	4	14	7	28	8	133
TOTAL	151	122	140	154	140	158	151	155	178	165	186	144	1844

DEATHS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

RETURN showing the Number of Deaths REGISTERED *in Tasmania under the various Divisions and Registration Districts; also showing certain Averages and Proportions.*

Mean Population of Decade—171,503.

DISTRICTS. (Year / Mean Population)	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	YEARLY AVERAGE.
	157,702	162,108	166,559	170,659	172,775	173,679	175,918	177,547	178,826	179,259	
CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS.											
Hobart	597	629	638	620	550	533	590	636	596	597	599
Launceston	398	346	474	381	351	329	393	387	341	329	373
Total Chief Urban Districts.	995	975	1112	1001	901	862	983	1023	937	926	972
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.											
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—											
Beaconsfield	27	50	68	37	41	44	46	44	42	47	45
Evandale	27	34	35	33	24	13	19	41	23	27	27
Fingal	42	45	56	42	43	31	28	32	30	24	37
Frankford	4	7	8	5	9	4	5	3	5	3	5
George Town	8	4	5	9	5	1	3	3	6	2	5
Lefroy	16	13	14	16	7	9	8	7	5	4	10
Lilydale	14	9	14	17	14	7	10	16	5	14	12
Portland	12	7	9	17	13	15	11	13	11	14	12
Ringarooma	41	21	48	36	46	21	28	37	34	34	35
Westbury	39	46	50	50	43	31	37	36	36	25	39
Total North-Eastern Division	230	236	307	262	245	176	195	232	197	194	227
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION—											
Deloraine	48	46	53	51	54	32	43	36	56	39	46
Emu Bay	37	31	36	27	18	24	19	33	42	20	29
Mersey	62	48	81	53	47	46	40	64	57	57	56
Montagu	5	5	1	...	3	3	10	4	4	2	4
Port Frederick	26	30	41	34	31	39	40	40	49	29	36
Port Sorell	6	1	2	1	4	3	3	2	4	1	3
Sheffield	10	27	22	20	23	21	20	28	23	15	21
Stanley	13	12	13	27	25	8	21	13	31	15	18
Ulverstone	53	43	72	91	71	47	51	88	50	59	63
Waratah	9	19	12	11	12	21	10	7	9	11	12
Wynyard*	...	2	20	23	14	26	15	23	13	29	18
Total North-Western Division	269	264	353	338	302	270	272	338	338	277	302
MIDLAND DIVISION—											
Bothwell	7	9	7	16	5	6	10	4	8	10	8
Campbell Town	18	24	15	21	19	22	24	24	24	21	21
Green Ponds	9	9	14	17	11	6	6	10	4	4	9
Hamilton	12	15	27	23	20	6	15	14	17	11	16
Longford	59	48	63	52	46	47	28	66	49	37	49
Lyell*	...	...	52	80	46	87	72	63	47	51	50
Oatlands	31	37	31	20	29	28	24	27	26	30	28
Ross	6	4	7	7	3	6	14	4	6	2	6
Strahan	19	43	18	30	17	23	11	5	5	7	18
Zeehan	46	74	78	85	52	75	44	52	77	52	64
Total Midland Division	207	263	312	351	248	306	248	269	263	225	269
SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—											
Brighton	21	15	17	18	14	13	15	10	10	12	14
Clarence	6	10	8	11	10	13	8	7	17	11	10
Glamorgan	11	6	14	11	10	6	6	9	11	14	10
Gordon	4	7	13	9	8	8	3	9	7	7	7
Kingston	11	7	10	15	12	7	14	15	6	10	11
New Norfolk	49	65	72	75	64	59	61	75	86	70	68
Port Cygnet	19	21	29	13	14	17	17	16	14	16	18
Ralph's Bay	1	...	5	1	2	1	2	1	3	1	2
Richmond	8	15	26	21	12	19	13	26	13	12	16
Sorell	11	19	16	21	13	14	13	21	14	13	15
Spring Bay	13	5	14	8	4	3	7	5	4	5	7
Tasman Peninsula	3	1	5	8	6	4	9	7	5	6	5
Victoria	7	5	7	9	8	5	10	6	10	10	8
Total South-Eastern Division	164	176	236	220	177	169	178	207	200	187	191
SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION—											
Esperance	12	5	5	3	17	14	6	11	3	9	9
Franklin	6	14	23	12	7	6	18	13	22	12	13
Geeveston	7	7	6	6	2	5	6	14	7	9	7
Southport	11	7	5	11	4	6	8	9	7	5	7
Total South-Western Division	36	33	39	32	30	31	38	47	39	35	36
Total Country Districts	906	972	1247	1203	1002	952	931	1093	1037	918	1026
GRAND TOTAL	1901	1947	2359	2204	1903	1814	1914	2116	1974	1844	1998
Death-rate per 1000 of Mean Population	12·06	12·01	14·17	12·91	11·02	10·45	10·88	11·92	11·04	10·29	11·65

* Included as part of another District prior to date where figures are first shown.

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RETURN showing the Ages at Deaths under each Division

Districts.	Total Number of Deaths.	Under 1 Month.	1 and under 3 Months.	3 Months and under 6 Months.	6 Months and under 12 Months.	Total under 1 Year.	1-2.	2-3.	3-4.	4-5.	Total under 5 Years.	5-10.
CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS.												
Hobart	532	34	29	28	27	118	6	2	6	4	136	7
Launceston	289	36	13	15	10	74	6	3	...	2	85	7
Total Chief Urban Districts	821	70	42	43	37	192	12	5	6	6	221	14
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.												
North-Eastern Division.												
Beaconsfield	48	4	1	3	4	12	1	1	...	1	15	1
Evandale	28	2	...	3	1	6	...	...	...	...	6	1
Fingal	27	6	...	1	1	8	1	1	...	...	10	1
Frankford	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
George Town	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lefroy	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lilydale	19	2	...	1	...	3	1	...	...	...	4	1
Portland	14	3	...	...	...	3	1	1	...	...	5	...
Ringarooma	42	7	1	2	...	10	...	...	1	...	11	2
Westbury	26	4	1	1	...	6	1	...	...	...	7	...
Total North-Eastern Division	214	28	3	11	6	48	5	3	1	1	58	6
North-Western Division.												
Deloraine	45	5	1	...	...	6	2	1	2	...	11	1
Emu Bay	22	2	...	2	3	7	2	...	...	...	9	...
Mersey	58	3	6	3	2	14	3	...	1	...	18	1
Montagu	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Port Frederick	32	2	3	2	...	7	...	...	...	...	7	3
Port Sorell	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sheffield	15	1	1	1	1	4	1	...	...	1	6	...
Stanley	16	1	...	1	1	3	...	..	...	1	4	...
Ulverstone	60	9	1	4	6	20	1	...	...	1	22	1
Waratah	11	...	2	1	1	4	...	...	...	...	4	...
Wynyard	29	4	2	...	1	7	...	1	...	...	8	2
Total North-Western Division	291	27	16	15	15	73	9	2	3	3	90	8
Midland Division.												
Bothwell	11	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	3	...
Campbell Town	21	2	...	...	1	3	...	1	1	...	5	...
Green Ponds	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamilton	12	1	1	...	1	3	...	...	1	...	4	...
Longford	39	5	1	1	1	8	1	...	...	...	9	1
Lyell	55	4	2	4	8	18	3	1	...	...	22	2
Oatlands	33	3	1	...	...	4	1	1	...	...	6	4
Ross	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strahan	7	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...
Zeehan	52	3	4	5	4	16	3	1	...	...	20	1
Total Midland Division	239	20	10	10	16	56	8	4	2	1	71	8
South-Eastern Division.												
Brighton	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clarence	11	1	2	1	2	6	...	...	...	...	6	...
Glamorgan	14	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	3	1
Gordon	8	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	1
Kingston	13	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
New Norfolk	75	5	5	2	2	14	2	3	...	...	19	...
Port Cygnet	16	2	1	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	4	...
Ralph's Bay	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Richmond	13	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	1
Sorell	15	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...
Spring Bay	6	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Tasman Peninsula	7	2	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	3	...
Victoria	13	2	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	1	5	...
Total South-Eastern Division	208	19	9	4	5	37	4	5	1	2	49	3
South-Western Division.												
Esperance	11	2	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	3	...
Franklin	13	1	1	3	...	5	1	...	...	...	6	...
Geeveston	12	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	3	...
Southport	6	2	...	1	1	4	...	...	...	...	4	...
Total South-Western Division	42	7	1	4	2	14	1	...	1	...	16	...
Total Country Districts	994	101	39	44	44	228	27	14	8	7	284	25
Shipping, &c.	29	2	1	...	1	4	1	...	...	...	5	...
GRAND TOTAL	1844	173	82	87	82	424	40	19	14	13	510	39
Per cent. to Total	100·00	9·38	4·45	4·72	4·45	23·00	2·17	1·03	0·76	0·70	27·66	2·11

NOTE.—Deaths occurring in the Hospitals of Hobart and Launceston from cases originating in the

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and Registration District in Tasmania for the Year 1905.

10 - 15.	15 - 20.	20 - 25.	25 - 30.	30 - 35.	35 - 40.	40 - 45.	45 - 50.	50 - 55.	55 - 60.	60 - 65.	Total 5 - 65.	65 - 70.	70 - 75.	75 - 80.	Total 65 - 80.	80 - 85.	85 - 90.	90 - 95.	95 & upwards.	Total 80 and upwards.	Ages not specified.
9	18	28	11	13	18	18	17	14	18	34	205	38	52	39	129	32	22	8	..	62	...
6	8	7	6	11	10	9	4	13	18	15	114	17	14	23	54	18	14	2	2	36	...
15	26	35	17	24	28	27	21	27	36	49	319	55	66	62	183	50	36	10	2	98	...
4	1	3	2	3	1	1	3	2	3	...	24	3	1	1	5	3	...	1	...	4	...
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2	7	7	12	6	6	17	8	8	9	12	102	9	15	21	45	10	7	4	...	21	...
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...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...
...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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3	11	5	6	9	7	11	8	11	11	15	100	9	10	16	35	11	6	3	1	24	...
...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	5	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	1	...
...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	2	...	3	...	1	...	...	1	...
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	1	3	2	...	1	1	4	...
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...	2	...	2	1	...	...	3	2	...	1	11	1	5	2	8	3	2	1	1	7	...
22	35	28	38	34	36	44	34	46	43	45	430	49	56	71	176	52	28	20	3	103	1
...	6	4	3	1	...	4	1	2	1	1	23	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	67	67	58	59	64	75	56	75	80	95	772	105	122	133	360	102	64	30	5	201	1
2·01	3·63	3·63	3·15	3·20	3·47	4·07	3·04	4·07	4·34	5·15	41·87	5·69	6·63	7·21	19·53	5·53	3·47	1·63	·27	10·90	·04

Country Districts, are, in this Return, included in the District in which the fatal illness was contracted.

DEATHS—DECENNIAL RETURN.

RETURN showing the Number of Deaths REGISTERED *during each Year, the Average Number of the Decade, and Percentage of the same, at particular Ages; also the Percentage to Total Deaths at stated Ages for each Year of Decade.*

Average Mean Population for Decade—171,503.

PARTICULARS.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	Yearly Average.
Year / Mean Population	157,702	162,108	166,559	170,659	172,775	173,679	175,918	177,547	178,826	179,259	
Under 1 year of age	410	411	531	543	389	439	402	563	480	424	459
1 year of age and under 2	60	69	119	92	56	53	50	65	50	40	65
2 years of age and under 3	20	31	45	39	20	17	24	23	18	19	26
3 " " 4	17	19	15	22	19	8	15	19	18	14	17
4 " " 5	17	15	20	22	13	14	9	10	14	13	15
Total under 5 years of age	524	545	730	718	497	531	500	680	580	510	582
5 years of age and under 10	43	52	64	54	51	36	44	65	32	39	48
10 " " 20	88	103	137	90	109	75	126	123	89	104	104
20 " " 30	160	167	176	157	126	126	144	155	143	125	148
30 " " 40	148	152	160	166	123	137	140	150	115	123	142
40 " " 50	105	123	147	145	152	136	156	143	136	131	137
50 " " 60	122	136	132	120	126	123	126	144	151	155	134
60 " " 65	106	86	87	84	89	83	89	99	93	95	91
Total 5 years of age and under 65	772	819	903	816	776	716	825	879	759	772	804
65 years of age and under 70	115	97	135	136	110	108	104	102	119	105	113
70 " " 80	261	273	345	288	291	263	254	245	293	255	277
80 " " 90	190	182	210	216	201	165	203	186	170	166	189
90 " " 100	35	28	27	27	25	30	24	21	51	35	30
100 " " upwards	1	2	...	3	3	1	2	...	...	...	1
Total 65 years of age and upwards	602	582	717	670	630	567	587	554	633	561	610
Age not known	3	1	9	...	...	...	2	3	2	1	2
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL AGES	1901	1947	2359	2204	1903	1814	1914	2116	1974	1844	1998
Percentage of Deaths to the Total Number of Deaths for each particular year or period—											
Under 1 year of age	21·57	21·11	22·51	24·65	20·45	24·20	21·01	26·61	24·31	23·00	22·97
Under 5 years of age	27·57	27·99	30·95	32·58	26·12	29·27	26·12	32·14	29·38	27·66	29·13
5 years of age and under 65	40·61	42·06	38·28	37·02	40·78	39·45	43·10	41·55	38·45	41·86	40·24
65 years of age and upwards	31·67	29·89	30·39	30·40	33·10	31·26	30·68	26·17	32·07	30·43	30·53
Unspecified	·15	...	·38	...	...	...	·10	·14	·10	·05	·10
All ages	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
Death-rate per 1000 of Mean Population of each year	12·06	12·01	14·17	12·91	11·02	10·45	10·88	11·92	11·04	10·28	11·65

DEATHS.*

DECENNIAL RETURN showing the Number of Deaths occurring in Tasmania under the various Classes and Orders.

Mean Population of Decade—171,503.

PARTICULARS.	YEAR.										Average of Decade.	Per cent. to Total.	Average of Decade per 10,000 of Mean Population.
Year	1896	1897	1898	1899	1900	1901	1902	1903	1904	1905			
Mean Population	157,702	162,108	166,559	170,659	172,775	173,679	175,918	177,547	178,826	179,259			
GENERAL DISEASES.													
Miasmatic Diseases—													
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	..	..	1·9	0·10	0·11
Measles	1	..	45	13	..	..	1	..	..	3	6·3	0·32	0·37
Epidemic Rose Rash	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	0·2	0·01	0·01
Scarlet Fever	2	5	7	15	9	1	22	26	4	1	9·2	0·46	0·54
Influenza	24	28	53	58	36	34	50	15	22	16	33·6	1·69	1·96
Whooping-cough	10	..	4	54	20	4	23	65	26	..	20·6	1·03	1·20
Mumps	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	0·4	0·02	0·02
Diphtheria	13	12	10	19	10	16	3	9	4	10	10·6	0·53	0·62
Typhoid Fever, &c.	44	47	83	46	30	23	25	38	22	23	38·1	1·92	2·22
Simple Continued Fever	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0·1	0·01	0·01
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	0·2	0·01	0·01
Diarrhœal Diseases	48	52	108	59	42	73	25	66	57	23	55·3	2·78	3·22
Malarial Diseases	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	0·4	0·02	0·02
Venereal Diseases.													
Syphilis	6	6	4	6	2	5	4	6	10	5	5·4	0·27	0·30
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra	1	..	..	4	3	..	1	3	2	2	1·6	0·08	0·09
Septic Diseases (including Pneumonia)	129	125	127	149	105	133	124	136	110	104	124·2	6·25	7·24
Tubercular Diseases	143	184	185	167	160	140	167	162	172	177	165·7	8·33	9·66
Parasitic Diseases	9	8	7	5	4	5	5	7	3	1	5·4	0·27	0·30
Dietic Diseases and Industrial Poisoning	5	7	8	9	4	7	7	8	4	1	6·0	0·30	0·35
Rheumatic Fever, Rheumatism, and Gout	4	9	12	8	9	10	7	15	6	11	9·1	0·46	0·53
Cancer all forms	95	81	99	91	93	95	109	100	93	97	95·3	4·79	5·56
Premature Birth	46	40	52	71	66	79	70	83	68	70	64·5	3·24	3·76
Other General Diseases	21	41	44	61	31	39	37	78	75	75	50·2	2·53	2·96
TOTAL GENERAL DISEASES	603	647	849	835	625	664	681	841	679	619	704·3	35·42	41·06
LOCAL DISEASES.													
Diseases of Nervous System	226	214	244	234	223	169	219	135	136	143	194·3	9·77	11·33
Ditto Organs of Special Sense	1	3	4	1	2	..	2	..	..	3	1·6	·08	0·09
Ditto Heart	211	196	204	233	242	191	209	191	230	186	234·0	11·77	13·64
Ditto Blood Vessels								71	77	99			
Ditto Respiratory Organs	114	112	119	125	87	74	87	103	97	81	99·9	5·03	5·82
Ditto Digestive System	132	135	186	165	126	147	145	186	159	146	152·7	7·68	8·90
Ditto Lymphatic System	3	5	7	..	2	..	7	5	3	7	3·9	0·20	0·23
Ditto Urinary System	57	56	60	41	68	48	53	58	60	52	55·3	2·78	3·23
Ditto Generative System	2	9	5	7	3	9	7	7	6	5	6·0	0·30	0·35
Accidents of Childbirth	17	18	25	14	24	16	18	21	14	14	18·1	0·90	1·06
Joint Diseases	7	8	7	4	5	4	6	7	4	4	5·6	0·28	0·33
Skin Diseases	3	2	4	2	2	4	4	7	6	5	3·9	0·19	0·23
TOTAL LOCAL DISEASES	773	758	865	826	784	665	757	788	792	745	775·3	38·98	45·21
ILL-DEFINED & NOT-SPECIFIED DISEASES.													
Atrophy, Debility	100	115	137	129	97	95	98	92	111	70	104·4	5·25	6·09
Old Age	261	258	333	92	251	269	268	249	274	261	271·6	13·66	15·84
Others	19	23	23	12	24	15	16	15	20	7	17·4	0·87	1·01
TOTAL ILL-DEFINED AND NOT-SPECIFIED DISEASES	380	396	493	433	372	379	382	356	405	338	393·4	19·78	22·94
VIOLENT DEATHS.													
Accident or Negligence	122	124	134	95	104	85	75	108	78	102	102·7	5·17	5·99
Homicide	1	2	7	1	1	4	..	2	1	2	2·1	0·10	0·12
Suicide	11	13	8	12	16	8	9	10	14	9	11·0	0·55	0·64
TOTAL VIOLENT DEATHS	134	139	149	108	121	97	84	120	93	113	115·8	5·82	6·75
ALL CAUSES	1890	1940	2356	2202	1902	1805	1904	2105	1969	1815	1988·8	100·00	115·97
Proportion per 1000 of Mean Population each year	11·99	11·97	14·15	12·90	11·01	10·39	10·82	11·86	11·01	10·13	11·60	..	..

* Deaths occurring at sea and registered in Tasmania are not included.

NUMBER of Deaths of Persons of both Sexes registered during each Month

AGE GROUPS.	January.		February.		March.		April.		May.		June.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 1 month	6	10	7	5	7	5	9	6	11	6	9	1
1 month and under 3 months	1	2	4	4	5	5	5	3	2	1	4	3
3 months and under 6 months	7	5	2	6	4	6	4	4	5	4	4	1
6 months and under 12 months	6	4	2	4	4	1	9	4	2	...	2	2
Total under 12 months	20	21	15	19	20	17	27	17	20	11	19	7
1 year and under 2 years	2	1	2	1	4	1	1	2	...	1	1	1
2 „ 3 „	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	2
3 „ 4 „	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1
4 „ 5 „	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...
Total 1 year and under 5 years	3	2	3	2	4	5	1	2	4	3	3	4
5 years and under 10 years	6	1	1	2	3	2	1	1	2	...	4	...
10 „ 15 „	4	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	2	2	3	5
15 „ 20 „	3	1	1	3	5	1	1	1	4	2	2	4
20 „ 25 „	...	1	4	4	2	3	...	4	1	2	4	1
25 „ 30 „	1	2	1	3	...	2	3	3	4	2	3	2
30 „ 35 „	3	1	1	...	1	...	5	2	3	2	...	3
35 „ 40 „	4	4	2	2	1	2	6	1	1	4	1	3
40 „ 45 „	7	2	...	2	4	3	4	3	1	3	8	2
45 „ 50 „	4	2	2	1	3	2	5	3	1	1	2	3
50 „ 55 „	3	3	1	4	2	1	1	1	5	2	7	1
55 „ 60 „	3	1	5	2	1	5	3	3	8	1	5	1
60 „ 65 „	3	2	1	2	4	3	5	4	3	4	4	3
65 „ 70 „	3	5	5	5	4	9	10	4	4	2	4	3
70 „ 75 „	8	4	5	6	7	1	3	5	5	6	4	6
75 „ 80 „	6	3	5	2	3	5	8	3	2	3	7	6
80 „ 85 „	4	5	5	1	4	2	3	2	8	3	8	5
85 „ 90 „	3	1	3	1	4	2	3	...	5	1	5	3
90 „ 95 „	1	1	...	...	1	1	2	2	1	2	1	1
95 and upward	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Total 5 years and over	66	39	43	40	50	44	64	43	60	42	73	52
Age not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
Total all ages, Male and Female	89	62	61	61	74	66	92	62	84	56	95	63
GRAND TOTAL	151		122		140		154		140		158	
Per cent. to Total Males	8·39	...	5·75	...	6·98	...	8·67	...	7·92	...	8·95	...
„ „ Females	..	7·92	...	7·79	...	8·43	...	7·92	...	7·15	...	8·05
Per cent. to Total Persons	8·19		6·61		7·59		8·35		7·59		8·57	
Percentage of Deaths under Age Groups to Total Number of Persons dying during each Month—												
Under 1 year of age	22·47	33·87	24·59	31·14	27·03	25·75	29·35	27·42	23·81	19·64	20·00	11·11
Under 5 years of age	25·84	37·10	29·52	34·42	32·43	33·33	30·44	30·65	28·57	25·00	23·16	17·4
5 years of age and under 65	46·07	32·26	32·78	40·99	36·49	36·37	38·04	43·55	41·67	44·64	45·27	44·44
65 „ and upwards	28·09	30·64	37·70	24·59	31·08	30·30	31·52	25·80	29·76	30·36	31·57	38·09
Unspecified	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
All ages	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

of the Year ended 31st December, 1905, distinguishing Ages at Death.

July.		August.		September.		October.		November.		December.		Total for the Year.			Per cent. to Total.		
Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.			
9	6	6	6	11	8	4	10	7	11	10	3	96	77	173	9·05	9·83	9·38
3	1	10	1	6	3	2	...	4	3	10	...	56	26	82	5·28	3·32	4·45
4	5	4	2	1	1	2	1	5	1	5	4	47	40	87	4·43	5·11	4·72
4	4	2	3	5	3	7	3	1	1	5	4	49	33	82	4·62	4·21	4·45
20	16	22	12	23	15	15	14	17	16	30	11	248	176	424	23·38	22·47	23·00
1	...	4	...	2	3	4	3	3	...	2	1	26	14	40	2·45	1·79	2·17
...	1	1	...	...	...	3	...	1	2	1	2	10	9	19	·94	1·15	1·04
1	...	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	7	7	14	·66	·89	·76
1	...	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	...	1	...	8	5	13	·76	·64	·70
3	1	6	1	5	3	11	5	4	4	4	3	51	35	86	4·81	4·47	4·67
2	...	3	...	3	1	...	1	2	2	1	1	28	11	39	2·64	1·41	2·12
2	...	1	...	1	1	4	3	...	1	2	2	22	15	37	2·07	1·92	2·01
...	4	2	3	2	4	2	3	12	2	4	1	38	29	67	3·58	3·70	3·63
3	1	4	3	3	4	5	4	7	...	4	3	37	30	67	3·49	3·83	3·63
3	...	2	5	2	6	4	1	5	2	1	1	29	29	58	2·73	3·70	3·14
3	3	2	2	4	4	...	3	5	4	2	6	29	30	59	2·73	3·83	3·20
...	5	5	2	4	1	2	2	5	3	4	...	35	29	64	3·30	3·70	3·47
2	3	2	2	3	1	2	3	8	5	2	3	43	32	75	4·05	4·09	4·07
4	1	2	2	3	...	5	1	2	...	4	3	37	19	56	3·49	2·43	3·04
5	4	2	4	4	2	2	2	9	2	4	4	45	30	75	4·24	3·83	4·07
1	4	7	3	4	4	4	...	6	3	4	2	51	29	80	4·81	3·70	4·34
6	5	3	2	5	3	5	5	10	5	5	3	54	41	95	5·09	5·24	5·15
8	4	3	4	4	5	3	2	8	2	...	4	56	49	105	5·28	6·26	5·69
4	4	5	6	6	7	9	6	2	6	1	6	59	63	122	5·56	8·05	6·61
6	3	8	8	13	7	7	7	8	5	5	3	78	55	133	7·35	7·02	7·21
3	7	8	2	7	7	6	4	4	1	3	...	63	39	102	5·94	4·98	5·53
1	3	2	2	3	3	4	3	3	2	4	3	40	24	64	3·77	3·07	3·47
1	1	1	2	...	1	4	2	3	1	...	1	15	15	30	1·41	1·92	1·63
1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	0·19	·38	·27
55	55	62	52	71	61	68	52	99	46	50	46	761	572	1333	71·72	73·06	72·28
1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	·09	...	·05
79	72	90	65	99	79	94	71	120	66	84	60	1061	783	...	100·00	100·00	...
151		155		178		165		186		144		...	...	1844	...	...	100·00
7·44	...	8·48	...	9·33	...	8·86	...	11·31	...	7·92	...	100·00					
...	9·19	...	8·30	...	10·09	...	9·07	...	8·43	...	7·66	...	100·00				
8·19		8·41		9·65		8·95		10·09		7·81		...	...	100·00			
25·32	22·22	24·44	18·46	23·23	18·98	15·96	19·71	14·16	24·24	35·71							
29·11	23 61	31·12	20·00	28.29	22·79	27·66	26·76	17·50	30·30	40·47							
39·24	41·67	38·88	43·07	38·38	39·24	37·23	39·44	59·17	43·94	44·05							
30·38	34·72	30·00	36·93	33·33	37·97	35·11	33·80	23·33	25·76	15·48							
1·27	...	...	...	...	. .	...	...	...	...	...							
100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00						

POPULATION and Deaths (Year 1905) under Age-Groups.

NUMERICAL.

	ESTIMATED MEAN POPULATION.				DEATHS.*				
	0-5.	5-65.	65 & over.	TOTAL.	0-5.	5-65.	65 & over.	TOTAL.	Under 1 year.
Hobart—City	2354	21,154	1146	24,654	103	160	91	354	87
Suburbs	999	8554	700	10,253	33	45	100	178	31
Total District	3353	29,708	1846	34,907	136	205	191	532	118
Launceston—City	1859	15,504	874	18,237	77	92	88	257	67
Suburbs	413	2800	142	3355	8	22	2	32	7
Total District	2272	18,304	1016	21,592	85	114	90	289	74
Country Districts	16,098	102,210	4452	122,760	284	430	280	994	228
TOTAL TASMANIA	21,723	150,222	7314	179,259	505	749	561	1815	420

PERCENTAL.

Hobart—City	9·55	85·80	4·65	100·00	29·10	45·19	25·71	100·00	24·57
Suburbs	9·74	83·44	6·82‡	100·00	18·54	25·28	56·18	100·00	17·42
Total District	9·60	85·13	5·27	100·00	25·56	38·54	35·90	100·00	22·18
Launceston—City	10·19	85·02	4·79	100·00	29·96	35·80	34·24	100·00	26·07
Suburbs	12·35	83·41	4·24	100·00	25·00	68·75	6·25	100·00	21·87
Total District	10·51	84·79	4·70	100·00	29·41	39·45	31·14	100·00	25·61
Country Districts	13·11	83·26	3·63	100·00	28·57	43·26	28·17	100·00	22·94
TOTAL TASMANIA	12·12	83·80	4·08	100·00	27·82	41·27	30·91	100·00	23·14

DEATH-RATE.

	DEATHS PER 1000 PERSONS LIVING.				HEALTH STANDARDS.			
	0-5.	5-65.	65 & over.	TOTAL.	All Ages per 1000 living.†	All Ages Deaths from preventible causes per 1000 living.†	All Causes under 65 years per 1000 living.†§	Infant mortality per 1000 Births.
Hobart—City	43·76	7·56	79·40	14·36	18·17	16·02	12·86	...
Suburbs	33·03	5·26	142·85‡	17·36‡	20·83	11·74	9·73	...
District	40·56	3·47	103·46	15·24	19·29	14·76	11·95	117·08
Launceston—City	41·42	5·93	100·70	14·09	17·74	13·92	11·08	...
Suburbs	22·22	7·85	14·08	9·54	11·42	11·42	11·27	...
District	37·41	6·23	88·60	13·38	17·17	13·53	11·03	108·98
Country Districts	17·64	4·20	62·90	8·10	10·90	9·14	6·76	63·87
ALL TASMANIA	23·25	4·99	76·71	10·13	13·37	10·63	8·04	79·90

Births—Hobart, City, 754; Suburbs, 254. Launceston, City, 603; Suburbs, 76.

* In this Return all Hospital Deaths, &c., are referred to the District in which the cause of death originated: deaths occurring at sea, or on board newly arrived vessels, are omitted.

† Corrected for disproportion of Age-Groups. ‡ The Suburbs of Hobart embrace the New Town Charitable Institution, in which aged persons from all parts of the State are assembled. § The only approximately true Health Standard.

TASMANIA, HOBART AND LAUNCESTON.

POPULATION, Births, Deaths, and Death Rate under Age-Groups for the Year 1905.[a]

	Hobart.[a]						Launceston.[a]						Tasmania.	
	Actual.			Relative.			Actual.			Relative.			Actual.	Relative.
	City.	Suburbs.	Both.	City.	Suburbs.	Both.	City.	Suburbs.	Both.	City.	Suburbs.	Both.		
				Per 1000 persons living.						Per 1000 persons living.				Per 1000 persons living.
Births	754	254	1008	30·59	24·77	28·87	603	76	679	33·06	22·65	31·45	5257	29·32
Estimated mean Population—				Per cent. to Total.						Per cent. to Total.				Per cent. to Total.
Under 1 year	507	209	716	2·06	2·04	2·05	410	82	492	2·25	2·41	2·28	4786	2·67
1 to 19 years inclusive	10,236	4548	14,784	41·52	44·40	42·35	7784	1606	9390	42·68	48·08	43·49	81,007	45·19
20 to 39 years ditto	8135	2920	11,055	32·99	28·37	31·67	5907	939	6846	32·39	27·78	31·70	55,075	31·18
40 to 59 years ditto	4070	1630	5700	16·51	15·89	16·33	2856	529	3385	15·66	15·81	15·68	26,692	14·89
60 years and over	1706	946	2652	6·92	9·30	7·60	1280	199	1479	7·02	5·92	6·85	10,899	6·07
All Ages	24,654	10,253	34,907	100·00	100·00	100·00	18,237	3355	21,592	100·00	100·00	100·00	179,259	100·00
Deaths—														
Under 1 year (Infantile Deaths)	87	31	118	24·58	17·42	22·18	67	7	74	26·07	21·87	25·61	420	23·14
1 to 19 years inclusive	42	10	52	11·86	5·62	9·77	27	5	32	10·51	15·64	11·07	222	12·23
20 to 39 years ditto	57	13	70	16·10	7·30	13·16	27	7	34	10·51	21·87	11·76	240	13·22
40 to 59 years ditto	51	16	67	14·41	8·99	12·59	37	7	44	14·40	21·87	15·23	278	15·32
60 years and over	117	108[b]	225	33·05	60·67[b]	42·30	99	6	105	38·51	18·75	36·33	655	36·09
All Ages — *Preventible causes*[d]	322	103	425	90·96	57·86	79·89	210	32	242	81·71	100·00	83·74	1554	85·62
All Ages — *Non-preventible causes.*	32	75	107	9·04	42·14	20·11	47	—	47	18·29	—	16·26	261	14·38
All Ages — *Both*	354	178	532[c]	100·00	100·00	100·00	257	32	289	100·00	100·00	100·00	1815	100·00
Death Rate per 1000 persons living—				Per 1000 persons living.						Per 1000 persons living.				Per 1000 persons living.
Under 1 year				[h]	[h]	164·80				[h]	[h]	150·40		87·76
1 to 19 years inclusive				[h]	[h]	3·52				[h]	[h]	3·41		2·74
20 to 39 years ditto				[h]	[h]	6·33				[h]	[h]	4·97		4·29
40 to 59 years ditto				[h]	[h]	11·75				[h]	[h]	13·00		10·41
60 years and over				[h]	[h]	84·83				[h]	[h]	71·00		60·09
All Ages — *Preventible causes*[d]				13·06	10·05	12·18				11·51	9·54	11·21		8·67
All Ages — *Non-preventible causes*				1·30	7·31[b]	3·06				2·58	—	2·17		1·46
All Ages — *Total (nominal Death Rate)*				14·36	17·36[b]	15·24				14·09	9·54	13·38		10·13
All Ages — *Total (corrected for changes of Age Constitution)*[g]				18·17	20·83	19·29				17·74	11·42	17·17		13·37
Health Standards—														
(1.) [e] Deaths at all ages from preventible causes only				16·02	11·74	14·76				13·92	11·42	13·53		10·63
(2.) [e] Deaths under 65 years in relation to population within the same age limit				12·86	9·73	11·95				11·08	11·27	11·03		8·04
(3.) [f] Infantile mortality				...	...	117·08				...	...	108·98		79·90

[a] In this table deaths occurring in the Public Hospitals in Hobart and Launceston are referred to the district in which the cause of death originated. [b] This District embraces the New Town Charitable Institution, in which aged persons from all parts of the State are assembled. [c] Deaths occurring at sea or on board foreign ships in port have not been included. [d] Preventible causes embrace deaths at all ages from all causes excepting those classified as due to "Senility" or "Old Age." [e] Corrected for changes in age distribution. [f] Indicates deaths under 1 year per 1000 births. [g] Computed in accordance with the recommendation of the Conference of Statisticians at Hobart, January, 1902, viz.—That the Age-Groups be—Under 1 year, 1 to 20 years, 20 to 40 years, 40 to 60 years, 60 years and over; and that the Population of Sweden (Census 1890) be taken as the Standard. [h] The detailed rates for these divisions are omitted, as the fluctuations between single years when numbers are small give unsatisfactory results.

TASMANIA, HOBART AND LAUNCESTON.

DEATHS and Death Rates under principal Specific Causes.

	Hobart.[a]						Launceston.[a]						Tasmania.	
	Actual.			Relative.			Actual.			Relative.			Actual.	Relative.
	City.	Suburbs.	Both.	City.	Suburbs.	Both.	City.	Suburbs.	Both.	City.	Suburbs.	Both.		
Principal Specific Causes—				Per 100,000 persons.						Per 100,000 persons.				
Non-preventible Causes—														
Old Age	32	75	107	130	731	306	47	...	47	258	...	217	261	146
Preventible Causes—														
Scarlet Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	5	...	5	1	1
Influenza	4	...	4	16	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	9
Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diphtheria	1	...	1	4	...	3	4	...	4	22	...	18	10	6
Typhoid	9	2	11	36	20	32	1	1	2	5	30	9	23	13
Diarrhœa and Dysentery	10	1	11	41	10	32	...	1	1	...	30	5	23	13
Cancer, Malignant Disease	21	9	30	85	88	86	18	2	20	99	60	93	97	54
Diabetes Mellitus	2	...	2	8	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4
Phthisis	37	3	40	150	28	115	16	3	19	88	89	88	134	75
Other forms of Tuberculosis	11	1	12	45	10	34	5	1	6	27	30	28	43	24
Premature Birth	12	1	13	49	10	37	12	...	12	66	...	56	70	39
Inflammation of Brain	6	2	8	24	20	23	3	...	3	16	...	14	23	13
Convulsions	10	3	13	41	28	37	13	1	14	71	30	65	63	35
Heart Diseases, various	40	19	59	162	185	169	19	3	22	105	89	102	186	104
Cerebral Hæmorrhage	7	2	9	28	20	26	4	...	4	22	30	18	36	20
Apoplexy	11	4	15	45	39	43	8	1	9	44	...	42	38	21
Bronchitis	6	1	7	24	10	20	12	...	12	66	...	56	47	26
Pneumonia	14	4	18	57	...	52	15	4	19	82	119	88	90	50
Enteritis, Gastro Enteritis	13	7	20	53	68	57	9	1	10	49	30	46	42	23
Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	5	...	5	20	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	7
Nephritis and Bright's Disease	4	...	4	16	...	11	3	1	4	16	30	18	30	17
Atrophy and Debility	16	10	26	65	98	75	8	2	10	44	60	46	70	39
Other Preventible Causes	83	34	117	337	331	335	59	11	70	324	327	324	492	274
All Preventible Causes	322	103	425	1306	1005	1218	210	32	242	1151	954	1121	1554	867

[a] Deaths occurring in Hospitals, situated within the Districts of Hobart or Launceston of persons whose usual place of residence was outside these Districts, have not been included in the deaths of Hobart or Launceston.

QUINQUENNIAL SUMMARY of Deaths—under Districts, Classes, and principal Specific Causes— (1901-1905).

Class.	Classes.	Hobart District.					Launceston District.					Country Districts.					Tasmania.				
		1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
I	General Diseases—																				
	Zymotic Diseases	99	106	138	125	101	49	80	104	61	57	257	268	311	260	210	405	454	553	446	368
	Parasitic Diseases	...	...	2	...	...	..	1	1	...	...	5	4	4	3	1	5	5	7	3	1
	Dietic Diseases	...	2	2	1	...	2	...	1	2	...	5	4	5	1	1	7	6	8	4	1
	Constitutional Diseases	41	40	38	38	41	13	26	21	24	24	71	70	81	64	67	125	136	140	126	132
	Developmental Diseases	19	14	37	28	29	11	13	27	19	18	72	61	71	66	70	102	88	135	113	117
II	Local Diseases	179	189	202	199	212	136	150	129	129	120	370	410	455	451	413	685	749	786	779	745
III	Other Specified Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
IV	Ill-defined and Not Specified	147	159	144	147	133	74	79	53	56	57	157	144	159	202	148	378	382	356	405	338
V	Violent Deaths ... [Diseases	16	11	18	17	16	9	9	18	6	13	73	64	84	70	84	98	84	120	93	113
	TOTAL	501	521	581	555	532	294	358	354	297	289	1010	1025	1170	1117	994	1805	1904	2105	1969	1815
	Principal Specific Causes.																				
	Influenza	4	6	4	3	4	2	9	1	6	...	23	35	10	13	12	34	50	15	22	16
	Whooping Cough	...	...	23	6	...	...	8	8	...	...	4	15	34	20	...	4	23	65	26	...
	Diphtheria	3	1	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	4	13	1	7	2	5	16	3	9	4	10
	Enteric Fever, Typhoid	8	8	13	8	11	4	3	5	2	2	11	14	20	12	10	23	25	38	22	23
	Diarrhœal Diseases	11	7	23	25	11	4	4	8	2	1	58	14	35	30	11	73	25	66	57	23
	Phthisis	36	27	30	26	40	17	14	18	22	19	47	61	64	65	75	100	102	112	113	134
	Other forms of Tuberculosis	13	15	8	22	12	5	10	8	10	6	22	40	34	27	25	40	65	50	59	43
	Cancer	33	31	28	24	30	13	22	16	20	20	49	56	56	49	47	95	109	100	93	97
	Diabetes Mellitus	1	3	2	10	2	...	3	1	2	...	5	6	7	6	6	6	12	10	18	8
	Premature Birth	15	8	21	13	13	7	8	15	10	12	57	54	47	45	45	79	70	83	68	70
	Inflammation of the Brain	8	12	6	6	8	4	5	5	3	3	14	19	17	16	12	26	36	28	25	23
	Convulsions	7	10	6	9	13	4	8	4	3	14	28	32	26	39	36	39	50	36	51	63
	Heart Diseases, various	52	57	56	59	59	40	40	31	31	22	94	105	104	140	105	186	202	191	230	186
	Apoplexy	9	5	8	10	15	4	7	9	4	9	9	15	12	19	14	22	27	29	33	38
	Bronchitis	12	6	17	8	7	13	14	3	6	12	37	31	55	32	28	62	51	75	46	47
	Pneumonia	19	26	25	19	18	12	27	18	12	19	59	60	62	72	53	90	113	105	103	90
	Enteritis & Gastro Enteritis	21	15	23	23	20	22	21	26	25	10	30	30	40	8	12	73	66	89	56	42
	Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	7	10	8	2	5	6	4	4	1	...	11	14	16	13	7	24	28	28	16	12
	Bright's Disease & Nephritis	9	8	2	10	4	7	5	13	9	4	10	14	23	20	22	26	27	38	39	30
	Atrophy and Debility	23	39	19	20	26	15	13	17	15	10	57	46	56	76	34	95	98	92	111	70
	Old Age	123	118	122	126	107	57	62	35	41	47	89	88	92	107	107	269	268	249	274	261
	All other causes	87	109	136	125	126	58	70	108	72	75	283	275	353	306	328	423	454	597	503	529

DEATHS PER 100,000 PERSONS LIVING.

	Classes.																				
I	General Diseases—																				
	Zymotic Diseases	286	305	396	359	289	231	374	488	283	264	218	224	256	213	171	233	258	312	249	205
	Parasitic Diseases	...	...	6	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	4	3	3	2	1	3	3	4	2	1
	Dietic Diseases	...	6	6	3	...	9	...	5	9	...	4	3	4	1	1	4	3	5	2	1
	Constitutional Diseases	118	115	109	109	117	61	122	98	111	111	60	58	67	52	55	72	77	78	71	73
	Developmental Diseases	55	40	106	80	83	52	61	127	88	83	61	51	59	54	57	59	50	76	63	65
II	Local Diseases	516	514	581	570	607	640	701	604	598	556	316	342	375	369	336	394	426	443	436	416
III	Other Specified Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
IV	Ill-defined and Not Specified	425	457	414	421	382	318	368	248	260	264	133	121	131	165	121	218	217	201	226	189
V	Violent Deaths ... [Diseases	4	32	52	49	46	42	42	84	28	60	62	54	69	57	68	56	48	67	52	63
	TOTAL	1446	1499	1670	1591	1524	1383	1673	1659	1377	1338	858	856	964	913	810	1039	1082	1186	1101	1013
	Principal Specific Causes.																				
	Influenza	12	17	12	9	11	9	42	5	28	...	24	29	8	11	10	20	28	8	12	9
	Whooping Cough	...	.	66	17	..	...	37	38	...	...	3	13	28	16	...	2	13	37	15	...
	Diphtheria	9	3	3	3	3	..	5	5	5	18	11	1	6	2	4	9	2	5	2	6
	Enteric Fever, Typhoid	24	23	37	23	32	19	14	23	9	9	9	11	16	10	8	13	14	21	12	13
	Diarrhœal Diseases	32	20	66	73	32	19	19	38	9	5	49	11	29	25	9	42	14	37	32	13
	Phthisis	104	78	86	74	115	80	65	84	102	88	40	51	53	53	61	58	58	63	63	75
	Other forms of Tuberculosis	38	43	23	63	34	24	47	38	46	28	19	33	28	23	20	23	37	28	24	24
	Cancer	95	89	80	69	86	61	103	75	93	93	42	47	46	40	38	55	62	56	52	54
	Diabetes Mellitus	29	86	6	28	6	...	14	5	9	...	4	5	6	5	5	3	7	6	10	4
	Premature Birth	43	23	60	37	37	33	37	70	46	56	48	45	39	37	37	45	40	47	38	39
	Inflammation of Brain	23	34	17	17	23	13	23	23	14	14	12	16	14	13	10	15	20	16	14	13
	Convulsions	20	29	17	26	37	19	37	19	14	65	24	27	21	32	29	22	28	20	29	35
	Heart Diseases, various	150	164	161	169	169	188	187	145	144	102	80	88	86	114	86	107	115	108	129	104
	Apoplexy	26	14	23	29	43	19	33	42	19	42	8	13	10	16	11	13	15	16	18	21
	Bronchitis	35	17	49	23	20	61	65	14	28	56	31	26	45	26	23	36	29	42	26	26
	Pneumonia	55	75	72	54	52	56	126	84	56	88	50	50	51	59	43	52	64	59	58	50
	Enteritis & Gastro Enteritis	61	43	66	66	57	103	98	122	116	46	25	25	33	6	10	42	38	50	31	23
	Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	20	29	23	6	14	28	19	19	5	...	9	12	13	11	6	14	16	16	9	7
	Bright's Disease & Nephritis	26	23	6	29	11	33	23	61	42	18	8	12	19	16	18	15	15	21	22	17
	Atrophy and Debility	65	112	55	57	75	71	61	80	70	46	48	38	46	62	28	55	56	52	62	39
	Old Age	355	340	351	361	306	268	290	164	190	217	76	73	76	87	87	155	152	140	153	146
	All other causes	224	237	391	358	361	273	328	505	332	347	238	230	291	249	267	243	259	338	280	295

Deaths in the General Hospitals, Hobart and Launceston, from causes originating in the Country Districts, have been included in the Country Districts. Deaths occurring at sea have not been included.

RETURN showing the Death Rate in Tasmania from principal Zymotic and other Diseases since 1870, *per* 100,000 *persons living.*

Year.	Smallpox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Influenza.	Whooping Cough.	Diphtheria.	Typhoid.	Cholera, Sporadic. (Simple.)	Diarrhœa.	Dysentery.	Erysipelas.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis. (Consumption.)	Other forms of Tuberculosis.	Total Zymotic Diseases.	Cancer.	Bronchitis.	All Causes.	Infantile Mortality.—Deaths under 1 year per 1000 Births. Hobart.	Launceston.	Country Districts.	Tasmania.
1870	...	...	...	17	...	15	26	5	51	23	5	74	90	22	392	43	59	1395	127	110	83	98
1871	...	2	7	11	...	5	8	...	66	16	8	54	84	28	337	41	46	1338	111	116	67	85
1872	...	1	3	6	37	1	29	5	70	16	5	58	108	41	431	46	43	1379	156	127	75	102
1873	...	...	10	11	12	27	23	4	53	14	6	56	109	35	429	46	60	1452	119	149	63	87
1874	...	...	20	5	37	35	42	3	66	12	13	63	95	29	489	45	58	1622	120	147	89	104
1875	...	124	30	10	10	52	48	1	89	9	13	95	110	38	683	63	111	2000	172	156	110	131
1876	...	1	93	5	3	45	25	...	61	27	5	89	95	19	505	40	69	1654	127	140	67	91
1877	...	2	185	10	3	68	39	7	68	36	14	83	118	40	739	38	76	1917	159	142	89	114
1878	...	...	6	1	3	54	46	2	66	34	8	65	103	23	403	49	60	1566	145	160	82	107
1879	...	...	2	10	19	55	34	4	58	13	12	67	78	23	436	55	46	1518	150	165	81	108
1880	...	...	1	7	48	79	26	4	77	16	4	71	100	16	506	52	73	1612	134	153	95	112
1881	...	39	6	3	5	21	28	7	51	17	6	59	97	14	416	48	58	1488	162	109	81	103
1882	...	...	17	...	...	14	30	3	58	13	9	65	103	18	362	50	44	1598	143	172	74	104
1883	...	...	8	5	21	8	52	4	75	21	8	73	112	23	441	55	71	1736	177	155	97	124
1884	...	...	10	2	9	18	40	3	35	10	6	59	114	13	393	52	73	1588	119	171	74	100
1885	...	16	...	6	12	18	23	4	79	7	2	48	111	14	414	47	74	1589	148	180	81	113
1886	...	1	...	1	21	9	36	4	67	12	5	58	109	12	395	44	79	1515	135	177	74	105
1887	8	...	2	1	10	26	84	7	92	18	3	60	115	16	453	50	44	1615	151	136	74	101
1888	...	...	4	2	...	31	58	4	60	9	2	59	112	16	372	49	43	1485	142	130	72	96
1889	...	...	1	1	6	31	81	4	71	13	2	38	86	34	382	50	48	1496	150	173	75	106
1890	...	...	1	8	29	34	34	10	63	9	2	52	96	22	370	55	69	1474	146	145	82	106
1891	...	...	2	62	5	14	55	4	36	2	1	80	90	20	384	46	71	1500	129	129	75	95
1892	...	...	2	13	1	45	30	7	51	3	3	61	85	31	339	45	39	1358	163	170	70	99
1893	...	23	1	14	28	33	15	5	35	10	1	74	90	30	369	52	68	1369	146	149	79	105
1894	...	9	1	26	3	29	22	6	37	1	3	51	93	18	314	53	47	1273	108	121	77	90
1895	...	...	...	14	14	15	30	2	33	2	1	52	73	30	272	48	32	1167	126	102	65	82
1896	..	1	1	15	6	8	28	4	23	3	3	70	70	19	266	61	41	1199	115	158	68	89
1897	...	...	3	18	...	7	29	2	30	1	4	67	83	31	285	50	43	1196	134	114	70	88
1898	...	27	4	32	2	6	50	4	55	5	...	72	75	36	376	59	49	1414	135	207	95	116
1899	...	8	9	34	32	11	27	3	28	4	3	78	59	38	345	53	48	1291	154	136	103	116
1900	...	...	5	21	12	6	17	4	18	2	...	50	62	27	236	53	31	1102	88	104	74	80
1901	...	...	1	20	2	9	13	3	31	7	5	52	58	23	236	55	36	1040	110	104	81	89
1902	...	...	13	28	13	2	14	...	13	1	2	64	58	37	258	62	29	1084	100	124	68	79
1903	11	...	15	8	37	5	21	30		7	3	59	63	28	311	56	42	1186	152	155	91	111
1904	...	...	2	12	15	2	12	31		1	5	58	63	24	241	52	26	1101	127	95	79	91
1905	...	2	1	9	...	6	13	12		1	1	50	75	24	206	54	27	1013	117	109	64	80

COMPARISON showing Deaths at various Age-Groups in the several States of Australasia for the Year 1905.

State.	Actual Number of Deaths.						Deaths per 1000 persons living in each Age-Group.						Health Standard.*			Infantile Mortality.
													All Causes.		Preventible Causes only.†	
	Under 1 Year.	1–20.	20–40.	40-60.	60 and over.	All Ages.	Under 1 Year.	1–20.	20–40.	40–60.	60 and over.	All Ages.	All ages.	Under 65 years of age.		Deaths under 1 Year per 1000 Births.
New South Wales	3182	1893	2188	2832	4883	14,978	85·05	2·91	4·62	12·01	59·18	10·13	13·67	8·50	12·30	80·54
Victoria	2508	1627	1966	2382	6193	14,676	87·26	3·22	4·96	12·85	64·09	12·10	14·66	8·91	13·16	83·30
Queensland	1029	770	1002	1168	1534	5503	75·28	3·34	5·78	13·99	61·42	10·48	14·66	9·44	13·76	75·53
South Australia (proper)	643	416	540	689	1473	3761	76·73	2·52	4·77	11·32	62·76	10·14	13·62	8·06	11·71	72·80
Western Australia	790	342	632	517	428	2709	115·67	4·11	5·56	13·51	52·47	10·83	14·70	10·43	13·77	104·20
Tasmania	420	222	240	278	655	1815	87·76	2·74	4·29	10·41	60·09	10·13	13·37	8·04	10·63	79·90
Total Commonwealth	8572	5270	6568	7866	15,166	43,442	85·88	3·07	4·95	12·47	61·49	10·81	14·30	8·95	12·83	81·72
New Zealand	1599	867	1242	1271	3082	8061	77·21	2·37	4·34	9·16	52·40	9·27	11·85	7·14	10·72	67·50
ALL	10,171	6137	7810	9137	18,248	51,503	84·39	2·95	4·84	11·87	59·74	10·54	13·87	8·61	12·47	79·12

* "Health Standard" or "Index of Mortality"—Death Rate for all Ages corrected for Age disproportion in accordance with recommendation of Conference of Statisticians held at Hobart, in January, 1902. † Exclusive of Deaths from "Senilis" or "Old Age."

*DEATHS from Cancer.**—TASMANIA.

Period.	Number.			Death Rate from Cancer per 10,000 Persons living.	Deaths from Cancer per cent. to Deaths from All Causes.	Death Rate from All Causes per 10,000 Persons living.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.			
Average of Years 1870-71-72	26	25·33	51·33	5·06	3·69	137·0
Ditto 1880-81-82	31·33	31·33	62·66	5·38	3·44	156·5
Ditto 1890-91-92	40·33	34·00	74·33	5·02	3·47	144·5
Year 1900	51	42	93	5·38	4·89	110·1
Ditto 1901	48	47	95	5·47	5·24	103·9
Ditto 1902	58	51	109	6·21	5·72	108·2
Ditto 1903	55	45	100	5·63	4·75	118·6
Ditto 1904	41	52	93	5·20	4·72	110.1
Ditto 1905	45	52	97	5·41	5·34	101·3

* Includes Carcinoma, Malignant Tumour, Epithelioma, Rodent Ulcer, Malignant Adenoma, and Sarcoma.

DEATHS FROM CANCER.—YEAR 1905.

Organ or Part affected.	Males.												Females.												Persons.											
	Under 5 years.	5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and over.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and over.	Total.	Under 5 years.	5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and over.	Total.
Digestive System—																																				
Abdomen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	4
Bowels	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
Gall Bladder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Intestines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2
Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	2	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	2	3	13
Mouth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Omentum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Æsophagus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Pylorus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Rectum	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2
Spleen	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Stomach	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	5	1	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	2	1	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	10	3	2	20
Tongue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Lymphatic System—																																				
Glands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2
Neck	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Urinary System—																																				
Kidney	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2
Generative & Mammary Organs—																																				
Uterus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	2	3	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	2	3	...	11
Breast	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	5
Penis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2
Locomotive System (Bones, Joints, and Muscles)—																																				
Jaw, Upper	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
,, Lower	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Integumentary System—																																				
Face	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Skin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Respiratory System—																																				
Lung	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2
Larynx	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Tonsil	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Part not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	1	2	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	3	2	2	3	14
Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	13	15	7	8	45	...	...	...	1	...	1	5	12	14	14	5	52	...	...	...	1	...	1	7	25	29	21	13	97

DEATHS from Tubercular Diseases, 1905, *Age-Groups, and Residence in Tasmania*

Age at death.	Deaths.			Residence in Tasmania.										Birthplace not stated.	Born in Tasmania.
	Total.	M.	F.	Under 1 year.	1-2.	2-3.	3-4.	4-5.	5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20 & over.	Not stated.		
Years.															
0-5	18	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13
		...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
5-10	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
		...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1
10-15	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
		...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
15-20	22	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
		...	14	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	13
20-25	25	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
		...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	13
25-30	18	8	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	6
		...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
30-35	17	10	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	8
		...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6
35-40	25	14	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	12
		...	11	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	7
40-45	11	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6
		...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
45-50	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
		...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2
50-55	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1
		...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
55-60	10	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	1	...
		...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1
60-65	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
		...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
65-70	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
		...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
70 and upwards...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...
		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	177	88	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	13	3	2	66
		...	89	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	8	2	2	74
All Ages ...	...	177		2	1	...	...	1	1	...	2	21	5	4	140

RETURN giving Ages and Causes of Deaths of Illegitimate Children Dying during 1905.

Disease.	Ages.					
	Under 1 Month.	1 Month and under 3 months.	3 Months and under 6 months.	6 Months and under 12 months.	1 year and under 3 years.	Total under 10 years.
Diarrhœa, Choleraic Diarrhœa	1	...	1	...	...	2
Premature Birth	5	1	...	...	...	6
Injury at Birth	1	...	...	...	...	1
Atelectasis	1	...	..	...	...	1
Want of Breast Milk	...	1	2	1	...	4
Syphilis	...	...	...	1	...	1
Broncho Pneumonia	1	1	...	...	...	2
Pneumonia	...	...	2	1	2	5
General Tuberculosis	...	...	...	1	...	1
Convulsions	2	1	1	1	1	6
Laryngitis	...	...	...	1	...	1
Bronchitis	...	2	...	...	...	2
Asthma	...	...	1	...	...	1
Gastro Enteritis	...	6	4	2	...	12
Enteritis	...	...	1	...	...	1
Intestinal Obstruction	...	...	...	1	...	1
Other Diseases of Intestines	1	...	1	...	...	2
Atrophy, Debility	5	8	3	3	...	19
Suffocation	1	1	..	...	...	2
Neglect	3	...	...	...	...	3
Total	21	21	16	12	3	73

HOSPITALS—DISEASES AND DEATHS.

RETURN showing the Number of Deaths which occurred in Hospitals during the Year 1905 *under each respective Cause; also showing the Number of Cases treated as In-Patients and Out-Patients for the same period.*

DISEASES.	IN-PATIENTS.																								OUT-PATIENTS.			
	Ordinary Hospitals.												*Cottage Hospitals.*										*Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk.*		TOTAL.		Gen. Hosp., Hobart.	Gen. Hosp., Launceston.	Mt. Bischoff Provident Hospital.	TOTAL.
	General Hospital, Hobart.		General Hospital, Launceston		Campbell Town Hospital.		Mt. Bischoff Provident Hospital.		Homœopathic Hospitals. Launceston.		Homœopathic Hospitals. Hobart.		Devon.		Beaconsfield.		Zeehan.		Strahan.		Queenstown.								
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases	Deaths	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases	Deaths.	Cases	Deaths.	Cases	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.
CLASS I.—GENERAL DISEASES.																													
Chickenpox	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	1	...	10
Measles (Morbilli)	...	...	20	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	...	13	...	13
Scarlet Fever	...	...	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	2	...	2
Influenza	11	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	11	1	3	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	72	1	25	5	116	146
Whooping Cough	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	..	...	...	...
Diphtheria, Membranous Croup	2	...	30	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	2	...	1	...	1
Simple Continued Fever	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	6	...	13	...	...	4	...	4
Enteric Fever	40	9	51	5	3	...	2	...	13	...	5	1	1	...	13	...	6	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	135	16	...	...	1	1
Others	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5
	54	10	114	7	8	...	2	...	13	...	9	1	17	1	19	...	15	...	...	...	3	1	36	...	290	20	34	29	119	182
Diarrhœa, Choleraic Diarrhœa	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	...	47	1	...	14	...	14
Dysentery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
Malarial Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	46	...	50	1	...	14	1	15
Tetanus	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...
Syphilis	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	20	...	17	7	1	25
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra	29	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	50	...	63	26	...	89
	39	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	70	...	80	33	1	114
Puerperal Septicæmia, Sapræmia	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	..	...	...	...	...	5	2	...	...	...	...
Puerperal Fever	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Ditto, Phlegmasia Dolens	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Lobar Croupous Pneumonia	...	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...
Broncho Catarrhal Lobular Pneumonia	30	7	10	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	10	1	17	6	...	...	4	...	2	...	52	10	3	...	2	5
Pneumonia	...	...	6	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	1	8	1	10	1	17	6	...	...	4	...	2	...	52	10	3	...	2	5
Erysipelas	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	2	...	2
Septicæmia (not Puerperal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	1	...	...	...	...
Pyæmia (not Puerperal)	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Phlegmon, Carbuncle (not Anthrax)	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	12	...	...	1	...	1
Cellulitis	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	...
Phagedena	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Epidemic Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	1	...	17	...	17
	32	8	45	3	1	...	2	...	3	...	5	1	14	4	11	1	32	7	...	...	4	...	14	...	163	24	3	...	...	...
Tuberculous Phthisis (Puml. Tuberculosis)	32	11	33	7	1	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	74	22	31	12	...	43
Phthisis	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	9	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	2	1	5	4	21	6	...	...	2	2
Tuberculous Meningitis	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5	...	...	...	...
Tuberculous Peritonitis	4	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	...	...	...	...
Lupus	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Tubercle of other Organs	11	1	34	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	51	3	...	10	...	10
General Tuberculosis	2	2	3	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	...	...	...	..
Scrofula	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	
	52	18	75	11	1	...	1	...	4	1	12	...	10	6	2	...	2	1	...	...	2	1	11	4	172	42	31	22	4	57
Hydatids	3	...	14	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	...
Other Animal Parasites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	17	4	21
Other Parasites	2	...	2	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	.	4	...	...	1	1	2
	5	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	18	5	23

HOSPITALS—DISEASES AND DEATHS—*continued.*

DISEASES.	IN-PATIENTS.																								OUT-PATIENTS.				
	Ordinary Hospitals.												*Cottage Hospitals.*										*Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk.*		TOTAL.					
	General Hospital, Hobart.		General Hospital, Launceston.		Campbell Town Hospital.		Mt. Bischoff Provident Hospital.		Homœopathic Hospitals. Launceston.		Homœopathic Hospitals. Hobart.		Devon.		Beaconsfield.		Zeehan.		Strahan.		Queenstown.						Gen. Hosp., Hobart.	Gen Hosp., Launceston.	Mt Bischoff Hospital.	TOTAL.
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.
Alcoholism, Delirium Tremens	50	...	13	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	66	1	1	8	3	12
Ptomaine Poisoning	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Industrial Poisoning: —By Lead	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...
Privation, (Starvation, &c.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	50	...	13	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	78	1	1	8	3	12
Rheumatic Fever, Acute Rheumatism	66	3	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	4	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100	3	3	...	...	3
Rheumatism of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Chronic Rheumatism	30	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	67	...	73	60	44	177
Rheumatic Arthritis, Rheumatic Gout	7	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	15	...	...	1	1	2
Gout	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1
Sciatica, Lumbago	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
	103	3	36	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	7	...	7	...	14	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	185	3	76	66	45	187
Carcinoma	17	4	29	11	...	...	1	...	1	1	5	1	...	...	...	...	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	58	19	4	13	...	17
Sarcoma	3	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	...	...	...	...
Malignant Disease, Cancer	7	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	4	2	16	4	1	...	...	1
	27	6	35	11	...	...	1	...	1	1	6	1	2	...	...	...	5	2	...	...	1	1	4	2	82	24	5	13	...	18
Purpura	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Rickets	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	5	2	7
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia	15	1	20	2	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	61	4	30	39	6	75
Diabetes Mellitus	4	1	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	2	2	1	...	3
	19	2	27	3	1	...	...	...	2	...	2	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	76	6	32	45	8	85
Premature Birth	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
Congenital Defects	3	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	1	1	8	...	9
Want of Breast Milk	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	9	1	10
Teething	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	2	11
	4	...	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	1	9	18	4	31
TOTAL CLASS I.	386	48	394	37	14	...	6	...	25	2	40	5	64	11	40	1	79	10	...	...	15	4	145	6	1208	124	271	287	192	750
CLASS II.—LOCAL DISEASES.																														
DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																														
Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4	...	1	...	1
Softening of Brain	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	20	1	...	...	...	...
General Paralysis of Insane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	6	16	6	...	...	...	...
Insanity (not Puerperal)	45	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	113	...	...	4	...	4
Chorea	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	7	1	...	8
Epilepsy	12	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	54	5	71	5	5	5	1	11
Convulsions	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	8	1	...	2	3	5
Locomotor Ataxy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	1	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	11	2	...	...	1	1
Neuritis, Periph, Poly-Neuritis	7	...	8	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	1	20	...	4	24
Nervous System, other Diseases	18	...	20	1	4	...	1	...	2	...	4	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	1	22	22	39	83
Brain Tumour	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	...	1	...	1
	92	...	109	4	5	...	2	...	2	...	11	4	14	3	1	...	11	1	...	...	...	...	91	11	338	23	54	36	48	138
DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																														
Otitis, Mastoid Disease	6	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	7	22	2	31
Epistaxis, Nose Disease	...	...	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	29	...	1	19	...	20
Ophthalmia, Eye Disease	22	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	64	...	23	41	22	86
	28	...	64	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	6	...	108	...	31	82	24	137
DISEASE OF HEART.																														
Valve Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	4	1	30	9	2	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	43	12	5	18	...	23
Pericarditis	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...
Hypertrophy of Heart	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...
Angina Pectoris	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Dilatation of Heart	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	4	...	...	4
Fatty Degeneration of Heart	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	...	...	...	...
Syncope, Heart Disease (not specified)	15	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	1	1	6	5	28	11	8	...	...	8
	26	10	34	11	2	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	4	2	3	2	6	1	...	...	1	1	9	5	88	34	17	18	...	35

HOSPITALS—DISEASES AND DEATHS—*continued.*

DISEASES.	IN-PATIENTS.																								OUT-PATIENTS.			
	Ordinary Hospitals.												*Cottage Hospitals.*															
	General Hospital, Hobart.		General Hospital, Launceston.		Campbell Town Hospital.		Mt. Bischoff Provident Hospital.		Homœopathic Hospitals.				Devon.		Beaconsfield.		Zeehan.		Strahan.		Queenstown.		*Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk.*		TOTAL.		Gen. Hosp., Hobart.	Gen Hosp., Launceston.	Mt. Bischoff Provident Hospital.	TOTAL.
									Launceston.		Hobart.																			
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.	Cases.
DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																														
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Emb., Throm.	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	...	...	...	...
Apoplexy, Hemiphlegia	5	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	12	1	...	2	...	2
Aneurism	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	1	...	5
Senile Gangrene	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...
Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cere-	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...
Phlebitis [bral)	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	1	1
Varicose Veins	14	..	17	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	13	...	51	...	7	11	4	22
Blood Vessels, other Diseases	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	4	4	8
	29	2	25	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	6	1	...	...	10	1	1	1	2	...	15	...	94	5	11	18	9	38
DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																														
Laryngitis	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	8	4	12
Croup (not Spasmcd. or Membr.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4
Larynx, other Diseases (not speci-	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	8	1	...	9
Bronchitis [fied)	37	1	18	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3	1	4	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	2	...	20	...	91	2	...	110	101	211
Emphysema, Asthma	6	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	8	...	37	...	4	13	...	17
Pleurisy	13	..	12	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	...	18	2	20
Respiratory Diseases, other	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	12	2	237	4	40	281
Fibroid Disease of Lung	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Adenoids	...	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	...	27	...	27
	71	2	64	1	...	...	3	...	3	...	7	2	10	...	9	...	6	...	...	...	4	...	29	...	206	5	249	181	151	581
DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																														
Tonsillitis, Quinsy	27	...	23	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	74	...	38	39	10	87
Mouth, Pharynx, Disease (not	11	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	16	1	15	23	...	38
Gastric Ulcer [specific)	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	2	1	3
Gastric Catarrh	...	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	51	...	...	...	4	4
Stomach, other Disease (not Malig.)	26	...	4	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	1	103	35	10	148
Enteritis (not Epidemic)	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	6	7	3	16
Dental Caries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	148	...	148
Gastro Enteritis.	1	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	14	1	...	3	...	3
Appendicitis, Perityphlitis	27	5	36	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	1	3	1	4	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	77	9	...	2	...	2
Hernia	10	...	19	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	39	1	9	4	...	13
Hæmorrhoids	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5
Intestinal obstruction	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	2	...	...	...	...
Other Diseases of Intestines	16	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	31	5	17	2	8	27
Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	8	3	...	...	...	...
Cirrhosis of Liver	11	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	17	5	...	...	...	...
Liver and Gall Bladder, other Diseases	6	1	8	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	27	2	9	5	2	16
Dyspepsia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63	...	63
Digestive System, other Diseases	25	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	79	10	32	121
Fistula	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...
	161	13	166	6	11	...	2	...	9	...	20	1	14	2	9	2	20	2	2	...	12	2	39	2	465	30	276	348	70	694
LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																														
Spleen Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Lymph. System, other Diseases	9	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	1	4	9	9	22
Thyroid Body Disease	4	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	18	2	1	5	...	6
	13	1	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	31	4	5	14	9	28
DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																														
Nephritis, Acute	5	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	4	2	...	...	2
Chronic Bright's Disease, Albu-	1	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	1	1	...	17	2	...	1	1	2
Calculus (not Biliary) [minuria	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	1	1
Bladder and Prostate Disease	16	...	22	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	55	3	9	4	2	15
Urinary System, other Diseases	25	2	11	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	45	2	16	9	3	28
	49	4	41	5	3	...	1	...	...	...	8	...	9	1	3	1	6	...	...	...	7	1	5	...	132	12	27	14	7	48
DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																														
Ovarian Tumour (not Malig.)	1	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	3	...	3
Other Diseases of Ovary	20	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	1	...	1	2	3
Uterine Tumour (not Malig.)	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	2	...	2
Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	16	...	57	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	3	...	5	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	9	...	...	...	100	...	22	42	1	65
Disorders of Menstruation	5	...	9	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	21	...	15	16	3	34
Gener. and Mam. Orgs., other Diseases	22	...	31	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	64	1	11	14	6	31
	66	1	119	1	...	...	1	...	8	...	9	...	7	...	1	...	6	...	1	...	10	...	5	...	233	2	48	78	12	138

HOSPITALS—DISEASES AND DEATHS – *continued.*

DISEASES.	IN-PATIENTS.																								OUT-PATIENTS.					
	Ordinary Hospitals.												*Cottage Hospitals.*										*Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk.*†		TOTAL.		Gen. Hosp. *Hobart.*‡		Gen. Hosp. Launceston.		Mt. Bischoff Provident Hospital.		TOTAL.
	General Hospital, Hobart.		General Hospital, Launceston.		Campbell Town Hospital.		Mt. Bischoff Provident Hospital.		Homœopathic Hospitals. Launceston.		Homœopathic Hospitals. Hobart.		Devon.		Beaconsfield.		Zeehan.		Strahan.		Queenstown.											
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.		Cases.		Cases.	
ACCIDENTS OF CHILDBIRTH.																														
Abortion, Miscarriage	30	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	...	...	2	2
Puerperal Mania	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...
Placenta Prævia, Flooding	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...
Other Accidents of Pregnancy and Childbirth	25	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	9	1	...	10
	60	...	13	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	8	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86	...	9	1	2	12
JOINT DISEASES.																														
Caries Necrosis	16	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	37	...	54	3	...	57
Arthritis, Periostitis ... [System	7	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	25	...	5	2	1	8
Other Diseases of Locomotor	16	...	21	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	55	...	4	16	14	34
	39	...	46	...	...	...	5	...	4	...	4	...	2	...	5	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	117	...	63	21	15	99
SKIN DISEASES.																														
Ulcer, Bedsore	21	...	15	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...	91	...	24	24	10	58
Eczema	1	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	29	...	...	41	6	47
Skin Diseases, other	11	...	15	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	37	...	89	56	1	146
Pemphigus	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	32	32
	33	...	48	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	61	...	159	...	113	121	49	283
TOTAL CLASS II.	667	33	733	30	26	1	15	...	33	...	68	8	80	10	42	5	75	5	4	1	38	4	276	18	2057	115	903	932	396	2231
CLASS III.—OTHER SPECIFIED DISEASES.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLASS IV.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED DISEASES.																														
Atrophy, Debility	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	41	6	64	9	28	9	24	61
Old Age	25	5	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	8	...	5	...	5
Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	14	...	2	...	...	2
Tumour	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	23	7	...	30
Abscess	50	2	6	1	2	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	3	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	19	...	93	3	2	6	12	20
Hæmmorhage	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	12	...	...	...	...	...
Other ill-defined causes	8	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28	1	...	...	3	3
Causes not specified	8	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	21	...	15	13	...	28
TOTAL CLASS IV.	128	7	22	2	4	...	3	...	...	...	24	3	7	...	4	1	4	...	...	...	7	2	68	6	271	21	70	40	39	149
CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.																														
ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																														
In Mines and Quarries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...
Vehicles and Horses	20	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	9	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	1	6	...	...	6
Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
Building Operations	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	4	...	4
Machinery	13	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	2	..	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	30	...	...	30
Weapons and Implements	46	1	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	1	1	6	...	1	1	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	82	3	195	3	22	220
Burns and Scalds	11	1	7	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	3	2	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	5	5	2	3	10
Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	17	1	...	18
Suffocation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
Falls	63	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	7	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	84	2	71	...	1	72
Bite of Snake	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Bite of Insect	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Otherwise or not stated ¶	2	...	81	4	10	...	5	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	29	1	...	...	133	6	10	104	22	136
Weather Agencies	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
	176	4	94	5	14	1	10	...	4	1	23	1	28	2	16	1	32	...	1	1	29	1	...	...	427	17	340	110	48	498
Suicide—																														
By Cutting Instruments	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
By Firearms	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS V.	177	5	95	5	14	1	10	...	4	1	23	1	28	2	16	1	32	...	1	1	29	1	...	...	429	18	340	110	48	498
TOTAL	1358	93	1244	74	58	2	34	...	62	3	155	17	179	23	102	8	190	15	5	2	89	11	489	30	3965	278	1584	1369	675	3628

*No. of In-Patients, 475. † Cases in which no other complaint than "insanity" was entered are not included. ‡ In addition to above there were in the C.D. Hospitals as follows:—Hobart Hospital, 4; Launceston Hospital, 12. ¶ Including cuts, fractures, &c.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished.]

DEATHS IN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.

RETURN showing the Numbers and Percentages of Deaths registered actually occurring at certain Ages during the Year 1905.

1905.

PARTICULARS.	HOBART.					LAUNCESTON.				COUNTRY DISTRICTS.									GRAND TOTAL.	PER CENT. TO TOTAL.
	New Town Charitable Institution.	General Hospital.	Homœopathic Hospital.	Gaol.	TOTAL.	Invalid Depôt.	General Hospital.	Homœopathic Hospital.	TOTAL.	Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk.	Beaconsfield.	Campbell Town.	Latrobe.	Queenstown.	Strahan.	Waratah.	Zeehan.	TOTAL.		
Under 1 year of age	2	3	1	...	6	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	2·85
1 year of age and under 2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	·52
2 years of age and under 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 „ „ 4	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	·52
4 „ „ 5	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	·78
Total under 5 years of age	2	6	1	...	9	...	6	...	6	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	18	4·67
5 years of age and under 10	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	5	1·29
10 „ „ 20	...	13	3	...	16	...	7	1	8	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	3	27	7·01
20 „ „ 30	2	16	...	...	18	...	6	...	6	2	2	...	3	2	...	...	1	10	34	8·83
30 „ „ 40	...	14	1	...	15	...	14	...	14	3	...	...	4	1	1	...	3	12	41	10·65
40 „ „ 50	1	14	4	...	19	...	9	...	9	5	...	...	3	3	...	...	7	18	46	11·96
50 „ „ 60	1	11	3	...	15	1	13	... 1	15	7	1	...	6	2	...	...	1	17	47	12·22
60 „ „ 65	4	6	1	...	11	...	4	...	4	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	20	5·19
Total 5 years of age and under 65	8	75	12	...	95	1	55	2	58	20	4	...	19	8	1	...	15	67	220	57·15
65 years of age and under 70	7	1	1	...	9	1	4	...	5	3	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	7	21	5·45
70 „ „ 80	29	9	1	...	39	11	6	1	18	5	1	1	3	2	...	...	1	13	70	18·19
80 „ „ 90	29	1	1	...	31	15	2	...	17	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	50	12·99
90 „ „ 100	4	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	1·55
100 „ and upwards	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total 65 years of age and upwards	69	11	3	...	83	28	12	1	41	10	3	2	3	3	1	...	1	23	147	38·18
Age not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL AGES	79	92	16	...	187	29	73	3	105	30	8	2	23	11	2	...	17	93	385	...
Per cent. to Total	20·52	23·90	4·16	...	48·58	7·53	18·95	·78	27·26	7·79	2·08	·52	5·98	2·85	·52	...	4·42	24·16	...	100·00
Percentage of Deaths to Total Number—																				
Under 5 years of age	2·53	6·52	6·25	...	4·81	...	8·22	...	5·71	...	15·00	...	4·34	...	...	...	5·88	3·22	4·67	...
5 years of age and under 65	10·13	81·52	75·00	...	50·81	3·44	75·34	66·67	55·24	66 67	50·00	...	82·62	72·74	50·00	...	88·24	72·04	57·15	...
65 „ and upwards	87·34	11·96	18·75	...	44·38	96·56	16·44	33·33	39·05	33·33	35·00	100·00	13·04	27·26	50·00	...	5·88	24·74	38·18	...
All Ages	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	...	100·00	100·00	100·00	...

BIRTHS,

AGES of Parents

Ages of Fathers—Years.	Total.	Ages of Mothers—Years.																		
		13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.
Under 20	11	1	...	...	1	1	1	3	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	26	...	...	...	2	1	4	2	6	2	2	1	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	70	...	...	...	2	5	7	7	15	12	5	4	6	4	...	1	2	...	...	...
22	77	...	...	2	1	2	3	8	9	15	7	11	10	2	1	1	4	...	...	...
23	149	...	..	...	1	2	9	13	21	30	22	23	16	5	...	4	1	1	1	...
24	190	...	...	...	1	1	4	14	22	28	28	24	20	19	10	9	3	3	3	1
25	224	...	...	...	...	1	10	11	21	16	20	31	34	35	12	13	5	3	2	2
26	217	...	...	...	3	3	5	10	14	20	17	28	29	20	32	7	12	6	2	4
27	216	...	...	...	...	3	3	13	13	17	25	19	21	24	24	21	11	6	10	1
28	292	...	...	1	1	1	3	11	9	21	22	34	35	32	34	22	25	17	9	5
29	245	...	...	...	...	...	1	7	11	15	15	22	29	20	33	25	18	19	8	4
30	250	...	...	...	1	1	3	8	6	8	11	13	16	24	26	26	15	26	17	22
31	215	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	5	8	10	17	8	20	21	19	12	25	18	16
32	222	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	6	8	6	15	22	18	17	15	20	17	8	12
33	211	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	5	17	6	15	9	16	23	17	14	18
34	217	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	4	6	15	13	13	22	21	12	15	11
35	246	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	5	2	2	5	10	12	16	19	9	15	16	21
36	199	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	1	5	4	4	11	8	12	11	14	8	14	12
37	197	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	4	5	6	10	11	13	7	12	13	16
38	195	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	2	1	5	6	4	8	14	8	11	7
39	173	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	3	7	1	1	9	6	12	14	7
40	150	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	8	6	4	5	8	11	4
41	139	...	...	..	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	3	3	1	6	7	6	8	8
42	148	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	2	1	3	2	4	6	4
43	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	2	1	1	4	2	3	...
44	111	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	2	...	3	3	2	2	2	3
45	102	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	2	...	4	1	...	4
46	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	1	2	...	2	4
47	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	4	1	...	1	...
48	57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	1	1	...	1
49	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	1	1	2
50	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
51	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1
52	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
53	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1
54	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
55-60	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
60-65	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
65-70	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
70-75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
75-80	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
80-85	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Not stated	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...
Mothers of Legitimate Children...	4967	1	...	3	13	21	61	118	172	230	224	293	323	315	293	290	252	235	212	192
Mothers of Illegitimate Children..	290	...	1	4	5	24	27	21	33	28	24	19	20	12	13	11	5	7	7	3
Total Mothers	5257	1	1	7	18	45	88	139	205	258	248	312	343	327	306	301	257	242	219	195

Note.—The ages of the mothers only are given for illegitimate

1905.

in Cases of Births.

Mothers—Years.																			Ages of Fathers—Years.
32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.	38.	39.	40.	41.	42.	43.	44.	45.	46.	47.	48.	49.	50.	Age not stated.	Ages.
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...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	22
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
1	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	25
...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	26
2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	27
2	6	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28
5	2	3	4	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	29
6	8	4	2	2	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	30
9	8	4	6	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
17	17	3	5	5	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	32
21	16	11	6	5	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33
24	13	18	13	6	5	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	34
14	22	20	26	13	3	6	3	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	35
15	12	19	17	19	3	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	36
11	10	11	13	17	12	6	8	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	37
10	21	23	6	23	16	10	6	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	38
9	14	13	14	10	11	12	15	5	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	39
4	8	8	10	19	14	11	7	10	3	1	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40
7	7	9	6	8	13	5	9	14	4	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	41
10	7	3	8	14	14	21	11	13	8	6	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	42
7	7	2	5	4	7	13	7	7	9	7	3	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	43
7	4	5	7	8	6	8	8	6	5	15	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	44
4	4	3	10	7	4	9	5	10	7	11	5	3	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	45
...	1	1	...	5	6	...	3	5	6	4	6	5	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	46
2	...	2	1	3	4	2	3	8	3	1	7	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	1	47
4	...	1	3	6	4	4	3	5	4	6	2	2	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	48
2	1	...	3	4	1	5	2	6	...	1	3	3	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	49
...	1	...	1	1	2	2	4	5	2	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50
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2	...	4	...	...	2	2	1	3	3	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	52
...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	1	1	3	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	53
...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	3	1	...	4	...	1	1	1	2	...	...	1	54
1	...	...	1	4	...	1	4	1	4	1	1	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	55–60
2	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	60–65
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1	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	Not stated
199	191	170	174	190	138	130	107	114	75	75	51	27	28	8	5	3	...	...	34	Mothers of Legitimate Children.
2	2	3	2	2	2	5	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	Mothers of Illegitimate Children.
201	193	173	176	192	140	135	108	115	75	76	51	28	28	8	5	3	...	...	38	Total Mothers.

children, as the particulars relating to the fathers are not registered.

BIRTHS, 1905.

AGES of Mothers of First-born, and Interval since Marriage.

| Age at Birth of Child. | Total First Children. | Interval. | | |

BIRTHS, 1905.

BIRTHPLACES of Parents in Cases of Births.

| Birthplaces of Fathers. | Birthplaces. | Birthplaces of Mothers. | | |

MARRIAGES.

RETURN showing the Number of Marriages registered in Tasmania during the Year 1905, also showing distribution as regards the Religious Denomination under each respective Registration District.

DISTRICTS.	DENOMINATION.													
	Church of England.	Church of Scotland.*	Church of Rome.	Methodist Church of Australasia.	Congregationalists or Independents.	Baptist Church.	Church of Christ.	Christian Mission.	Society of Friends.	Undenominational.	Jewish Church.	Salvation Army.	By Registrars.	TOTAL.
CHIEF URBAN DISTRICTS.														
Hobart	105	46	54	45	16	11	6	...	...	108	1	2	2	396
Launceston	51	25	32	37	11	89	5	8	...	...	...	1	4	263
Total Chief Urban Districts	156	71	86	82	27	100	11	8	...	108	1	3	6	659
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.														
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—														
Beaconsfield	9	8	1	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33
Evandale	3	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Fingal	9	2	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
George Town	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Lilydale	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Lefroy	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Portland	5	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Ringarooma	10	13	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
Westbury	4	2	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Total North-Eastern Division	46	30	15	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION—														
Deloraine	9	1	11	6	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	37
Emu Bay	14	1	6	11	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36
Mersey	24	4	16	21	11	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90
Port Sorell	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Port Frederick	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Sheffield	5	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	13
Stanley	2	5	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	14
Ulverstone	11	3	...	26	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42
Waratah	6	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Wynyard	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Total North-Western Division	72	26	40	70	12	31	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	258
MIDLAND DIVISION—														
Bothwell	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Campbell Town	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Green Ponds	2	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Hamilton	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Longford	7	2	1	8	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
Lyell	26	20	9	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68
Oatlands	14	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22
Ross	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Strahan	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Zeehan	11	9	12	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	56
Total Midland Division	89	35	29	46	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	210
SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—														
Brighton	2	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Clarence	4	...	...	...	2	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Glamorgan	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Gordon	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Kingston	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
New Norfolk	15	...	4	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	26
Port Cygnet	2	...	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Richmond	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Sorell	5	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Spring Bay	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Tasman Peninsula	3	...	...	...	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Victoria	4	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
Total South-Eastern Division	44	3	13	11	14	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	88
SOUTH-WESTERN DIVISION—														
Esperance	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Franklin	3	...	4	3	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
Geeveston	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Southport	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total South-Western Division	4	...	7	3	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
Total Country Districts	255	94	104	158	45	39	2	...	...	...	...	2	7	706
GRAND TOTAL	411	165	190	240	72	139	13	8	...	108	1	5	13	1365
Per cent. to Total	30·11	12·09	13·92	17·58	5·28	10·18	·95	·59	...	7·91	·07	·37	·95	100·

NOTE.—No marriages were solemnized in the Districts of Frankford and Ralph's Bay during the year.

* Presbyterian Church of Tasmania.

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MARRIAGES.

RETURN giving Ages of contracting parties in Marriages celebrated in 1905.

AGES OF BRIDES LAST BIRTHDAY.

AGES OF BRIDEGROOMS LAST BIRTHDAY. Age at Marriage.	TOTAL.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.	38.	39.	40.	40–45.	45–50.	50–55.	55–60.	60–65.	65–70.	70–75.	75–80.	80–85.	Age not stated.	Age at Marriage.
18	7	...	...	...	1	3	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
19	11	...	...	...	1	2	4	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
20	34	...	1	1	2	4	10	5	2	2	3	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20
21	101	...	...	2	6	8	17	13	21	15	4	7	3	1	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
22	104	...	...	3	3	10	16	10	17	18	13	9	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22
23	103	...	...	1	8	10	13	15	9	12	11	7	6	4	2	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23
24	109	...	1	2	3	11	12	17	12	12	9	10	11	5	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
25	104	...	...	2	5	7	16	6	23	13	3	7	5	4	2	4	2	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25
26	95	...	...	1	5	5	10	11	13	7	8	9	11	3	4	2	2	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
27	115	...	...	2	1	7	12	8	10	13	4	13	15	12	3	5	...	1	3	1	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
28	75	...	...	...	3	4	8	8	12	6	6	5	6	5	1	7	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28
29	80	...	...	3	3	8	3	9	3	6	7	6	7	7	5	5	2	2	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29
30	52	...	...	2	...	...	...	3	7	3	2	5	4	2	1	3	5	5	...	3	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30
31	29	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	4	4	3	...	4	1	3	3	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
32	40	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	6	3	1	5	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32
33	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	1	7	2	4	2	2	1	4	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33
34	28	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	3	...	2	2	1	2	1	2	...	1	...	2	1	1	...	2	2	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34
35	43	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	2	3	5	4	1	3	3	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35
36	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4	1	2	3	2	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	36
37	21	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	4	3	1	2	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37
38	27	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	1	2	5	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	1	2	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38
39	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	2	4	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	39
40	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	1	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40
40–45	35	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	1	2	3	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	4	1	1	2	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40–45
45–50	26	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	2	...	4	1	1	1	...	2	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	45–50
50–55	17	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	2	...	4	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	50–55
55–60	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	55–60
60–65	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	60–65
65–70	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	65–70
70–75	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	70–75
75–80	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75–80
80–85	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	80–85
85–90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85–90
Age not stated	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	1365	...	2	21	42	80	128	119	150	125	92	106	95	59	45	52	34	28	21	14	16	15	20	14	16	10	2	7	21	16	11	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...

AGES OF BRIDES.....

14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.	38.	39.	40.	40–45.	45–50.	50–55.	55–60.	60–65.	65–70.	70–75.	75–80.	80–85.	Age not stated.	...

RETURN showing the Number of persons who signed the Marriage Register with their mark in place of the usual signature.

Districts.	Persons.		Total.	Number of Marriages.
	Males.	Females.		
Hobart	7	7	14	396
Launceston	9	10	19	263
Country	16	9	25	706
Total	32	26	58	1365
Rate per cent. to Total	55·17	44·83	100·00	
Persons signing by Mark, per cent. to Total persons married	2·34	1·91	2·12	

Number of Minors married:—Males, 47; Females, 389. Total, 436.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES.—GENERAL SUMMARY.

Year.	Number.			Proportion per 1000 of the Mean Population of the year.		
	Births.*	Deaths.†	Marriages.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
1896	4603	1890	964	29·19	11·99	6·11
1897	4684	1940	1052	28·89	11·97	6·49
1898	4580	2356	1097	27·50	14·15	6·59
1899	4674	2202	1147	27·39	12·90	6·72
1900	4864	1902	1332	28·15	11·01	7·71
1901	4930	1805	1338	28·38	10·39	7·70
1902	5085	1904	1313	28·91	10·82	7·46
1903	5080	2105	1344	28·61	11·86	7·57
1904	5292	1969	1350	29·59	11·01	7·55
1905	5257	1815	1365	29·32	10·12	7·61

* Included in above were—

Twin Births, 1896, 25;	Triplet Births, 1896, *Nil.*	Twin Births, 1901, 54;	Triplets Births, 1901, *Nil.*
„ 1897, 33;	„ 1897, *Nil.*	„ 1902, 47;	„ 1902, 1.
„ 1898, 34;	„ 1898, *Nil.*	„ 1903, 39;	„ 1903, *Nil.*
„ 1899, 49;	„ 1899, 1.	„ 1904, 52;	„ 1904, 2.
„ 1900, 55;	„ 1900, 1.	„ 1905, 55;	„ 1905, 1.

† Deaths occurring at sea and registered in Tasmania are not included.

ILLEGITIMATE BIRTHS, 1905.

	Total Births registered.*	Illegitimate Births.			Per cent. of Illegitimate Births to Total Births registered.	
		Males.	Females.	Total.	1904.	1905.
Hobart	1008	49	54	103	9·96	10·21
Launceston	679	32	37	69	8·83	10·16
Country Districts	3570	66	52	118	4·16	3·31
Total	5257	147	143	290	5·82	5·51
Per cent. to Total	...	50·69	49·31	100·00	...	...
Rate per 1000 of Mean Population	...	...	...	1·62	...	...

* Including illegitimate births.

ROBT. M. JOHNSTON, *Registrar-General.*

VACCINATIONS.

RETURN showing the Number of Cases of Vaccination throughout the Island performed by the Public Vaccinators during the Years 1896-1904, *and the Results.*

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Cases vaccinated	68	81	219	120	1164	1405	3296	24,587	53	
Number seen on Eighth day	68	78	219	118	1147	1402	3293	...	...	
Number of Cases successful	67	77	208	117	1143	1391	3289	24,587	45	*
Number of Cases unsuccessful	1	1	11	1	4	9	4	846	3	
Number of Cases postponed	...	...	...	2	10	5	2	10	5	
Number of unseen Cases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	178	...	

* The Chief Health Officer reports that the Vaccination Act of 1898 is practically in abeyance.

[Information supplied by Superintendent of Vaccinations and Central Board of Health.]

MEAN AND EXTREME RESULTS FOR THE YEAR 1902.

From Observations taken at Hobart.

Barometer (corrected to 32° Fahrenheit, and reduced to Sea Level)—

Highest reading	30·639 inches on 2nd June.
Lowest ditto	28·991 „ on 19th June.
Range for year	1·648 inches.

Thermometer—

Radiation, Solar, maximum	148·0° on 26th January.
„ Terrestrial, minimum	20·0° on 19th May.
Maximum in shade	97·0° on 2nd February.
Minimum ditto	28·8° on 17th July.
Range for year	68·2°.
Highest mean temperature for one month	60·7° in January.
Lowest ditto ditto	44·9° in June.

Humidity—

Highest mean for one month (saturation = 100)	87% in June.
Mean for the year	72%.

Condensation—

Total for year	21·85 inches.
Total number of days rain fell	151.
Maximum for one month	3·73 inches in September.
Minimum ditto	·51 „ in July.
Maximum fall in 24 hours	1·36 „ on 11th September.

MEAN AND EXTREME RESULTS FROM 1885 TO 1902, INCLUSIVE.

From Observations taken at Hobart.

		1885.	1886.	1887.	1888.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.
Barometer—																		
Highest reading	inches	30·552	30·720	30·580	30·600	30·686	30·544	30·570	30·612	30·570	30·613	30·651	30.670	30·673	30·462	30·638	30·566	30·639
Lowest ditto	„	28·902	28·760	28·943	29·080	28·930	28·963	28·908	29·014	28·810	28·767	28·926	28·989	28·839	28·938	28·850	29·008	28·991
Range for the year	„	1·650	1·960	1·647	1·520	1·756	1·581	1·662	1·598	1·760	1·846	1·725	1·681	1·834	1·524	1·788	1·558	1·648
Thermometer—		°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°	°
Radiation, Solar, maximum	deg.	153·0	160·0	155·0	152·0	148·0	146·0	144·0	154·0	152·0	153·0	154·6	157·0	165·0	146·2	152·0	149·5	148·0
Ditto, Terrestrial, minimum	„	22·5	18·7	21·0	23·5	25·0	26·5	25·2	—	—	—	22·7	23·0	22·1	22·0	16·0	23·9	20·0
Maximum in the shade	„	91·0	100·2	103·5	98·0	96·3	97·8	97·5	94·0	89·0	95·0	95·5	105·2	102·0	104·4	105·0	97·2	97·0
Minimum ditto	„	29·5	29·5	30·5	29·2	32·0	31·8	33·2	34·0	35·0	27·7	30·8	30·5	34·0	31·5	31·5	31·5	28·8
Range for the year	„	61·5	70·7	73·0	68·8	64·3	66·0	64·3	60·0	54·0	67·3	64·7	74·7	68·0	72·9	73·5	65·7	68·2
Highest mean daily reading for one month	„	63·8	63·8	66·0	62·5	63·3	65·6	64·2	62·2	61·8	66·4	62·0	62·1	64·8	65·5	62·4	62·5	60·7
Lowest ditto ditto	„	44·2	45·8	46·6	45·0	47·3	44·6	46·8	46·2	47·1	44·3	44·9	45·7	44·9	44·6	45·3	44·7	44·9
Humidity—		%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Mean maximum for one month (saturation = 100)	per cent.	88	88	90	88	90	92	91	81	80	82	92	83	83	87	83	85	87
Mean for the year	„	79	78	80	76	76	78	75	71	72	71	76	71	70	73	72	75	72
Condensation—																		
Total for the year	inches	28·29	21·39	24·21	18·45	30·80	27·51	23·25	27·49	27·39	19·87	21·61	19·29	20·40	19·61	19·14	24·58	21·85
Total Number of Rainy Days		176	189	174	151	180	173	160	146	151	119	136	142	164	167	135	149	151
Maximum fall for one month	inches	7·39	2·88	3·65	3·05	8·15	5·37	4·0	5·91	4·72	2·98	6·71	3·28	3·34	3·27	3·02	4·37	3·73
Minimum ditto	„	0·78	0·28	0·58	0·20	0·72	0·74	0·40	0·20	0·62	0·30	0·40	0·10	0·18	0·33	0·49	0·49	0·51
Maximum fall in 24 hours	„	3·70	1·56	1·03	0·84	4·11	2·28	2·15	1·47	1·14	·97	1·65	1·31	1·06	1·57	1·00	1·66	1·36

Records for 1892 not complete, owing to the illness of the late Captain Shortt.

Owing o changes in the Meteorological Department it has been found impossible to furnish the Climatological Detailed Tables, the limitation of Staff rendering the compilation of such returns impossible.

TASMANIAN MUSEUM AND BOTANICAL GARDENS.

Rainfall, 1904 and 1905.

	1904. In.	1905. In.		1904.	1905.
January	2·87	5·18	Number of wet days.	9	11
February	3·53	3·04	,, ,,	12	7
March	3·16	0·61	,, ,,	14	6
April	0·10	2·18	,, ,,	1	10
May	1·81	6·95	,, ,,	14	15
June	2·39	0·83	,, ,,	18	14
July	1·02	2·79	,, ,,	10	18
August	2·24	0·50	,, ,,	14	9
September	1·38	2·23	,, ,,	19	19
October	0·69	3·10	,, ,,	15	16
November	2·37	0·72	,, ,,	11	10
December	0·52	1·72	,, ,,	10	8
Total for 12 months	22·00	29·85	Total wet days ...	147	143

The above information was supplied by the Trustees of the Museum and Gardens, the Meteorological Department not having supplied any particulars.

THE following interesting Returns relating to Rainfall are published for general information.

	1903. In.	1904. In.	1905. In.
January	0·85	2·39	5·76
February	3·10	3·95	3·11
March	2·04	3·57	1·31
April	1·91	0·06	2·77
May	3·34	2·00	5·42
June	4·33	3·12	2·06
July	3·49	1·32	2·90
August	0·83	2·44	0·55
September	1·67	1·84	2·99
October	2·41	0·63	3·99
November	2·09	2·64	1·20
December	2·47	0·46	1·79
Total	28·53	24·42	33·85

1863. In.	1872. In.
40·67	31·76

	Mr. Young, Augusta Road.	Mr. Hall, 55 St. George's Terrace.
	In.	In.
1891...	22·97	...
1892 ..	20·92	...
1893...	32·37	.
1894...	28·96	...
1895...	24·73	...
1896...	23·69	...
1897...	22·59	...
1898...	22·28	...
1899...	21·14	22 05
1900...	19 65	20·14
1901 ..	27·71	28·08
1902...	24·81	24·52
1903...	29·92	28·53
1904...	...	24·42
1905...	...	33·85

MEAN Results of Meteorological Observations taken at HOBART *from* 1841 *to* 1879, *inclusive.*

	BAROMETER.	THERMOMETER.				HUMIDITY OF AIR.			CONDENSATION.		OZONE.	WIND.	
	At Temperature 32°.	Mean Temperature	Mean Diurnal Range.	Mean Solar Intensity.	Mean Terrestrial Radiation.	Dew Point, Mean Position.	Humidity of Air	Elastic Force of Vapour.	Rainfall.	No. of Days on which Rain fell.	Mean Daily Amount.	Prevailing Direction	Force
	Inches.	°	○	°	°	°	Per cent.	Per 1000.	Inches.		Chro. Scale.		lbs. per sq. ft.
January	29·770	63·22	21·04	107·48	48·50	50·54	·67	·375	1·45	8·50	6·05	N.W., S.E.	66·06
February	29·856	62·55	20·47	107·06	47·91	50·58	·69	·378	1·54	7·29	6·21	N.W., S.E.	55·44
March	29·896	60·20	20·22	103·13	46·65	49·32	·70	·360	1·55	9·24	6·25	N.W., S.E.	53·65
April	29·922	55·68	17·92	90·97	42·60	47·35	·76	·332	1·78	10·70	6·63	N.W., S.E.	53·22
May	29·891	50·76	16·00	81·47	39·06	44·07	·80	·305	1·84	13·20	6·40	N.W.	41·36
June	29·894	47·48	15·56	75·66	36·35	41·92	·83	·272	1 98	12·14	6·15	N.W.	32·58
July	29·887	45·95	15·56	76·21	34·82	40·10	·81	·258	2·20	13·67	6·48	N.W.	36·52
August	29·824	48·97	17·03	82·52	35·68	40·76	·80	·269	1·86	13·20	6·96	N.W.	49·50
September	29·778	51·86	18·03	85·27	37·98	42·28	·74	·280	2·14	14·50	7·36	N.W., S.E.	78·60
October	29·788	55·01	19·32	96·43	41·42	44·71	·72	·304	2·05	14·67	7·20	N.W., S.E.	110·42
November	29·991	57·78	19·31	100·09	44·17	46·66	·70	·325	2·87	14·24	7·01	N.W., S.E.	101·33
December	29·696	61·69	20·32	105·14	45·83	49·14	·67	·362	1·67	12·00	6·37	N.W., S.E.	92·37
SUM OF ALL THE MEANS...	358·193	661·15	220·78	1111·43	500·97	547·43	8·89	3·820	22·93	143·35	79·07	...	771·05
MEAN FOR 35 YEARS	...	...	18·40	*92·62	*41·75	45·62	...	·318	...	†11·95	...	N.W., S.E.	64·25
MEAN FOR 39 YEARS	29·849	55·10	...	...	...	...	·74	...	1·91	...	‡6·59	...	...

* The Solar Intensity and the Terrestrial Radiation is for 24 years only (1856 to 1879).
† The Number of Days on which Rain fell is for 25 years (1855 to 1879).
‡ The Mean Daily Amount of Ozone is for 23 years (1857 to 1879)

[Results as observed and tabulated by the late Francis Abbott, F.R.A.S. F.R.M.S.]

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TARIFF.

THE names of articles imported and exported are arranged in the following Returns, as nearly as possible is accordance with a natural system of classification recommended by the Conference of the Statisticians of the State of the Commonwealth of Australia and of New Zealand, held in Tasmania in January, 1902.

CLASSIFICATION OF ARTICLES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED.

CLASSES AND ORDERS.

CLASS I.—FOOD, DRINK, NARCOTICS, AND STIMULANTS.
Order 1. Animal food.
„ 2. Vegetable food.
„ 3. Drinks—
(*a*) Alcoholic.
(*b*) Non-Alcoholic.
„ 4. Tobacco and other narcotics.
„ 5. Tea and other stimulants.

CLASS II.—LIVE ANIMALS AND PLANTS.
Order 6. Animals of all kinds.
„ 7. Plants.

CLASS III.—TEXTILE FABRICS, DRESS, AND MANUFACTURED FIBROUS MATERIALS.
Order 8. Silk manufactures.
„ 9. Woollen and Worsted manufactures.
„ 10. Cotton and Flax manufactures.
„ 11. Manufactures of Mixed Materials (silk, wool, cotton, or flax).
„ 12. Dress.
„ 13. Manufactures of Fibrous Materials (sacking, matting, cordage, &c.).

CLASS IV.—PRODUCTS OF ARTS AND MANUFACTURES, NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED.
Order 14. Books and Staticnery.
„ 15. Musical instruments.
„ 16. Works of Art and Art Materials.
„ 17. Fancy Goods.
Order 18. Timepieces, Jewellery, and Plated Ware.
„ 19. Optical, Surgical, and Scientific Instruments.
„ 20. Machines, Tools, and Implements.
„ 21. Harness, Vehicles, and Equipment.
„ 22. Ships, Boats, and Equipment.
„ 23. Building Materials.
„ 24. Furniture.
„ 25. Arms and Explosives.
„ 26. Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products.
„ 27. Glass and Earthenware manufactures.
„ 28. Soap, Candles, Paint, and sundry manufactures not otherwise classed.

CLASS V.—STAPLE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES, INCLUDING MINERAL OILS.
Order 29. Animal substances.
„ 30. Vegetable substances.
„ 31. Oils.

CLASS VI.—STAPLE MINERALS AND METALS, INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE.
Order 32. Bullion and Specie.
„ 33. Iron and Steel.
„ 34. Other Metals.
„ 35. Coal and Shale.
„ 36. Stone, Clay, and other Minerals.

CLASS VII.—MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES IMPERFECTLY DEFINED.
Order 37. Indefinite articles.

On the 9th October, 1901, the Commonwealth Tariff came into operation, and trade between the Commonwealth States became Free.

As the various Orders are numbered consecutively in general tables published separately, the position of anv article will be readily found by means of the following Index:—

ALPHABETICAL INDEX TO TARIFF ON IMPORTS.

Classified Order.	ARTICLES, AND IMPORT TARIFF.
191	Acids :—Acetic Acid, Extract or Essence of Vinegar, and Vinegar containing not more than 6 per cent. of absolute acid, 6*d.* per gallon ; containing from 6 per cent. to 30 per cent. absolute acid, 2*s.* 6*d.* per gallon ; for every extra 10 per cent. or part of 10 per cent. of absolute acid, 10*d.* per gallon. [& free
191	Other, 20 per cent., 15 per cent.,
76	Aërated or Mineral Waters—see Table Waters.
157	Agricultural, &c., Implements and Machinery, 12½ per cent. *a.v.*, and free.
63-64	Ale, Porter, and other Beer, Cider and Perry in bottle, 1*s.* 6*d.* per gallon ; in wood, 1*s.* per gallon ; 6 reputed quarts or 12 reputed pints to be charged as 1 gallon.
191	Alkalies, 1 per cent. and free.
191	Alum, free.
241	Aluminium, free.
191	Ammonia, Carbonate of, 5*s.* per cwt
187	Ammunition :—Shot, Bullets, or Slugs, 5*s.* per cwt. ; other free.
97, *et seq.*	Animals, Live, free.
179	Anchors, free, 20 per cent.
253	Annatto and Rennet, free.
114	Apparel (see Dress).
183	Architraves, Mouldings, and Skirtings, 5*s.* per 100 lineal feet.
187	Arms, 15 per cent. and 10 per cent. *a.v.*
22	Arrowroot, ½*d.* per lb.
139	Art, Works of, free
254	Articles for Commonwealth, free.
254	Ditto for official use of Governor-General or State Governors, free.
254	Articles not enumerated, free.
135	Atlases, Charts, and Maps, free.
199	Axle Grease (see Greases.)
174	Axles and Springs, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
143	Bags, Fancy, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
127	Bags and Sacks—Calico, Hessians, linens, and meat wraps, partly or wholly made, 10 per cent. *a.v.*
128	Bags and Sacks—Bran, chaff, compressed fodder, potato, onion, ore, sugar mats, woolpacks, and chaffpacks, free.
129	Ditto, Corn and Flour, free.
130	Ditto, Woolpacks, free.
172	Bags, Baskets, Boxes, Cases or Trunks, 20 per cent.
172	Ditto, Minor Articles for, free
172	Bag and Trunk material, free.
10	Bacon and Hams, 1*d.* per lb.
212	Bark, tanning, free.
35	Barley, 1*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
47	Barley, Pearl or Scotch, ½*d.* per lb.
172	Baskets, 20 per cent., *a.v.*
172	Baskets, Carpenters', free.
221	Bass, free.
36	Beans and Peas, 1s. 6*d.* per cental.
11	Beef and Mutton (fresh and smoked), 1*d.* per lb.
12-13	Ditto, preserved by cold process, free.
17	Beef and Mutton (preserved in tins), 1½*d.* per lb.
63-64	Beer and Ale—see Ale, &c.
211	Beeswax, ½*d.* per lb.
172	Belting, Composition, 15 per cent
172	Ditto, Leather, 20 per cent.
102	Birds, free.
176	Bicycles, 20 per cent.; parts, 10, 20 per cent. *a.v.* and free.
23	Biscuits, 1*d.* per lb.
199	Blacking, &c., 2) per cent.
199	Blacklead, free.
106	Blankets, 15 per cent.

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254	Blind, Deaf and Dumb, Articles for, free.
191	Blue, Laundry, 1*d.* per lb.
180	Boats, Yachts, Launches, &c., 15 per cent.
153	Bolts, Nuts, 12½ per cent.
200	Bones, free.
134	Books, Printed (Reading), free.
117	Boots and Shoes (except partly or wholly of lasting or stuff), leather, 30 per cent. *a.v.*
117	Slippers, leather, 30 per cent. *a.v.*
119	Boot and shoe uppers and tops, 25 per cent. *a.v.*
119	Clogs and pattens, 25 per cent. *a.v.*
119	Goloshes and slippers, n.o.e., 25 per cent. *a.v.*
119	Wading boots, 25 per cent. *a.v.*
119	Slipper forms in the piece or otherwise, 25 per cent. *a.v.*
119	Socks or soles, cork, leather, or other, 25 per cent.
119	Sand shoes, rubber, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
118	Infants' boots, shoes, and slippers, 15 per cent.
119	Gum, free.
119	Minor Articles for, free.
192	Bottles, empty wine and beer, 10 per cent. *a.v.*
	Over 5 fluid drams, and not exceeding 9 fluid ounces, when containing goods not subject to *ad valorem* duties, except flasks containing spirits, and bottles containing wines, 2*d.* per dozen.
	Empty, if not more than 5 fluid drams capacity, free.
	Over 5 fluid drams, containing *ad valorem* goods, duty same as contents.
	Over 9 fluid ounces in capacity, containing fixed rate, or free goods, free.
41	Bran, Pollard, and Sharps, 1*s.* per cental.
63	Brandy—see Spirits.
241	Brass, free.
169	Ditto, Pipes and Tubes, free.
185	Bricks, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
252	Ditto, Bath, free.
241	Britannia Metal, free.
221	Broom, Corn, Millet and Rice straw, free.
221	Ditto, ditto, ditto, Seed, 4*s.* per cental. [and free
152	Brushware, 15 and 25 per cent.,
152	Brushware, Artists', free.
103	Bulbs, garden, free.
225	Bullion, Gold, free.
227	Ditto, Silver, free.
1	Butter, 3*d.* per lb.
191	Calcium, Carbide of, free.
195	Candles, tapers, and night-lights; solid spirit heaters, including the weight of the immediately containing package, 1*d.* per lb.
221	Canes, Rattans, unmanufactured, free.
110	Canvas, tent or sail, free.
199	Canvas or Tyre Fabrics, 10 per cent.
188	Caps, Percussion, free.
149	Cameras, 20 per cent. [per lb.
62	Caramel, or Caramel Paste, 1*d.*
191	Carbonate of Ammonia, 5*s.* per cwt.
135	Cards, playing, 3*s.* per dozen packs.
178	Carriages, 25 per cent. *a.v.*
177	Ditto, Motor, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
178	Carriage Axles and Springs, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
220	Carriage Hubs of elm, free
178	Carriage Material, 20 per cent. and free.
172	Carpenters' Baskets, free.
111	Carpets, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
187	Cartridges, free. Cases, free.
166	Cash Registers, 20 per cent.
97	Cattle, free.
181	Cement (Portland), 9*d.* per cwt.
48	Chaff and hay, 1*s.* per cwt.
180	Chains, free.
221	Charcoal, free.
135	Charts, Maps, and Atlases, free.
2	Cheese, 3*d.* per lb.
86	Chicory, raw and kiln-dried, 3*d.* per lb.
87	Ditto, roasted or ground, 5*d.* per lb.
193	Chinaware, &c., 20 per cent. *a.v.*
81-82	Cigars and Cigarettes—see Tobacco.
252	Clay, fire and pipe, lumps unmanufactured, free.
144	Clocks, 20 per cent. *a.v.*; chronometers, ships', free.
113	Cloths, waterproofed with rubber, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
242	Coal, free.
85a.	Cocoa Beans, free.
85b.	Cocoa and Chocolate, ground or in any way manufactured, 1*d.* per lb.
86	Coffee and Chicory, raw and kiln-dried, 3*d.* per lb.
87	Ditto, Roasted or ground, and in liquid form, or with milk or other substance, 5*d.* per lb.
224-6-8	Coin, free.
191	Collodion, 3*s.* per gallon.
243	Coke, 4*s.* per ton.
254	Commonwealth, Articles for, free
24	Confectionery, 2*d.* per lb.
236	Copper, in ingot or sheet, free.
236	Ditto, in matte.
154	Cordage, metal, free.
132	Cordage, n.o.e., 20 per cent. (see Twine).
133	Cord or Twine, manufactures of, 20 per cent.
221	Corks, and cork unmanufactured, free.
221	Cork Mats, &c., 15 per cent., *a.v.*
44	Corn Flour, Maizena, &c., ½*d.* per lb.
221	Cotton, waste, free.
221	Ditto, wick, Candle and Lamp, 5 per cent.
113	Cosies, &c., 20 per cent. *a.v.*
189	Cream of Tartar, free.
159	Cream Separators, free.
113	Curtains, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
155	Cutlery, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
147	Ditto, plated, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
188	Detonators, free.
191	Disinfectants, free.
102	Dogs, free.
183	Doors (see Timber).
114	Dress apparel and attire, and articles, n.o.e., not being piece goods, and dressed feathers, 25 per cent. *a.v.*
114	Minor Articles for, free.
114	Frillings, rufflings, tucked lawns, pleatings, and ruchings, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
	Dress Apparel, &c.—*continued.*
105	Frillings, &c.—*continued.* Containing Silk, 25 per cent. *a.v.*
116	Woollen or containing Wool, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
121	Gloves, including mittens and flesh gloves, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
122-3	Hats and caps, 30 per cent. and 20 per cent. *a.v.*
124	Hats, caps, and bonnets, n.o.e., hat and bonnet shapes, felt pull-over hoods, wigs and other articles of natural or artificial human hair, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
124	Hats, miners', free.
124	Hats, minor articles for, free.
124	Helmets, firemen's, free.
114	Military or Naval Clothing, free.
125	Parasols, sunshades, and umbrellas, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
125	Parasol, sunshade, and umbrella handles, sticks, and fit-ups, free.
125	Parasols, &c., minor articles for; cups, ferrules, &c., free.
115	Socks and stockings, cotton, 10 per cent. *a.v.*
110	Towels, Cotton or Linen, 15 per cent.
114	Trimmings, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
	Piece Goods :—
109	Cotton and Linen, 5 per cent.
120	Coatings, Vestings, and Trouserings, n.o.e., 15 per
107	Flannels, 15 per cent. [cent.
113	Flannelettes, 15 per cent.
133	Horsehair Cloth and Hop Cloth, free.
105	Silk, or containing silk, or having silk worked thereon, 15 per cent.
105	Silk, milling, free.
112	Velvets, Velveteens, Plushes, &c., 15 per cent.
108	Woollens, or containing Wool, n.o.e., 15 per cent.
108	Woollen Piece Goods (free).
113	Piece Goods to be used in the manufacture of cloth to be made waterproof with indiarubber, 7½ per cent.
189	Drugs and Chemicals, 15 and 20 per cent. *a.v.*, and free.
189	Drugs, crude, free.
199	Dry Colours and Putty, 1*s.* per cwt.
191	Dye and Dye-stuffs for manufacturing, free, except soap dyes, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
141	Dyes, Hair, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
188	Dynamite, free.
193	Earthenware, Brownware, and Stoneware, 20 per cent.
193	Earthenware—spurs, stilts, and thimbles, crucibles, scorifiers, roasting dishes, muffles, assay furnaces, cupels, free.
3	Eggs, 6*d.* per dozen.
156	Electrical Material, free.
163	Electrical Machinery and Appliances, n.o.e., 12½ per cent. *a.v.*
156	Electrical Materials :—Accumulators or storage batteries, cable and wire (covered), car-

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	bons, testing meters and instruments, dry cells, translators, insulating tapes, meters, arc lamps and accessories, resistance coils, rheostats, static transformers, and terminals, free.
161	Engines, 12½ per cent. [free.
160	Ditto, Portable and Traction,
132	Engine Packing in rope form, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
188	Explosives (not fireworks, 20 per cent. *a.v.*), free.
9	Fat, ½*d.* per lb.
	Fabrics (see dress-piece goods).
140	Fancy Goods, Toys, &c., 20 per cent. *a.v.*
114	Feathers, 25 per cent.
211	Ditto, undressed, 20 per cent.
108	Felt Sheathing, free.
221	Fibre, Coir, free.
221	Ditto, Flax and Hemp, free.
172	Filters, 15 per cent.
252	Fireclay Manufactures, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
161	Fire Engines, free.
143	Fireworks, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
4	Fish, fresh (Oysters), 2*s.* per cwt.
4	Fish, fresh, other, free.
5	Fish, smoked, or preserved by cold process, 1*d.* per lb.
6	Fish, preserved in tins, &c., 1*d.* per lb.
6	Fish, potted or concentrated, 20 per cent.
7	Fish, n.o.e., 5*s.* per cwt.
172	Fishing Nets, free.
221	Flock, cotton, free. [cent.
111	Floorcloths and coverings, 15 per
42	Flour, 2*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
189	Food Preservatives, 20 per cent.
62	Fodder (including compressed fodder), free.
	Fruit, Fresh :—
28	Apples, 2*s.* per cental.
29	Apricots, 2*s.* ditto.
30	Bananas, 1*s.* ditto.
31	Oranges and Lemons, 2*s.* ditto.
32	Pears, 2*s.* ditto.
33	Pine Apples, 2*s.* ditto.
34	N.o.e., 2*s.* ditto.
	Fruits :—
	Dried—
25	Currants, 2*d.* per lb.
27	Dates, 1*d.* per lb.
26	Raisins and other, including peel and ginger preserved (not in liquid), 3*d.* per lb.
34	Preserved in liquid, or partly preserved, or pulped :—
	Half-pints and smaller sizes, 9*d.* per dozen.
	Pints and over half-pints, 1*s.* 6*d.* per dozen.
	Quarts and over pints, 3*s.* per dozen. [gallon.
	Exceeding a quart, 1*s.* 4*d.* per
	Pulp, free.
77	Fruit Juices, 9*d.* per gallon.
103	Fruit Trees, free.
186	Furniture (of wood), 20 per cent.
186	Furniture, minor articles for, free
211	Furs (undressed), free.
114	Furs (dressed), 15 per cent.
188	Fuse, free.
161	Gas Engines, 12½ per cent.
21	Gelatine, sheet, 2*d.* per lb.
67	Geneva (see Spirits).
67	Gin (see Spirits).
96	Ginger, preserved in liquid, 1½*d.* per lb. [per lb.
96	Ditto, preserved dry, 3*d.*
96	Ditto, green, 2*d.* per lb.

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182	Girders, Beams, Channels, Joists, &c., 12½ per cent.
194	Glass :—
	Bent, bevelled, heraldic, sand-blasted, enamelled, embossed, etched, silvered, and cut; corners cut, bevelled, or engraved; panes, prisms, and all other framed with metal, 20 per cent. *a.v.* Polished plate, each plate not exceeding 7 sup. feet, 5*s.* per 100 sup. feet. Polished plate, each plate exceeding 7 and not exceeding 12 sup. feet, 7*s.* 6*d.* per 100 sup. feet. Polished plate, n.o.e., 10*s.* per 100 sup. feet; glass, n.o.e., 15 per cent. Sheet, 2*s.* per 100 sup. feet. Glass lenses, locket, brooch, and watch glasses, free. Broken; figured rolled sheet; lenses (being portions of lamps); milled, rolled, or rough cast: seltzogenes and accessories and syphon bottles; opal sheet; powdered; sheet coloured or stained, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
150	Glasses—Opera, Field, and Marine, 20 per cent.
194	Glassware, 20 per cent.
194	Ditto, empty Wine Bottles, 10 per cent.
192	Bottles, Empty, 5 fluid drams and under, free.
192	Ditto, over 5 fluid drams and under 9 fluid ounces, 2*d.*
121	Gloves, 20 per cent. [per doz.
60	Glucose, 8*s.* per cwt.
211	Glue, Gelatine, and Cements, 20
199	Glycerine, free. [per cent. *a.v.*
225	Gold Bullion, free.
226	Ditto, Specie, free.
139	Gold Leaf, free.
40	Grain and Pulse, n.o.e., 1*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
47	Ditto, ditto, prepared, 2*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
199	Greases—Axle, and thickened or solidified oils; solid or viscous compounds for lubricating, and tallow, unrefined, in packets not exceeding 4 lbs., 4*s.* per cwt.; n.o.e., 2*s.* per cwt.
172	Grindstones, 20 per cent.
45	Groats, ½*d.* per lb.
221	Gum, Dry, Dextrine, Sandarach, and Mastic, free.
187	Gunpowder, free.
114	Hair, curled, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
114	Ditto, human, not made up, free.
211	Hair, unmanufactured, free.
133	Haircloth for Hop-kilns, free.
151	Handles, Tool, axe, or other, 15 per cent. *a.v.* [cwt.
131	Harvest Yarn and Twine, 5*s.* per
122, *et seq.*	Hats and Caps (see Dress).
124	Hatters' Material, free.
48	Hay and Chaff, 1*s.* per cwt.
201	Hides and Skins, raw, free.
8	Honey, 1½*d.* per lb.
133	Hop Cloth, free.
88	Hops, 6*d.* per lb.
98	Horses, free.
199	Hose, Indiarubber, 15 per cent.
220	Hubs, Elm, free.
252	Ice, free.
157	Implements and Machinery, Agricultural, &c., 12½ per cent. *a.v.*, and free.

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199	Indiarubber Hose, &c., 15 per cent.
199	Indiarubber Canvas Tyre fabric, 10 per cent.
199	Indiarubber Manufactures, crude, free.
253	Infants' and Invalids' Foods, free.
135	Ink, Printing, 25 per cent.
191	Insecticides, free.
150	Instruments, Scientific, Surgical, free.
150	Ditto, Surveying, Drawing, Mathematical, 15 per cent.
136	Ditto, Musical, 20 per cent., 15 per cent., and free.
232	Iron, Plate and Sheet, free.
182	Iron Girders, Beams, Channels, Joists, Columns, Rolls, &c.
230	Iron, Galvanised, Plate and Sheet, 15*s.* per ton. [free.
229	Iron, Ingots, Blooms, and Slabs.
229	Iron, Rod, Bar, &c., free.
235	Iron, Hoop, Pig, and Scrap, free.
21	Isinglass, free.
49	Jams and Jellies, ½*d.* per lb.
145-146	Jewellery, 15 per cent. and 25 per cent.
148	Jewellery—Cameos and Precious Stones, unset, free.
221	Kapok, free.
165	Knitting Machines, free.
135	Kindergarten Materials, free.
196	Lampblack, free. [cent. *a.v.*
172	Lamps and Lampware, 15 per
9	Lard, ½*d.* per lb.
238	Lead, Sheet & Pipe, free.
238	Lead, Pig and Scrap, free.
135	Lead Pencils and Penholders, free.
	Leather :—
202	Crust or rough-tanned hog-skins, goat, Persian sheep, skivers, tanned hog-skins; and pump butts, not less than 48 lbs. each hide, free.
202	N.o.e., including green hide for belting purposes, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
203	Leather Manufactures, n.o.e: Leather cut into shapes, Harness, Razor strops, Footballs and parts thereof, and Whips, including reepers, thongs and lashes, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
	Leather, Minor Articles for Harness, free.
252	Lime, 9*d.* per cwt.
77	Lime Juice and other Fruit Juices and Syrups (non-spirituous), per gallon, 9*d.*
114	Linings, 25 per cent.
221	Linseed, 2*s.* per cental.
221	Linseed Meal, 4*s.* per cental.
50	Linseed Cake, 1*s.* per cental.
	Liqueurs (see Spirits).
221	Liquorice, 2*d.* per lb.
221	Ditto, crude, 1*d.* per lb.
167	Locks, door, free. [lb.
51	Macaroni and Vermicelli, 1*d.* per
170	Machine Tools, free. [and free.
162	Machinery, 12½, 15, 20 per cent.,
163	Machinery, Electrical, 12½ per cent.
157	Machinery and Implements, Agricultural, &c., 12½ per cent. *a.v.*, and free.
164	Machinery, Mining, 12½ per cent.
162	Machinery, Printing, free.
165	Machinery, Sewing and Knitting, free.
165	Ditto, used in Woollen Manufactures, free.
165	Ditto, ditto, Bootmaking, free.

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37	Maize, 1*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
44	Maizena, ½*d.* per lb.
162	Mangles, &c., 12½ per cent.
210	Manure, free.
43	Malt, 6*s.* per cental.
63-64	Malt Liquor, in wood, 1*s.* per gallon; in bottle, 1*s.* 6*d.* per gallon, 6 reputed quarts or 12 reputed pints to be charged as one gallon.
62	Malt Extract, 2*d.* per lb.
135	Maps, Charts, and Atlases, free.
185	Marble in rough block, 10 per cent.
188	Matches, 6*d.* per gross.
111	Mats, 15 per cent.
	Meats :—
10	Bacon and Hams, 1*d.* per lb.
	Meats, Poultry, and Game, preserved by cold process—
12	Beef, free.
13	Mutton, free.
14	Pork, free.
15	Poultry, 1*d.* per lb.
16	Rabbits and Hares, free.
18	Other, free.
17	Potted and concentrated (including extracts of, and caviare), 20 per cent.
17	Preserved in tins or other air-tight vessels, 1½*d.* per lb.
18	Preserved in brine, 5*s.* per cwt.
11	Smoked and fresh meats, 1*d.* per lb.
18	N.o.e., 5*s.* per cwt.
190	Medicines, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
167	Metals, manufacture of, free and 20 per cent.
167	Metalware (mixed) 15 per cent. *a.v.*
191	Methylated Spirits, 6*d.* per gallon
26	Milk, preserved, 1*d.* per lb.
19	Milk and Cream, concentrated, 1*d.* per lb.
213	Millboard, 10 per cent. *a.v.*
172	Models, &c., free.
60	Molasses, free.
183	Mouldings, Skirtings, and Architraves, 5*s.* per 100 lineal feet.
241	Muntz and Babbit Metal, free.
136	Musical Instruments, n.e.i., Musical Boxes, Pianola, and other attachments, or articles for rendering music by mechanical process, and Metronomes, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
	Organs, Pipe, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
	Ditto, other, and Harmoniums, 15 per cent.
	Pianos, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
	Orchestral and Military Band Instruments, free.
136	Musical Instruments, parts of, viz.—
	Actions, strings, felts, hammers, ivories, free.
89	Mustard, 2*d.* per lb.
168	Nails, wire and other staples, spikes, brads, and packs, 3*s.* per cwt.
119 & 175	Ditto, Boot and Shoe, Saddler's, &c., free.
168	Ditto, horseshoe, 5*s.* per cwt.
223	Naphtha, ½*d.* per gallon. [free.
254	Natural History Specimens,
172	Nets, fishing, free.
172	Nets and Netting, free.
	Nuts, Edible :—
52	Almonds, 2*d.* per lb.
53	Cocoa, whole, 1*s.* per cwt.
54	N.o.e., whole or prepared, including Cocoanuts, prepared, 2*d.* per lb.
221	Oakum and Tow, free.
45	Oatmeal, ½*d.* per lb.
38	Oats, 1*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
50	Oil Cake, 1*s.* per cental.
161	Oil Engines 12½ per cent.

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	Oils :—
223	Cotton Seed, in bulk or otherwise, 2*s.* per gallon.
	Ditto, when methylated, 6*d.* per gallon.
223	Other (including Castor), in vessels not exceeding 1 gallon, viz.—
	Quarter-pints and smaller sizes, 6*d.* per dozen.
	Half-pints and over quarter-pints, 1*s.* per dozen.
	Pints and over half-pints, 2*s.* per dozen.
	Quarts and over pints, 4*s.* per dozen.
	Over a quart, 1*s.* 4*d.* per gallon.
223	In vessels exceeding 1 gallon—
	Benzine, Benzolene, and Gasoline, ½*d.* per gallon.
223	Castor, 6*d.* per gallon.
223	China, free.
223	Cocoanut, 6*d.* per gallon.
223	Coal, tar, penguin, degras, sod, turbine, free.
223	Colza, 6*d.* per gallon.
223	Essential, free.
223	Eucalyptus, free.
223	Fish, including cod, unrefined seal, and whale, free.
222	Kerosene, free.
223	Linseed, 6*d.* per gallon.
223	Lubricating, 3*d.* per gallon.
223	Olive, 1*s.* 4*d.* per gallon.
223	Solar and Residual, 1*s.* 4*d.*
223	Tallow, 6*d.* [per galln.
	N.o.e., 6*d.* per gallon.
253	Oilmen's Stores, 15 per cent. and free.
55	Onions, 1*s.* per cwt.
78	Opium, 30*s.* per lb.
4	Oysters, 2*s.* per cwt.
245-251	Ores of all kinds of metal, free.
138	Paintings, Etchings, and Photographs, free.
	Paints and Colours :—
196	Ground, in liquid, 2*s.* per cwt.
196	Prepared for use, 4*s.* per cwt.
196	Colours—Dry, Dry White Lead, Patent Dryers, 1*s.* per cwt.
	Paper :—
134	Advertising matter, 3*d.* per lb.
135	Bags, 5*s.* per cwt.
213-221	Browns and Sugar (grey, blue, and other tints), fruit bag paper, 3*s.* per cwt.
213	Cartridge and blotting, 15 per cent.
213	Millboard, greyboard, leatherboard, and woodboard, 10 per cent.
213	Strawboard, 1*s.* per cwt.
135	Writing, 15 per cent. and free.
135	Toilet, 15 per cent.
213	Paper, n.o.e., 15 per cent. and free.
213	Paperhangings, 15 per cent.
199	Paraffin Wax, ½*d.* per lb.
213	Parchment, vegetable, free.
47	Pearl Barley, ½*d.* per lb.
36	Peas and Beans, 1*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
47	Peas, split, 2*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
62	Peel, drained or preserved in brine, acid, or water, 1*d.* per lb.
62	Peel, preserved, (not in liquid), 3*d.* per lb.
92	Pepper, ground, 4*d* per lb.
93	Ditto, unground, 2*d.* per lb.
135	Pencils, lead, and Penholders,
141	Perfumery, 20 per cent. [free.
	Perry and Cider (see Ale, &c.).
254	Personal and household effects of passengers, free.
149	Phonographs, &c., 20 per cent.

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137	Photographic materials — Dry Plates, Sensitised Films, and Sensitised Paper, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
149	Cameras, 20 per cent.
90	Pickles, Sauces, Chutneys, Olives, and Capers :—
	Quarter-pints and smaller sizes, 6*d.* per dozen.
	Half-pints and over quarter-pints, 1*s.* per dozen.
	Pints and over half-pints, 2*s.* per dozen.
	Quarts and over pints, 4*s.* per dozen.
	Exceeding a quart, 1*s.* 4*d.* per gallon. [free.
138	Pictures (not being advertising),
	Piece Goods. See Dress.
99	Pigs, free.
142	Pipes, smoking, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
169	Pipes and Tubes, iron or steel,
169	Ditto, copper, free. [free.
244	Pitch, Tar, free.
103	Plants, Trees, and Shrubs, free.
252	Plaster of Paris, 9*d.* per cwt.
147	Platedware and Plated Cutlery, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
252	Plumbago, free.
41	Pollard, 1*s.* per cental.
199	Polishes, 20 per cent.
191	Potash and Pearlash, crude, in bulk, free.
189	Potassium, Cyanide of, free.
56	Potatoes, 1*s.* per cwt.
100	Poultry, free. [free.
188	Powder, Sporting or Blasting,
148	Precious Stones, uncut, free.
172	Printing material, free.
252	Pumice, free.
199	Putty, 1*s.* per cwt.
241	Quicksilver, free.
167	Rabbit Traps, free.
113	Rags, free.
	Railway and Tramway materials :—
178	Carriages, Trucks, or Waggons, 20 per cent.
233	Rails, Fish-bolts, Fish-plates, Tie-plates, Switches, Points, Crossings, and Intersections for Railways and Tramways, 12½ per cent.
158	Reapers and Binders, free.
114	Regalia, free.
253	Rennet, free.
221	Resin, free.
187	Revolvers and Pistols, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
46	Rice, uncleaned, 3*s.* 4*d.* per cental; n.o.e., 6*s.* per cental.
187	Rifles and Guns, 10 per cent. *a.v*
199	Rubber goods, 15 per cent.
199	Ditto, manufacturers', crude, free.
113	Rugs, Rugging, 15 per cent.
68-69	Rum—see Spirits.
60	Saccharine, dutiable as a substitute for sugar from cane at a standard of 550 times the strength of an equal quantity of sugar.
175	Saddlers' materials, free.
57	Sago, 4*s.* per cental.
91	Salt, 12*s.* 6*d.* per ton; Brown Rock, free.
91	Saltpetre, free.
90	Sauces (see Pickles, &c.)
21	Sausage casings, free.
135	School Slates and Pencils, free.
150	Scientific Instruments, free.
	Seeds :—
62	Canary, Hemp, and Rape, 1*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
104	Agricultural, &c., free.
104	Other (garden), free.

Classified Order.	ARTICLES, AND IMPORT TARIFF.
132	Sewing Cottons, Silks, Twists, Threads, &c., free.
165	Sewing Machines, free.
41	Sharps, 1*s.* per cental.
108	Sheathing Felt, free.
101	Sheep, free.
191	Sheep Dip, free
221	Shellac, free.
180	Ships Fittings, free. [cwt.
187	Shot, Bullets, and Slugs, 5*s.* per
105	Silk, milling, free.
227	Silver in bar, ingot, or sheet, free.
227	Silver Bullion, free.
228	Silver Specie, free.
139	Silver Leaf, free.
201	Skins, free.
183	Skirtings, Mouldings, and Architraves, 5*s.* per 100 lineal feet.
185	Slates, roofing, 15 per cent., and slab, free.
135	Slates, school, and pencils, free.
83	Snuff, 6*s.* 6*d.* per lb.
197	Soap, n.o.e., 1*d.* per lb.
197	Soap, Perfumed, Toilet, and Medicated, 3*d.* per lb.
115	Socks and Stockings, cotton, 10 per cent.
116	Ditto, woollen, or containing wool, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
191	Soda, Acetate, free.
191	Soda Ash, free.
191	Soda, Carbonate of, free.
191	Soda, Caustic, free.
191	Soda, Crystals, 1*s.* per cwt.
191	Soda, Nitrate, free.
191	Soda, Silicate, free.
76	Sparklets, free.
224	Specie, Copper, Nickel, Bronze,
226	Ditto, Gold, free [free
228	Ditto, Silver, free
254	Specimens of Natural History, free.
50	Spectacles, free.
241	Spelter, &c., free.
93	Spices, unground, 2*d.* per lb.
92	Ditto, ground, 4*d.* per lb.
	Spirits —
72	Bitters, 14*s.* per proof gallon.
65 & 66	Brandy, 14*s.* „ „
72	Cordials, spirituous, 14*s.* „
72	Essences, Tinctures, Extracts, 14*s.* per proof gallon
67	Geneva, 14*s.* „ „
67	Gin, Schnapps, 14*s.* „
72	Liqueurs, 14*s.* „ „
191	Methylated, 1*s.* per gallon.
72	Perfumed and Bay Rum, 25*s.* per gallon.
68 & 69	Rum, 14*s.* per proof gallon.
72	Sarsaparilla, 14*s.* per gallon.
70 & 71	Whiskey, 14*s.* „ „
72	Spirits of Wine, 14*s.* „ „
72	Spirituous Compounds, 14*s.* per proof gallon.
221	Sponges, free
221	Starch, 2*d.* per lb.
62	Starch Flour, ½*d.* per lb.
135	Stationery, 25 per cent. and free.
207	Stearine, ½*d.* per lb.
235	Steel, unmanufactured, free.
172	Stone, grind, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
185	Stone in rough block, free.
185	Stone, unwrought, marble, 10 per cent. [25 per cent.
185	Stone, wrought, 20 per cent., and
172	Stones—Oil, Whet, & Emery, free.
172	Stones, Lithographic, free.
221	Straw—Broom, Corn, Millet, and Rice, free.
213	Strawboard, 1*s.* per cwt.
207	Suet, Tallow, and Grease, 2*s.* per cwt.
	Sugar .—
58	The produce of Sugar Cane, 6*s.* per cwt. [per cwt.
59	Golden Syrup and Syrups, 6*s.*
	Sugar—*continued.*
60	Glucose, 8*s.* per cwt.
60	Molasses, free.
60	Other, 10*s.* per cwt.
196	Sulphate of Copper, free.
252	Sulphur, free.
150	Surgical Instruments, free.
76	Table Waters, Aërated or Mineral, and preparations packed for household use for the production thereof; also Ale, Porter, and other Beer, Cider, and Perry, containing less than 2 per cent. proof spirit, *a.v.*, 20 per cent.
207	Tallow, free.
167	Tanks, free.
110	Tarpaulins, Sails, and Flags, 5 per cent.
61	Tapioca, 4*s.* per cental
94	Tea, free. [free
150	Telescopes, Thermometers, &c.,
110	Tents, 5 per cent.
254	Theatrical Costumes, &c., free.
185	Tiles, Earthenware, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
185	„ Roofing, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
185	„ Asphalt, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
	Timber :—
183	Architraves, 5*s.* per 100 lineal ft.
173	Bent, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
183	Doors of wood :—
	1¾ in. and over, 7*s.* 6*d.* each; over 1½in. and under 1¾ in., 5*s.* each; 1½ in. and under, 3*s.* 6*d.* each. [feet.
184	Dressed, n.o.e., 3*s.* per 100 super.
220	Elm Hubs, free.
219	Laths, 5*s.* per 1000.
215	Logs, free.
183	Mouldings, 5*s.* per 100 lineal ft.
216	Palings, 15*s.* per 1000.
217	Pickets, undressed, 1*s.* per 100.
217	Pickets, dressed, 4*s.* per 100.
219	Pine, New Zealand, free.
183	Skirtings, 5*s.* per 100 lineal feet.
220	Shingles, 3*s.* per 1000.
219	Undressed :—Ash, free.
219	Hickory, free.
	Undressed, n.o.e., in sizes 12 in. × 6 in. (or its equivalent) or over, 1*s.* per 100 super. feet.
219	Undressed, n.o.e., in sizes of 7 in. × 2½ in. (or its equivalent) and upwards, and less than 12 in. × 6 in. (or its equivalent), 1*s.* 6*d.* per 100 super. feet.
219	Undressed, being Oregon, in sizes 12 in. by 6 in. (or its equivalent) and upwards, 1*s.* per 100 super. feet.
219	Undressed, n.o.e., of sizes less than 7 in. × 2½ in. (or its equivalent), 1*s.* 6*d.* per 100 super. feet.
220	Other, free.
139	Tinfoil, free.
240	Tin, unmanufactured, free.
240	Tin Plates, plain, free.
	Tobacco :—
79	Manufactured, 3*s.* 3*d.* per lb.;
80	unmanufactured, 3*s.* 3*d.* per lb.
80	Unmanufactured, but entered to be locally manufactured into Tobacco, Cigars, or Cigarettes, 1*s.* 6*d.* per lb.
81	Cigars, 6*s.* 3*d.* per lb., and 15 per cent. *a.v.*
82	Cigarettes, 6*s.* 6*d.* per lb.
84	Tobacco destroyed for manufacture of sheep-wash or other purposes under Departmental By-laws, free.
83	Snuff, 6*s.* 6*d.* per lb.
171	Tools, every description, free.
151	Tool Handles, unattached, 15 per cent.
110	Towels, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
199	Turpentine, free
131	Twine, Harvest, 5*s.* per cwt.
132	Twine, n.o.e., 20 per cent.
166	Typewriters, free. [Dress).
125	Umbrellas and Parasols (see
125	Umbrella-makers' Materials (minor articles for), free.
198	Varnish, 1*s.* 9*d.* per gallon.
196	Vegetable Black, free.
34	Vegetables, n.o.e., 1*s.* per cental.
34	Vegetables, dried and concentrated, 15 per cent. *a.v.*
213	Vegetable Parchment, free.
	Vehicles :—
176	Bicycles, Tricycles, and similar Vehicles, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
176	Cycle parts, 10 per cent. & free.
178	Barouches, Broughams, Waggons, &c., 25 per cent., *a.v.*
178	Parts :—Wheels, tyred and bolted; Bodies, Undergears, Undercarriages, and Tops, 25 per cent., *a.v.*
178	Ditto, n.e.i., 20 per cent. *a.v.*
177	Motor, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
178	Minor Articles for, free. [lb.
51	Vermicelli and Macaroni, 1*d.* per
95	Vinegar, 6*d.* per gal.
144	Watches, 20 per cent.
113	Waterproof Cloths, 15 per cent.
211	Wax, Bees', ½*d.* per lb.
199	Ditto, Paraffin, ½*d.* per lb.
221	Ditto, Vegetable, ½*d.* per lb.
166	Weighing Machines, 20 per cent.
39	Wheat, 1*s.* 6*d.* per cental.
	Whisky (see Spirits).
199	Whiting, 6*d.* per cwt.
221	Wick, candle and lamp, 5 per cent. *a.v.* and free.
173	Wicker, Bamboo, Cane, or Wood manufactures of, 20 per cent. and free.
221	Ditto, unmanufactured, free.
173	Wicker and Cane, minor articles for manufacture of, free.
114	Wigs, &c., 20 per cent.
	Wine, fermented :—
73	Sparkling, 12*s.* per gallon. (Three magnums, six reputed quarts, twelve reputed pints, or twenty-four reputed half-pints to be charged as one gallon.)
74	N.e.i., in bottle, 8*s.* per gallon. (Six reputed quarts, twelve reputed pints, or twenty-four reputed half-pints to be charged as one gallon.)
75	Other, 6*s.* per gallon. Containing more than 35 per cent. of proof spirit, for each 1 per cent. of proof spirit; over 35 per cent. and up to and including 40 per cent., 6*d.* per gallon additional; containing more than 40 per cent. of proof spirit, 14*s.* per gallon.
77	Unfermented, 3*s.* per gallon.
234	Wire, Barbed, 10 per cent. *a.v.*
234	Wire Netting, free.
234	Wire Cable, free.
234	Wire, Iron, or Steel, free.
234	Wire, n.o.e., free.
154	Wire Rope, free.
173	Woodware, 20 per cent. *a.v.*
208	Wool, unmanufactured, free.
130	Woolpacks, free.
139	Works of Art, free.
221	Yarn, free.
131	Yarn, Harvest, 5*s.* per cwt.
211	Yarn, partly or wholly of Wool, 5 per cent.
241	Zinc, free.

EXCISE DUTIES.

Dutiable Goods.	Duties.
Beer, viz.:—Ale, Porter, and other Beer, containing not less than 2 per cent. of proof spirit, brewed from Barley, Malt, and Hops exclusively	2*d.* per gallon.
N.O.E.	3*d.* per gallon.
Spirits, viz.:—	
Distilled wholly from Grape wine	11*s.* per proof gallon.
N.O.E	13*s.* per proof gallon.
For fortifying Australian Wine or making Vinegar	1*s.* per proof gallon.
Methylated	6*d.* per gallon.
Starch	1*d.* per lb.
Sugar	3*s.* per cwt. of manufactured Sugar, less (from the 1st July, 1902) a rebate to the grower of sugar cane and beet. The rebate in the case of sugar cane to be 4*s.* per ton on all sugar cane delivered for manufacture, and in the production of which sugar cane white labour only has been employed. The rebate is calculated on cane giving 10 per cent. of sugar, and is to be increased or reduced proportionately according to any variation from this standard. A similar rebate to be allowed in respect of sugar beet—the rebate to be allowed at the rate of £2 per ton on the sugar-giving contents of the beet. All rebates to be allowed at the time of delivery of the cane or beet on the ascertainment, in manner prescribed, of the sugar-giving contents, and so that it may be prescribed that the average sugar-giving contents of the cane or beet in any particular district shall be taken to be the sugar-giving contents of each lot of cane or beet in such district.
Glucose	Excise. As Sugar.
Tobacco, viz.:—	
Manufactured	1*s.* per lb.
Cigars	1*s.* 6*d.* per lb.
Cigarettes	3*s.* per lb. (including the weight of the outer portion of each cigarette).
Snuff	2*s.* per lb.

EXTENT OF TRADE IN RELATION TO FORMER PERIODS.

STATEMENT for the Year 1905, *showing the Direction and Extent of the Export and Import Trade of Tasmania ; also showing Comparisons with the preceding Four Years.*

COUNTRY.	IMPORTS—VALUE.					EXPORTS—VALUE.				
	1905.	**1904.**	**1903.**	**1902.**	**1901.**	**1905.**	**1904.**	**1903.**	**1902.**	**1901.**
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth States—[a]										
New South Wales	481,192	423,728	455,158	368,378	295,773	1,213,291	910,920	856,517	1,098,187	642,564
Victoria	1,348,365	1,285,547	1,301,724	1,279,011	718,243	1,751,808	1,243.278	559,696	564,003	516,847
Queensland	9097	10,939	15,390	29,950	126,588	109,557	97,513	61,182	62,848	18,674
South Australia	74,532	38,456	29,149	32,771	12,133	51,629	22,627	19,237	31,465	56,624
West Australia	451	225	684	19	1264	113,156	84,212	49,806	44,330	47,008
Australian Commonwealth	1,913,637	1,758,895	1,802,105	1,710,129	1,154,001	3,239,441	2,358,550[d]	1,546,438	1,800,833	1,281,717
United Kingdom (direct)	586,992	617,414	597,540	585,750	628,617	375,604	555,013	606,888	654,174	833,928
New Zealand	23,311	20,780	21,794	41,970	46,742	59,772	25,741	24,659	18,257	26,530
Other British Possessions	11,948	18,582	7492	15,356	24,681	33,103	40,662	26,641	38,281	55,541
Total British Possessions	2,535,888	2,415,671	2,428,931	2,353,205	1,854,041	3,707,920	2,979,966	2,204,626	2,511,545	2,197,716
Foreign Countries	115,866	138,783	164,879	89,540	111,158	3696	9634[b]	638,482	732,963	748,041
TOTAL	2,651,754	2,554,454	2,593,810	2,442,745	1,965,199	3,711,616	2,989,600	2,843,108	3,244,508	2,945,757
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Value per head of Mean Population	14 15 10	14 5 8	14 12 3	13 17 9	11 6 5	20 14 1	16 14 5	16 0 3	18 8 11	16 19 2
Value per 100 square miles area £	10,116	9743	9894	9318	7496	14,160	11,405	10,845	12,376	11,237
Australian Commonwealth	72·16	68·86	69·49	70·00	58·72	87·28	78·90	54·39	55·51	43·51
United Kingdom (direct)	22·14	24·17	23·04	23·98	31·99	10·12	18·56	21·36	20·16	28·31
Other British Possessions	1·33	1·54	1·12	2·35	3·63	2·50	2·22	1·79	1·74	2·79
Foreign Countries	4·37	5·43	6·35	3·67	5·66	·10	·32	22·46	22·59	25·39
TOTAL	100·	100·	100·	100·	100·	100·	100·	100·	100·	100.

[a] Includes transhipments and re-exports to and from England and other Countries.
[b] Goods formerly shown as exported to Foreign Countries are now included in transfers to New South Wales and Victoria, the goods being transhipped in these States.

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IMPORTS.

SUMMARY of the Nature and Value of Articles imported into Tasmania during the Year 1905.

Mean Population, 1905—179,259. Area—26,215 square miles.

COUNTRY FROM WHENCE IMPORTED.*	NATURE AND VALUE OF IMPORTS.								
	Class I. Food, Drink, Narcotics, and Stimulants.	Class II Live Animals and Plants.	Class III. Textile Fabrics, Dress, and Manufactured Fibrous Materials.	Class IV. Products of Arts and Manufactures not otherwise classed.	Class V. Staple Animal and Vegetable Substances including Mineral Oils.	Class VI. Staple Mineral and Metals including Bullion and Specie.	Class VII. Miscellaneous Articles imperfectly defined.	All Classes.	Per cent. to Total Imports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Commonwealth :—									
New South Wales	209,314	40,975	50,093	116,948	14,813	42,720	6329	481,192	18·14
Victoria	354,673	48,954	341,009	402,524	107,702	74,982	18,521	1,348,365	50·85
Queensland	6040	...	303	2426	70	86	172	9097	·34
South Australia	63,288	35	5594	4409	752	22	432	74,532	2·81
West Australia	2	...	335	114	...	...	...	451	·02
Total Commonwealth	633,317	89,964	397,334	526,421	123,337	117,810	25,454	1,913,637	72·16
United Kingdom and other British Countries :—									
New Zealand	4627	4945	587	3219	8276	1584	73	23,311	·88
United Kingdom	49,930	1024	241,338	200,671	22,080	63,737	8212	586,992	22·14
Other British Possessions	5730	...	4581	539	1082	...	16	11,948	·45
Total United Kingdom and other British Possessions	60,287	5969	246,506	204,429	31,438	65,321	8301	622,251	23·47
Foreign Countries :—									
America	9953	8	2779	36,698	6722	5569	396	62,125	2·34
France	1487	...	319	1310	28	...	...	3144	·12
Germany	1021	744	2562	16,740	5140	908	309	27,424	1·04
Other Foreign Countries	6457	66	1903	12,071	2552	37	87	23,173	·87
Total Foreign Countries	18,918	818	7563	66,819	14,442	6514	792	115,866	4·37
Total	712,522	96,751	651,403	797,669	169,217	189,645	34,547	2,651,754	100·00
Per cent. to Total	26·87	3·65	24·57	30·08	6·38	7·15	1·30	100·00	...
Value per head of Population £ s. d.	3 19 6	0 10 10	3 12 8	4 9 0	0 18 10	1 1 2	0 3 10	14 15 10	...

* A statement showing the Country of Origin of Imports will be found in the succeeding table.

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	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COMMONWEALTH	494,924	87,675	198,377	242,519	60,701	71,586	13,612	1,169,394	44·10
UNITED KINGDOM AND OTHER BRITISH COUNTRIES:—									
New Zealand	3312	5740	616	4957	11,357	1587	106	27,675	1·04
United Kingdom	61,247	1826	360,610	333,447	34,983	105,157	14,596	911,866	34·39
Other British Possessions	58,244	13	42,607	9881	6187	71	775	117,778	4·44
Total United Kingdom and other British Possessions.	122,803	7579	403,833	348,285	52,527	106,815	15,477	1,057,319	39·87
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—									
Germany	2112	1097	13,643	56,691	10,045	3428	929	87,945	3·32
Other European Countries	28,110	159	22,164	50,507	6841	301	1349	109,431	4·13
Japan	6370	18	6176	2875	1537	...	2	16,978	·64
Other Asiatic Countries (not British)	29,052	20	577	611	3892	38	189	34,379	1·30
U.S. America	26,925	203	6633	95,241	33,269	7470	2976	172,717	6·51
Other American Countries (not British)	1963	...	...	938	262	7	7	3177	·12
Africa (not British)	263	...	...	2	143	...	6	414	·01
Total Foreign Countries	94,795	1497	49,193	206,865	55,989	11,244	5458	425,041	16·03
TOTAL	712,522	96,751	651,403	797,669	169,217	189,645	34,547	2,651,754	100·00
Per cent. to Total	26·87	3·65	24·57	30·08	6·38	7·15	1·30	100·00	
Value per head of Population ..... £ s. d.	3 19 6	0 10 10	3 12 8	4 9 0	0 18 10	1 1 2	3 1 0	14 15 10	

IMPORTS INTO TASMANIA, YEAR 1905.

Classified Index Numbers. Class.	Order.	Item.	Article Imported.		Quantity Imported, Total.	Value. Total.	Australian Produce transferred from other Australian States	Other Produce Imported from: Other Australian States.	Other Countries.	Commonwealth Tariff Guide Classification Number.
I.	...	...	FOOD, DRINKS, NARCOTICS, AND STIMULANTS.			£	£	£	£	
	1	...	ANIMAL FOOD :—							
		1	Butter	lbs.	996,390	44,610	44,607	1	2	101
		2	Cheese	,,	101,647	2981	2744	206	31	111
		3	Eggs	No. doz.	38,415	1675	1672	...	3	150
			Fish—							
		4	Fresh (Oysters)	cwts.	1433	721	305	...	416	160
		4b	Ditto other	lbs.	2878	33	29	2	2	161
		5	Smoked or preserved by cold process	,,	3193	92	...	81	11	162
		6	Potted, concentrated, or preserved in tins	,,	401,779	9170	36	3769	5365	164
		7	All other	cwts.	305	337	20	171	146	165
		8	Honey	lbs.	96,704	1170	1170	...	...	245
		9	Lard and refined Animal Fats	,,	138,018	2385	2338	6	41	285
			Meats—							
		10	Bacon and Hams, partly or wholly cured	,,	597,673	14,143	14,131	8	4	326
		11	Fresh and Smoked	,,	205,442	2341	2341	...	...	334
			Meats, Poultry, and Game, preserved by cold process—							
		15	Poultry	,,	817	14	14	...	...	331
		16	Rabbits and Hares	,,	...	...	...	...	...	332
		17	Preserved, Concentrated, and Potted Meats	,,	258,378	7990	6452	607	931	335, 336
		18	Meats, n.e.i.	cwts.	407	478	475	...	3	337
			Milk and Cream—							
		19	Concentrated	lbs.	91,238	1573	1564	9	...	354
		20	Preserved	,,	579,430	10,759	1518	695	8546	355
		21	Animal Foods, n.e.i.	,,	...	2929	489	2003	437	191,277,457
			Total Order 1	...	...	103,401	79,905	7558	15,938	
	2	...	VEGETABLE FOOD:—							
		22	Arrowroot	,,	16,524	171	162	7	2	55
		23	Biscuits	,,	392,872	10,684	10,462	58	164	72
		24	Confectionery	,,	1,009,885	28,326	24,423	950	2953	121
			Fruits, dried —							
		25	Currants	,,	553,106	4720	167	2350	2203	170
		26	Raisins and Sultanas	,,	247,683	4679	3862	388	429	172
		27	Other	,,	201,340	2138	449	915	774	171, 173
			Fruits, Green—							
		28	Apples	centals	87	58	44	9	5	180
		30	Bananas	,,	13,904	9606	9597	9	...	181
		31	Oranges and Lemons	,,	13,155	9143	8166	705	272	182
		32	Pears	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		33	Pineapples	centals	1531	978	978	...	...	183
		34	Fruits and Vegetables, n.e.i.	...	...	14,301	14,142	65	94	174,179,184
			Grain and Pulse (unprepared)—							
		35	Barley	centals	796	190	188	...	2	213
		36	Beans and Peas	,,	898	683	177	90	416	214
		37	Maize	,,	1983	645	645	...	...	215
		38	Oats	,,	13,617	3228	3093	...	135	216
		39	Wheat	,,	273,392	78,662	78,662	...	...	217
		40	Grain and Pulse, n.e.i.	,,	476	175	103	72	...	218
			Grain and Pulse (prepared or manufactured)—							
		41	Bran, Pollard, and Sharps	,,	19,865	4273	4273	...	...	220
		42	Flour	,,	32,110	12,590	12,568	22	...	221
		43	Malt	,,	464	421	325	56	40	223
		44	Maizena and Cornflour	,,	102,527	1356	564	446	346	224
		45	Oatmeal, Wheatmeal, & Rolled Oats	lbs.	121,069	997	704	149	144	225
		46	Rice, n.e.i.	centals.	10,400	7204	...	6307	897	229
		47	Grain & Pulse (prepared), n.ei.	lbs.	18,734	303	260	41	2	230
		48	Hay and Chaff	cwts.	111,675	15,635	15,627	...	8	244
		49	Jams and Jellies	lbs.	606,722	7116	6813	25	278	278
		50	Linseed and Oilcake	centals.	5921	1757	1757	...	...	300
		51	Macaroni and Vermicelli	lbs.	17,665	244	189	35	20	303

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I.	...	...	FOODS, DRINKS, &c.—*continued.*		£	£	£	£	£	
	2	...	VEGETABLE FOOD—*continued.*							
			Nuts, Edible :—							
		52	Almonds	lbs.	12,916	605	278	133	194	361
		53	Cocoanuts	cwts.	278	185	1	174	10	362
		54	Nuts, Edible, n.e.i	lbs.	41,055	751	122	568	61	363
		55	Onions	cwts.	4803	2698	2547	151	...	392
		56	Potatoes	,,	1380	598	585	8	5	443
		57	Sago	centals	2001	314	...	314	...	453
			Sugar, Molasses, &c. :—							
		58	Sugar Cane	cwts.	185,870	164,562	146,121	17,023	1418	517
		59	Syrup, Golden, &c.	,,	3720	3885	3754	131	...	518
		60	Molasses, Glucose, and n.e.i.	,,	899	669	21	362	286	451,519,520
		61	Tapioca	centals	1514	822	...	617	205	525
		62	Vegetable Foods, n.e.i.	...	...	3489	1560	711	1218	105, 321, 414, 415,
			Total Order 2	...	...	398,861	353,389	32,891	12,581	458
	3	...	DRINKS :—							
			A. Alcoholic Drinks :—							
		63	Ale and Stout, in bottle	galls.	55,142	9867	1183	2658	6026	7
		64	Ditto, in bulk	,,	32,610	2543	2460	61	22	8
			Spirits—							
		65	Brandy, in bottle	,,	3525	2514	...	1765	749	484
		66	Ditto, in bulk	,,	7646	2475	383	1043	1049	485
		67	Gin, Geneva, &c.	,,	19,601	5298	...	3786	1512	486-488
		68	Rum, in bottle	,,	196	116	...	92	24	489
		69	Ditto, in bulk	,,	15,944	2066	...	841	1225	490
		70	Whisky, in bottle	,,	12,663	6942	...	5052	1890	491
		71	Ditto, in bulk	,,	23,858	9148	...	3089	6059	492
		72	Spirits, n.e.i. (alcoholic drinks)	,,	3321	6354	1597	2312	2445	494-496, 498-501
			Wine—							
		73	Sparkling	,,	742	1384	14	598	772	585
		74	Bottled, n.e.i.	,,	6234	3702	3321	140	241	586
		75	Other (Wine in bulk)	,,	18,743	4378	3611	266	501	587
			Total Order 3A	...	...	56,787	12,569	21,703	22,515	
			B. Non-alcoholic Drinks.							
		76	Aerated or Mineral Waters	galls.	...	729	510	92	127	6, 473
		77	Lime Juice and other Non-alcoholic Drinks or Unfermented Liquors	,,	...	1848	1589	103	156	296, 588
			Total Order 3B	...	...	2577	2099	195	283	
	4	...	TOBACCO AND OTHER NARCOTICS :—							
		78	Opium (Smoking)	lbs.	811	1341	...	972	369	393
			Tobacco—							
		79	Manufactured	,,	403,749	43,154	29,960	7707	5487	551
		80	Unmanufactured	,,	...	...	...	...	...	552
		81	Cigars	,,	14,196	6167	3115	2359	693	554
		82	Cigarettes	,,	25,204	8294	2899	5209	186	555
		83	Snuff	,,	248	48	...	26	22	556
		84	Tobacco, n.e.i.	,,	...	...	...	...	...	557
			Total Order 4	...	...	59,004	35,974	16,273	6757	
	5	...	TEA AND OTHER STIMULANTS :—							
		85	Cocoa and Chocolate, ground or manufactured	lbs.	177,587	10,672	910	1176	8586	117
		86	Coffee and Chicory, raw or kiln-dried	,,	22,132	719	...	692	27	118
		87	Coffee and Chicory, roasted, ground, or liquid	,,	63,437	2612	1736	130	746	119
		88	Hops	,,	19,375	1382	551	411	420	246
		89	Mustard	,,	34,987	2311	136	332	1843	357
		90	Pickles, Sauces, Chutneys, &c.	doz. pints	22,068	5605	3133	836	1636	419-422
		91	Salt	cwts.	34,805	4174	2386	1297	491	454-456
		92	Spices, ground	lbs.	37,094	1783	1481	158	144	480-482
		93	Ditto, unground	,,	50,140	1531	1	1061	469	481-483
		94	Tea	,,	1,269,595	57,398	...	52,935	4463	526
		95	Vinegar, including extracts or essence of	galls.	34,966	3291	606	516	2169	574
		96	Stimulants, n.e.i.	lbs.	...	414	2	275	137	116,192-194
			Total Order 5	...	...	91,892	10,942	59,819	21,131	
			TOTAL CLASS I.	...	...	712,522	494,878	138,439	79,205	

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II.	...	...	LIVE ANIMALS AND PLANTS.		£	£	£	£	£	
	6	...	ANIMALS OF ALL KINDS :—							
		97	Cattle	No.	1697	19,004	18,894	...	110	21
		98	Horses	„	695	17,606	15,440	950	1216	23
		99	Pigs	„	...	...	...	...	...	24
		100	Poultry	„	815	464	430	...	34	25
		101	Sheep	„	53,224	49,164	48,906	...	258	26
		102	Animals, n.e.i.	...	...	135	113	11	11	20, 22, 27
			Total Order 6	...	...	86,373	83,783	961	1629	
	7	...	PLANTS, LIVING :—							
		103	Plants, Trees, and Bulbs	...	...	2490	2350	26	114	438
		104	Seeds	...	...	7888	1542	1302	5044	462
			Total Order 7	...	...	10,378	3892	1328	5158	
			TOTAL CLASS II.	...	...	96,751	87,675	2289	6787	
III.	...	...	TEXTILE FABRICS AND DRESS, AND MANUFACTURED FIBROUS MATERIALS.							
	8	...	SILK MANUFACTURES.							
		105	Silk, &c., or containing Silk	...	...	20,666	8	14,938	5720	427-428
	9	...	WOOLLEN AND WORSTED MANUFACTURES.							
			Piece Goods.							
		106	Blankets and Blanketing	...	...	1925	1292	174	459	75
		107	Flannels	...	...	1695	907	116	672	431
		108	Woollens, n.e.i.	...	...	61,208	1533	27,483	32,192	430,433
			Total Order 9	...	...	64,828	3732	27,773	33,323	
	10	...	COTTON OR FLAX MANUFACTURES :—							
		109	Cotton and Linen piece goods	...	...	79,840	...	23,135	56,705	425
		110	Other, n.e.i.	...	...	10,302	420	4103	5779	34, 104, 527
			Total Order 10	...	...	90,142	420	27,238	62,484	
	11	...	MANUFACTURES OF MIXED MATERIALS (WOOL, COTTON, OR FLAX, &C.) :—							
		111	Carpets, Carpeting, and Floor Coverings	...	...	21,666	854	7471	13,341	107,167,325
		112	Velvets, Velveteens, Plushes, &c.	...	...	19,953	1	7320	12,632	429
		113	Other, n.e.i.	...	...	22,226	757	7666	13,803	114, 134, 138, 432,
			Total Order 11	...	...	63,845	1612	22,457	39,776	435, 447, 450
	12	...	DRESS :—							
		114	Apparel and Attire and Articles n.e.i.	...	...	193,570	103,104	36,122	54,344	28, 33, 35, 130, 153, 169, 188, 234, 235, 559, 584
			Socks and Stockings –							
		115	Cotton	...	...	4595	...	1758	2837	30
		116	Wool	...	...	15,431	847	4366	10,218	31
		117	Boots and Shoes, except of Lasting or Stuff	...	...	63,415	3	59,903	3509	80
		118	Ditto, Infants	...	...	3375	196	676	2503	83
		119	Ditto, n.e.i.	...	...	7364	229	2625	4510	81,82,84,85
		120	Coatings, Vestings, &c. (piece goods)	...	...	7718	83	30	7605	434
		121	Gloves	...	...	9217	49	3998	5170	209
			Hats and Caps—							
		122	Felt	...	...	9502	5624	1450	2428	237, 242
		123	Sewn	...	...	2769	1007	236	1526	239
		124	Hats, Caps, and Bonnets, n.e.i.	...	...	21,354	8988	5797	6569	238, 241, 243
		125	Umbrellas	...	...	5787	4641	374	772	562-564
			Total Order 12	...	...	344,097	124,771	117,335	101,991	

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III.	...	..	TEXTILE FABRICS, &c.—*continued.*							
	13	...	MANUFACTURES OF FIBROUS MATERIALS (SACKING, MATTING, CORDAGE, &c.) :—							
		127	Bags and Sacks (Dutiable)	...	...	1423	1307	2	114	63
		128	Bags, Sacks, Packs, and Bales (Bran, Chaff, and Compressed Fodder), n.e.i., free	dozen	70,417	13,137	22	12,073	1042	64, 64 B, C, & F
		129	Ditto, Corn and Flour	,,	82,580	24,348	...	22,244	2104	64A
		130	Woolpacks	No.	40,106	4586	...	2042	2544	64E
			Cordage—							
		131	Twine and Yarn (reaper and binder)	cwts.	2370	6007	3734	407	1866	125
		132	N.e.i. (not metal)	,,	...	17,185	5101	9331	2753	128
		133	Manufactures of Fibrous Material, n.e.i..... ...	...	...	1139	367	420	352	126,129,426
			Total Order 13	...	...	67,825	10,531	46,519	10,775	
			TOTAL CLASS III.....	...	...	651,403	141,074	256,260	254,069	
IV	...	...	PRODUCTS OF ARTS AND MANUFACTURES NOT OTHERWISE CLASSED.							
	14	..	BOOKS AND STATIONERY :—							
		134	Books, Printed Music, Periodicals, Newspapers, Pamphlets, and Advertising matter	...	...	28,163	4106	10,974	13,083	79,402
		135	Stationery.....	...	...	30,971	17,385	5835	7751	106, 403, 409, 410,
			Total Order 14	...	...	59,134	21,491	16,809	20,834	504, 505
	15	...	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS :—							
		136	Instruments, Musical, and parts, n.e.i.....	...	...	20,106	3070	9934	7102	255 - 258, 260, 263
	16	...	WORKS OF ART AND ART MATERIAL :—							
		137	Photographic Materials.....	...	...	2563	686	1464	413	418
		138	Pictures, not being advertising	...	...	3800	2305	962	533	424
		139	Works of Art, &c., n.e.i.....	...	...	2067	309	142	1616	62,289,290, 400A, 424
			Total Order 16	...	...	8430	3300	2568	2562	
	17	...	FANCY GOODS :—							
		140	Fancy Goods (tariff)	...	...	18,878	1784	8804	8290	152
		141	Perfumery	...	...	2923	741	1053	1129	416
		142	Pipes, Smoking, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, and other smoking accessories	...	...	4688	7	3348	1333	436
			Total Order 17	...	...	26,489	2532	13,205	10,752	
	18	...	TIMEPIECES, JEWELLERY, AND PLATED WARE.—							
		144	Clocks and Watches	...	...	17,142	17	15,100	2025	113, 575
		145	Jewellery, 25 per cent.	...	...	51,924	31,285	15,943	4696	279
		146	Ditto, 15 per cent.....	...	...	361	...	360	1	280
		147	Plated Ware and Plated Cutlery ...	...	...	8461	50	4496	3915	346
		148	Precious Stones, &c., n.e.i.....	...	...	277	59	208	10	281
			Total Order 18	...	...	78,165	31,411	36,107	10,647	
	19	...	SURGICAL, OPTICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS :—							
		149	Phonographs, Cameras, Magic Lanterns, and the like	...	...	4698	120	2893	1685	264
		150	Surgical, Optical, and Scientific, Surveyors', &c,.....	...	...	5855	294	4472	1089	206 - 208, 265 - 268,
			Total Order 19	...	...	10,553	414	7365	2774	478

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IV.	...	...	PRODUCTS OF ARTS, &c.—*continued.*			£	£	£	£	
	20	...	MACHINES, TOOLS, AND IMPLEMENTS :—							
		151	Axe and other unattached Tool handles	...	...	2796	5	1180	1611	581
		152	Brushware, n.e.i	...	..	9528	3703	2733	3092	95-97
		153	Bolts and Nuts	...	...	2352	1083	564	705	340
		154	Cordage (metal)	cwts.	16,872	3731	...	1940	1791	127
		155	Cutlery, n.e.i.	...	...	8025	7	3456	4562	139
		156	Electrical Materials	...	...	12,442	391	7271	4780	151
		157	Implements and Machinery (Agricultural, Horticultural, and Viticultural), n.e.i.	...	...	12,570	2332	5550	4688	248, 250
		158	Reapers and Binders	...	...	2364	3	2323	38	249
			Machines and Machinery :—							
		159	Cream Separators, Testers, and Pasteurizers	...	...	6528	20	5737	771	305
			Engines—							
		160	Portable and Traction	...	...	6183	...	2301	3882	309
		161	Other, n.e.i.	...	...	6762	1022	2127	3613	307,308,310
		162	Machines and Machinery and parts thereof, n.e.i.	...	...	45,481	13,646	13,728	18,107	304, 311-313, 316, 318
		163	Electrical Machines & Appliances	...	...	15,637	1124	5053	9460	314
		164	Mining Machinery	...	...	41,485	18,101	2888	20,496	315
		165	Sewing, Knitting, Stitching, &c...	...	...	4656	13	3943	700	317
		166	Weighing, &c.	...	...	1157	15	439	703	319
		167	Metals, manufactures of, n.e.i.	...	...	64,278	24,921	15,502	23,855	341, 344, 347, 352
		168	Nails	cwts.	14,543	10,947	6799	844	3304	342, 343
		169	Pipes and Tubes of Metal	...	...	13,904	3950	7255	2759	88, 123, 345
		170	Tools, Machine	...	...	3357	299	1752	1306	320
		171	Tools of Trade, not being Machine	...	...	17,194	754	7014	9426	558
		172	Tools and Implements, n.e.i., and minor articles thereof	...	...	14,733	2847	6376	5510	65, 66, 68, 70, 71, 158, 283, 356, 360, 444, 512, 514
		173	Wicker, Bamboo, Cane, or Wood Manufactures	...	...	8553	5510	1896	1147	580, 583A
			Total Order 20	...	...	314,723	86,645	101,872	126,306	
	21	...	HARNESS, VEHICLES, AND EQUIPMENT :—							
		174	Axles and Springs	...	...	2610	557	862	1191	339
		175	Saddlers' and Harness-makers' Materials ...	...	...	167	18	19	130	294, 452
			Vehicles and parts thereof—							
		176	Bicycles, Tricycles, and similar Vehicles, and parts thereof ...	...	...	17,281	4508	8942	3831	566-568
		177	Motor	...	...	10,613	...	4652	5961	572
		178	Other Vehicles, and parts thereof	...	...	9554	6580	1566	1408	569,571,573
			Total Order 21	...	...	40,225	11,663	16,041	12,521	
	22	...	SHIPS, BOATS, AND EQUIPMENT.							
		178	Anchors	...	...	81	...	34	47	19
		180	Boats, Launches, and Yachts, imported in any Vessel, including all Fittings, n.e.i.	...	...	1907	409	670	828	77, 109, 465
			Total Order 22	...	...	1988	409	704	875	
	23	...	BUILDING MATERIAL :—							
		181	Cement	cwts.	48,640	6118	3475	887	1756	108
		182	Girders, Beams, Channels, Joists, &c.	„	3639	2179	74	2084	21	271
			Timber—							
		183	Architraves, Doors, &c.	...	...	2011	1919	92	...	531, 541-543
		184	Dressed Timber, n.e.i.	sup. ft.	1,244,392	8650	115	2869	5666	532
		185	Building Material, n.e.i.	...	...	5180	1899	2091	1190	509 - 511, 529-530
			Total Order 23	...	...	24,138	7482	8023	8633	

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	25	...	PRODUCTS OF ARTS, &c.—*continued.*			£	£	£	£	
	24	...	FURNITURE :—							
		186	Furniture, including minor articles for	...	...	23,653	13,704	4439	5510	185, 187
	25	...	ARMS AND EXPLOSIVES :—							
		187	Arms, Ammunition, &c.	...	...	9748	887	2892	5969	36, 37, 38 40,48, 49, 51, 52, 54
		188	Explosives, n.e.i.	...	...	28,702	5858	12,943	9901	41-43, 45-47, 323-324
			Total Order 25	...	...	38,450	6745	15,835	15,870	
	26	...	DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND BY-PRODUCTS :—							
		189	Drugs and Chemicals	...	...	11,020	885	6556	3579	141-146
		190	Medicines	...	...	17,220	7859	5107	4254	338, 393A, 394
		191	N.e.i.	...	...	14,799	4050	6057	4692	1-5, 9-16, 18, 76,
			Total Order 26	...	...	43,039	12,794	17,720	12,525	102, 147, 254, 442, 496, 497
	27	...	GLASS AND EARTHENWARE MANUFACTURES :—							
		192	Bottles, empty	doz.	15,352	627	227	336	64	202, 203
		192A	Ditto, containing stuff	,,	11,926	...	...	...	...	204
		193	China, Brownware, Earthenware, &c.	...	...	19,453	3286	7907	8260	112,148,149
		194	Glass and Glassware	...	...	20,411	4141	7986	8284	195 - 201, 205
			Total Order 27	...	...	40,491	7654	16,229	16,608	
	28	...	SOAP, CANDLES, PAINT, AND SUNDRY MANUFACTURES NOT OTHERWISE CLASSED :—							
		195	Candles, Tapers, &c.	lbs.	634,974	12,766	10,074	2046	646	103
		196	Paints and Colours	cwts.	10,315	10,822	780	3078	6964	396-401
		197	Soap, all kinds	lbs.	1,247,865	17,502	13,825	2193	1484	471-472
		198	Varnishes	galls.	7345	3373	396	1063	1914	565
		199	N.e.i.	...	...	23,622	8230	8671	6721	73, 74, 212, 231, 232,
			Total Order 28	...	...	68,085	33,305	17,051	17,729	251 - 253, 561, 578
			TOTAL CLASS IV.	...	...	797,669	242,519	283,902	271,248	
V.	...	...	STAPLE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES, INCLUDING MINERAL OILS.							
	29	...	ANIMAL SUBSTANCES :—							
		200	Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	...	...	...	...	...	...	78
		201	Hides	No.	7364	10,433	4114	247	6072	466, 468, 469, 470
		202	Leather	...	...	20,611	17,746	2268	597	291, 292
		203	Leather, Manufacture of, n.e i.	...	...	7838	3531	1256	3051	293, 294
		205	Skins, Sheep	No.	672	50	50	...	...	468-469
		206	Ditto, Other	,,	...	36	32	4	...	470
		207	Tallow and Stearine	cwts.	391	626	614	12	...	506, 524
		208	Wool—Greasy	lbs.	5729	174	174	...	...	589
		209	Scoured	,,	17,625	796	772	...	24	590
		210A	Manure—Bonedust	cwts.	51,901	12,613	12,353	260	...	322
		210B	Ditto, Superphosphates	,,	64,825	12,142	9326	2088	728	322B
		210	Other	,,	30,722	6762	4560	1459	743	322
		211	Staple Animal Substances, n.e.i,	...	...	5050	323	2059	2668	154, 190, 210, 236,
			Total Order 29	...	...	77,131	53,595	9653	13,883	576, 592
	30	...	VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES :—							
		212	Bark (Tanning)	...	1	3	...	3	...	67
		213	Paper, Millboard, Strawboard, &c., Paper Hangings and Rough Papers	...	...	31,928	1378	13,747	16,803	404-413
		214	Straw	cwts.	10	3	3	...	...	516
		215	Timber - Logs	sup. feet	28,550	175	175	...	...	545
		216	Palings	...	...	...	...	...	...	537
		217	Pickets	No.	...	...	...	...	...	538, 539
		218	Staves	...	...	...	...	...	...	546
		219	Undressed	sup. feet	1,523,492	10,571	468	6303	3800	533 - 535, 544, 547
		220	Other	...	...	1096	601	333	162	540, 548

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			IMPORTS—*continued.*							
V.	...	...	STAPLE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES, &c.—*continued.*			£	£	£	£	
			Vegetable Substances: Timber—*continued.*							
		221	Staple Vegetable Substances, n.e.i.	...	...	13,252	3713	6313	3226	69, 94, 132, 133, 136,
			Total Order 30	...	...	57,028	6338	26,699	23,991	137, 155, 156,157A, 166, 233, 282, 297, 299, 301 302, 364, 449, 464, 502, 503, 577, 582, 593
	31	...	OILS:—							
		222	Kerosene	gallons	456,851	20,181	...	14,922	5259	379
		223	Oils, n.e.i., including Mineral Oils	„	150,854	14,877	1369	10,761	2747	358, 359, 365-378,
			Total Order 31	...	607,705	35,058	1369	25,683	8006	380-389
			TOTAL CLASS V.	...	...	169,217	61,302	62,035	45,880	
VI.	...	...	STAPLE MINERALS AND METALS, INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE.							
	32	...	BANKERS' BULLION AND SPECIE:—							
		224	Copper, Nickel, and Bronze Specie	...	...	245	...	245	..	476
		225	Gold Bullion	ozs.	...	...	...	...	...	98
		226	Ditto Specie	...	...	21,825	21,825	...	...	474
		227	Silver Bullion	ozs.	78	12	12	...	...	99
		228	Ditto Specie	...	...	4500	...	4500	...	475
			Total Order 32	...	...	26,582	21,837	4745	...	
	33	...	IRON AND STEEL:—							
		229	Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee	cwts.	30,636	15,351	1441	8965	4945	269
		230	Galvanized, plate and sheet	„	42,479	35,731	...	14,545	21,186	270
		231	Pig	„	14,414	2919	...	2295	624	274
		232	Plate and Sheet, except Galvanized	„	7374	3831	81	3591	159	275
		233	Rails, Fish-plates, Fish-bolts, Tie-plates, Switches, Points, Crossings, and Intersections	...	...	17,001	366	924	15,711	448
		234	Wire and Wire-netting	cwts.	29,675	21,400	3850	5912	11,638	348-351
		235	Staple Iron and Steel, n.e.i.	„	1507	766	...	482	284	272, 273, 276
			Total Order 33	...	...	96,999	5738	36,714	54,547	
	34	...	METALS, N.E.I.:							
		236	Copper, Bar, &c.	cwts.	269	1062	225	648	189	122
		238	Lead—Pig, Sheet, and Piping	„	2816	2510	2396	80	34	286, 287
		240	Tin—Ingots, Plates, &c.	„	23,205	17,363	28	2634	14,701	549, 550
		241	Metals, n.e.i.	...	...	1239	127	904	208	87, 93, 446, 479, 594
			Total Order 34	...	...	22,174	2776	4266	15,132	
	35	...	COAL AND SHALE:—							
		242	Coal	tons	62,618	25,742	24,158	...	1584	115
		243	Coke	„	18,032	14,041	14,040	1	...	120
			Total Order 35	...	...	39,783	38,198	1½	1584	
	36	...	STONE, CLAY, AND OTHER MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES OF METALS:—							
		249	Tin	cwts.	824	2417	2417	...	...	395K
		251	Other Ores	„	2848	202	182	14	6	395
		252	Minerals, n.e.i.	„	...	1488	436	486	566	89,159,247, 295, 439,
			Total Order 36	...	...	4107	3035	500	572	441, 445, 579
			TOTAL CLASS VI.	...	...	189,645	71,584	46,226	71,835	
VII.	...	...	INDEFINITE ARTICLES.							
	37	...	INDEFINITE ARTICLES:—							
		253	Oilmen's Stores, n.e.i.	...	...	10,295	4600	3378	2317	390, 391
		254	All other	...	...	24,252	8994	8482	6776	
			TOTAL CLASS VII.	...	...	34,547	13,594	11,860	9093	
			GRAND TOTAL	...	...	2,651,754	1,112,626	801,011	738,117	

STATEMENT of Revenue received (Customs and Excise) on account of Goods imported and transferred into Tasmania during the Year 1905.

	£	£
Duties—Customs	273,755	
Excise	45,829	
		319,584
Drawbacks	1,201	
Repayments	234	
		1,435
Total Net Duties		318,149
Net Miscellaneous Revenue		2,346
Sundries short credited		677
		321,172

* Excise duties on goods, being the produce of other Commonwealth States, transferred to Tasmania.
For further details see Part V., Finance.

EXPORTS.

SUMMARY of the Nature and Value of Articles exported from Tasmania during the Year 1905.

Mean Population, 1905—179,259. Area—26,215 square miles.

COUNTRY TO WHICH GOODS WERE DIRECTLY SHIPPED.*	NATURE AND VALUE OF EXPORTS.								
	Class I. Food, Drink, Narcotics, and Stimulants.	Class II. Live Animals and Plants.	Class III. Textile Fabrics, Dress, and Manufactured Fibrous Materials.	Class IV. Products of Arts and Manufactures not otherwise classified.	Class V. Staple Animal and Vegetable Substances, including Mineral Oils.	Class VI. Staple Minerals and Metals, including Bullion and Specie.	Class VII. Miscellaneous Articles imperfectly defined.	All Classes.	Per cent. to Total Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COMMONWEALTH—									
New South Wales †	562,469	42,838	3705	15,910	43,715	541,850	2804	1,213,291	32·69
Victoria†	166,883	27,059	29,884	41,601	439,964	1,038,715	7702	1,751,808	47·20
Queensland	99,167	2239	822	895	1561	4712	161	109,557	2·95
South Australia	17,543	130	31	2716	21,473	8922	814	51,629	1·39
West Australia	105,188	234	490	254	4247	2638	105	113,156	3·05
Total Commonwealth	951,250	72,500	34,932	61,376	510,960	1,596,837	11,586	3,239,441	87·28
UNITED KINGDOM AND OTHER BRITISH COUNTRIES—									
United Kingdom	100,352	2	17	527	116,376	158,307	23	375,604	10·12
India and Ceylon	166	...	...	...	8154	...	...	8320	·22
New Zealand	19,509	1185	90	656	36,079	438	1815	59,772	1·61
South Africa	15,736	...	...	...	9042	5	...	24,783	·67
Other British Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total United Kingdom and other British Countries...	135,763	1187	107	1183	169,651	158,750	1838	468,479	12·62
FOREIGN COUNTRIES	648	...	...	650	2248	...	150	3696	·10
TOTAL	1,087,661	73,687	35,039	63,209	682,859	1,755,587	13,574	3,711,616	100·00
Per cent. to Total	29·31	1·98	0·94	1·70	18·41	47·30	0·36	100·00	...
Value per head of Population £ s. d.	6 1 4	0 8 3	0 3 11	0 7 1	3 16 2	9 15 10	0 1 6	20 14 1	...
Per square mile £	41·50	2·81	1·34	2·41	26·04	66·98	0·52	141·60	...

* A statement showing the country of the final destination of exports will be found in the succeeding Table.

† Including goods for transhipment abroad, which are distributed according to the country of final destination in the succeeding Table.

EXPORTS.

SUMMARY of the Nature and Value of Articles exported from Tasmania during the Year 1905, *arranged under the Country of Final Destination of the Articles.**

COUNTRY OF FINAL DESTINATION OF EXPORTS.*	NATURE AND VALUE OF EXPORTS.								
	Class I. Food, Drink, Narcotics, and Stimulants.	Class II. Live Animals, and Plants.	Class III. Textile Fabrics, Dress, and Manufactured Fibrous Materials.	Class IV. Products of Arts and Manufactures not otherwise classified.	Class V. Staple Animal and Vegetable Substances, including Mineral Oils.	Class VI. Staple Minerals and Metals, including Bullion and Specie.	Class VII. Miscellaneous Articles imperfectly defined.	All Classes.	Per cent. to Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
COMMONWEALTH—									
New South Wales	550,878	42,788	3705	15,725	42,795	186,019	2752	844,662	22·76
Victoria	151,564	26,886	29,838	40,507	144,798	273,718	6810	674,121	18·16
Queensland	99,130	2239	822	895	1561	4712	161	109,520	2·95
South Australia	17,533	130	31	2716	21,473	8922	814	51,619	1·39
West Australia	105,188	234	490	254	4247	2638	105	113,156	3·05
Total Commonwealth	924,293	75,277	34,886	60,097	214,874	476,009	10,642	1,793,078	48·31
UNITED KINGDOM AND OTHER BRITISH COUNTRIES—									
United Kingdom	105,780	2	63	1504	409,941	1,173,127	598	1,691,015	45·56
India and Ceylon	940	...	...	10	8207	1280	...	10,437	·28
New Zealand	25,843	1258	90	745	36,377	1961	2027	68,301	1·84
South Africa	25,146	150	...	...	9042	5	...	34,343	·93
Other British Countries	2010	...	...	2	370	...	...	2382	·06
Total United Kingdom and other British Countries.	159,719	1410	153	2261	463,937	1,176,373	2625	1,806,478	48·67
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—									
America	...	...	...	161	336	15,405	...	15,902	·43
Belgium	...	...	...	40	50	62,330	133	62,553	1·69
Germany	...	...	...	...	850	19,207	24	20,081	·54
Other Foreign Countries	3649	...	...	650	2812	6263	150	13,524	·36
Total Foreign Countries	3649	...	...	851	4048	103,205	307	112,060	3·02
TOTAL	1,087,661	73,687	35,039	63,209	682,859	1,755,587	13,574	3,711,616	100·00

* The Country of Final Destination of some portion of Tasmanian Exports transhipped in other States is somewhat obscure; the value of the products whose destination is uncertain amounts to about £55,000, or 2·87 per cent. of all ex-Australian exports from Tasmania; the figures in this case can, therefore, be taken as only closely approximate.

EXPORTS.

RETURN showing the General Exports from the State of Tasmania during the Year 1905, compiled from Returns supplied for the information of the State by the Commonwealth Departments.

Classified Index Numbers. Class.	Order.	Item.	Article Exported.		Quantity, Total.	Value. Total.	Value. To other Australian States. For Australian consumption.	Value. To other Australian States. Trans-shipped abroad.	Value. To other Countries direct.	Commonwealth Tariff Guide Classification Number.
I.	...	...	FOOD, DRINKS, NARCOTICS, AND STIMULANTS.			£	£	£	£	
	1	...	ANIMAL FOOD:							
		1	Butter	lbs.	535,290	21,102	21,102	...	...	101
		2	Cheese	,,	302,087	7546	7544	2	...	111
		3	Eggs	doz.	521	43	31	...	12	150
			Fish—							
		4	Fresh, Oysters	cwt.	2	1	1	...	...	160
		4a	Ditto, other	lbs.	146,752	958	846	86	26	161
		5	Smoked or preserved by cold process	,,	73,490	1187	1187	...	...	162
		6	Potted, or concentrated, or preserved in tins	,,	20[illegible],121	2682	2424	160	98	164
		7	All other	cwt.	59	58	58	...	...	165
		8	Honey	lbs.	478	4	4	...	...	245
		9	Lard and refined Animal Fats	,,	3065	38	38	...	...	285
			Meats—							
		10	Bacon and Hams, partly or wholly cured	,,	82,895	2115	2115	...	...	326
		11	Fresh or Smoked	,,	14,902	229	229	...	...	334
			Preserved by cold process—							
		12	Beef	,,	710	9	9	...	...	327
		13	Mutton and lamb	,,	62,050	980	...	...	980	329
		14	Pork	,,	1114	19	19	...	...	330
		15	Poultry	prs.	349½	62	1	...	61	331
		16	Rabbits and Hares	,,	288,677	13,899	274	...	13,625	332
		16a	Other	lbs.	1664	22	22	...	...	333
		17	Preserved, Concentrated, or Potted	,,	4455	122	122	...	...	335-336
		18	Meats, n.e.i.	cwt.	631½	513	238	120	155	337
		21	Other Animal Food	,,	...	400	393	...	7	354, 355, 157, 277
			Total Order 1	...	...	51,989	36,657	368	14,964	
	2	...	VEGETABLE FOODS:—							
		23	Biscuits	lbs.	1053	23	23	...	...	72
		24	Confectionery	,,	5113	116	109	7	...	121
			Fruits, dried—							
		25	Currants	,,	1638	25	24	...	1	170
		26	Raisins	,,	30,553	351	42	309	...	172, 172a
		27	Other	,,	21,724	7048	6763	208	77	173
			Fruits, Fresh—							
		28	Apples	centals.	491,600	225,663	131,438	1772	92,453	180
		31	Oranges and Lemons	,,	238	105	105	...	...	182
		32	Pears	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...
		33a	Other Fresh Fruits	,,	109,537	63,903	53,952	5040	4911	179
		34a	Fruit Pulped	lbs.	1,532,685	16,659	8265	...	8394	178
		34b	Fruits and Vegetables, n.e.i.	,,	...	54,897	51,228	...	3669	174,178,184
			Grain and Pulse (unprepared)—							
		35	Barley	centals.	9415	2671	2671	...	...	213
		36	Peas and Beans	,,	55,131	19,912	14,517	3104	2291	214
		37	Maize	,,	4	1	1	...	...	215
		38	Oats	,,	180,129	46,761	46,761	...	...	216
		39	Wheat	,,	48	14	14	...	...	217
		40	N.e.i.	,,	178	106	98	...	8	218
			Grain and Pulse (prepared or manufactured)—							
		41	Bran, Pollard, and Sharps	,,	536	104	...	478*	...	220
		42	Flour	,,	1076	413	413	...	...	221
		43	Malt	,,	22	13	13	...	...	223
		44	Maizena and Cornflour	lbs.	850	17	17	...	...	224
		45	Oatmeal, Wheatmeal, and Rolled Oats	,,	25,736	131	131	...	...	225
		46	Rice, n.e.i.	centals	...	2	...	...	2	229
		47	N.e.i.	,,	208	78	78	...	...	226, 230
		48	Hay and Chaff	cwt.	3268	619	619	...	...	244
		49	Jams and Jellies	lbs.	6,018,514	82,366	68,586	7927	5853	278
		52	Nuts, edible, Almonds	,,	3399	112	112	...	...	361
		54	ditto, n.e.i.	,,	3891	103	103	...	...	363
		55	Onions	cwt.	1410	667	611	...	56	392
		56	Potatoes	,,	1,349,250	439,147	427,936	7665	3546	443
		58	Sugar	,,	72	71	64	...	7	517,518,451
		61	Tapioca	centals	3	2	2	...	...	525
		62	Vegetable Foods, n.e.i.	cwt.	...	50	50	...	...	321, 415
			Total Order 2		...	962,150	814,746	26,510*	121,268	

*The apparent error in this item may be due to a quantity of Bran, Pollard, and Sharps, transferred from Tasmania in one year being held over in the transhipping State till the following year.

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			EXPORTS—continued.							
	3	...	A. ALCOHOLIC DRINKS:—			£	£	£	£	
		63	Ale and Stout, in bottle	gals.	5991	980	947	...	33	7a
		64	Ditto, in bulk	,,	276,640	17,518	17,518	...	...	8a
		63b	Perry and Cider, in bottle	,,	1651	393	392	...	1	7b
		64b	Ditto, in bulk	,,	348	57	57	...	...	8b
			Spirits—							
		65	Brandy, in bottle	,,	143	78	75	...	3	484
		66	Ditto, in bulk	,,	...	...	...	...	...	485
		67	Gin	,,	75	13	12	...	1	487, 488
		70	Whisky, in bottle	,,	38	17	13	...	4	491
		71	Ditto, in bulk	,,	...	...	...	...	...	492
		72	Spirits, n.e.i.	,,	...	53	53	...	...	495, 498
		73	Wine (sparkling)	,,	72	117	114	...	3	585
		74	Ditto, bottled, n.e.i. (not sparkling)	,,	169	85	85	...	...	586
		75	Ditto, in bulk	,,	43	10	10	...	...	587
			Total Order 3A	...	...	19,321	19,276	...	45	
			B. NON-ALCOHOLIC DRINKS:—							
		76	Aerated and Mineral Waters	...	...	11	11	...	...	6
		77	Lime Juice and other Non-Alcoholic Drinks	gals.	1289	240	211	...	29	296
			Total Order 3B	...	...	251	222	...	29	
	4	...	TOBACCO AND OTHER NARCOTICS:—							
		78	Opium	lbs.	2	123	123	...	...	393
			Tobacco—							
		79	Manufactured	,,	4940	414	402	...	12	551
		80	Unmanufactured	,,	4368	91	91	...	...	553
		81	Cigars	,,	80	36	36	...	...	554
		82	Cigarettes	,,	26	10	10	...	...	555
			Total Order 4	...	...	674	662	...	12	
	5	...	TEA AND OTHER STIMULANTS:—							
		85	Cocoa and Chocolate, ground or manufactured	lbs.	17,703	956	906	50	...	117
		86	Coffee and Chicory, raw or kiln-dried	,,	368	17	...	...	17	118
		87	Coffee and Chicory, roasted	,,	136	9	9	...	...	119
		89	Hops	,,	765,978	51,267	51,267	...	...	246
		90	Pickles, Sauces, Chutneys, &c.	doz. pints	2965	693	590	29	74	419–423
		92	Spices, ground	lbs.	100	10	10	...	...	480
		93	Ditto, unground	,,	1500	38	38	...	...	483
		94	Tea	,,	4979	286	284	...	2	526
		95	Vinegar		...	...	...	...	...	574
		96	Stimulants, n.e.i.		...	...	...	...	...	193,194
			Total Order 5	...	...	53,276	53,104	79	93	
			TOTAL CLASS I.	...	...	1,087,661	924,667*	26,957*	136,411*	
II.	...	...	LIVE ANIMALS AND PLANTS.							
	6	...	LIVE ANIMALS:—							
		97	Cattle	No.	4	200	200	...	...	21
		98	Horses	,,	292	15,815	14,915	...	900	23
		99	Pigs	,,	229	457	457	...	...	24
		100	Poultry	,,	262	146	130	...	16	25
		101	Sheep	,,	2849	54,658	54,267	150	241	26
		102	Animals, n.e.i.	,,	13	156	143	...	13	22
			Total Order 6	...	...	71,432	70,112	150	1170	
	7	103–104	Plants, Living, &c.	...	...	2255	2165	73	17	438
			TOTAL CLASS II.	...	...	73,687	72,277	223	1187	
III.	...	...	TEXTILE FABRICS, DRESS, AND MANUFACTURED FIBROUS MATERIAL.							
	8	105	Manufactures of Silk or containing Silk	...	...	1420	1420	...	...	427
	9	106–108	Woollen & Worsted Manufactures	...	...	8375	8372	3	...	75, 431, 433
	10	109–110	Cotton and Flax Manufactures	...	...	3678	3678	...	...	32, 137, 425, 527
	11	111–113	Manufactures of Mixed Materials Wool, Cotton, or Flax	...	...	4627	4534	21	72	107, 134, 138, 169, 325, 429, 432, 450
	12	114–125	Dress	...	...	15,008	14,951	22	35	28, &c.

* See Note on preceding page.

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			EXPORTS—*continued*			£	£	£	£	
			TEXTILE FABRICS, &c.—*continued.*							
	13	127–133	Manufactures of Fibrous Materials (Sacking, Matting, or Cordage)	...	...	1931	1931	...	...	64-65c, 125, 128, 131
			TOTAL CLASS III.	...	...	35,039	34,886	46	107	
IV.	...	...	PRODUCTS OF ARTS AND MANUFACTURES NOT OTHERWISE CLASSED.							
	14	134–135	Books and Stationery	...	...	3795	3655	106	34	79, 504, &c.
	15	136	Musical Instruments	...	...	1456	1283	80	93	255, 256, 259-263
	16	137–139	Works of Art and Art Material	...	...	772	345	122	305	418, 424, 62
	17	140–143	Fancy Goods	...	...	1628	1473	153	2	152, 416, 436, &c.
	18	144–148	Timepieces, Jewellery, & Plated-ware	...	...	24,532	24,075	...	457	113, 279-281, 346, 575
	19	149–150	Surgical, Optical, and Scientific Instruments	...	...	2196	1985	54	157	207,264-268
	20	151–173	Machines, Tools, & Implements	...	...	18,881	18,175	89	617	320
	21	174–178	Harness, Vehicles, & Equipment	...	...	2608	2538	10	60	294, 339, 566-573
	22	179–189	Ships, Boats, and Equipment	...	...	301	301	...	...	77, 109
	23	181–185	Building Material	...	...	566	482	...	84	532, &c.
	24	186	Furniture	...	...	954	918	32	4	185
	25	187–188	Arms and Explosives	...	...	669	669	...	...	39, 40, 49, 50, 52
	26	189–191	Drugs, Chemicals, and By-Products	...	...	1711	1689	3	19	141, 146, 254, &c.
	27	192–194	Glass and Earthenware	...	...	621	619	2	...	200–202, &c.
	28	195–199	Soap, Candles, Paints, & Sundry Manufactures, not otherwise classed	...	...	2519	1890	628	1	71, 103, &c.
			TOTAL CLASS IV.	...	...	63,209	60,097	1279	1833	
V.	...	...	STAPLE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES, & MINERAL OILS.							
	29	...	ANIMAL SUBSTANCES :—							
		200	Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	...	...	235	178	...	57	78, 246
		201	Hides	No.	16,316	15,129	15,122	...	7	466
		202	Leather	...	...	10,445	10,057	202	186	291-292
		203	Leather, Manufactures	...	...	2935	2930	...	5	293, &c.
		204	Skins—Rabbit and Hare	lbs.	825,263	30,199	7678	20,724	1797	467
		205	Sheep	No.	285,575	63,098	14,769	42,762	5567	468-469
		206	Other, including Furs	...	...	34,545	10,610	21,685	2250	190,470
		207	Tallow and Stearine	cwts.	11,222	11,447	11,101	330	16	506-523
		208	Wool—Greasy	lbs.	9,491,599	387,679	83,281	205,917	98,481	589
		209	Scoured	„	74,380	4278	758	2185	1235	590
		210	Manures	cwt.	190	14	14	...	...	322
		211	Staple Animal Substance, n.e.i.	...	...	622	...	1068*	28	236,576,&c.
			Total Order 29		...	560,626*	156,498*	294,873*	109,729*	
	30	...	VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES :—							
		212	Bark (Tanning)	cwt.	54,948	19,247	10,704	...	8543	67
		213	Paper, n.e.i.	„	...	86	86	...	...	404,411-413
		214	Straw	„	122,336	9376	9376	...	...	516
		215	Timber—Logs	s. ft.	350,105	1476	1476	...	...	545
		216	Palings	No.	1,537,898	7659	2716	...	4943	537
		217	Pickets	„	3850	16	16	...	...	538
		218	Staves	„	173,235	674	674	...	...	546
		219	Undressed	s. ft.	18,609,887	79,431	30,604	888	47,939	533-535
		220	Other	„	...	1291	1075	...	216	548
		221	Vegetable Substances, n.e.i.	...	...	1388	1279	2	107	582, &c.
			Total Order 30	...	...	120,644	58,006	890	61,748	
	31	223	Oils—Eucalyptus	...	...	1404	699	298	407	377
			Other	...	...	185	145	25	15	365, &c.
			Total Order 31	...	...	1589	844	323	422	
			TOTAL CLASS V.	...	...	682,859*	215,348*	296,086*	171,899*	

* The apparent error in this item may be due to commodities transferred from Tasmania in one year being held over in the transhipping state until the following year.

Classified Index Numbers. Class.	Order.	Item.	Article Exported.		Quantity, Total.	Value. Total.	Value. To other Australian States. For Australian consumption.	Value. To other Australian States. Transhipped abroad.	Value. To other Countries direct.	Commonwealth Tariff Guide Classification Number.
			EXPORTS—*continued.*			£	£	£	£	
VI.	...	...	STAPLE MINERALS AND METALS, INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE.							
	32	...	BULLION AND SPECIE :—							
		225	Gold (Bullion)	ozs.	85,830[a]	313,051	220,305	75,634	17,112	98
		226	,, (Specie)	,,	...	50,410	50,410	...	...	474
		227	Silver (Bullion)	,,	949,807[b]	113,205	26,100	71,113	15,992	99
		228	,, (Specie)	,,	...	10,400	10,400	...	...	475
			TOTAL ORDER 32	...	...	487,066	307,215	146,747	33,104	
	33	229–235	Iron and Steel	...	...	2330	2297	...	33	269, 270, 276,448
	34	...	METAL, N.E.I.							
		236	Copper, Ingots (in Matte)	cwts.	171,150	543,389	...	463,721	79,668	122[b]
		238	Lead, Pig, Sheet, and Piping	,,	359	212	185	...	27	286, 287
		239	Silver Lead Bullion	,,	190,155[c]	222,193[c]	...	176,699	45,494	100
		240	Tin, Ingots, Plates, &c.	,,	51,698	361,682	96,411	265,271	...	549,550
		241	Metals, n.e.i.	,,	...	11,324*	...	*14,574	5*	87, 122, 344, 594
					...	1,138,800*	96,596	*920,265	125,194	
	35	...	COAL AND SHALE :—							
		242	Coal	...	360	244	14	...	230	115
	36	...	STONE, CLAY, AND OTHER MINERALS, INCLUDING ORES OF METALS :—							
		245	Copper Ore	cwts.	80,320	19,886	12,223	7663	...	395D
		245a	Gold, Pyrites, Quartz	,,	1324	4501	4501	...	...	395E
		246	Iron Ore	...	11,614	4227	4227	...	...	395F
		248	Silver Ore and Silver Lead Ore	cwts.	157,223	79,850	42,643	37,207	...	395J
		249	Tin Ore	,,	3810	7336	1706	5630	...	395K
		250	Zinc	,,	35	11	...	...	11	
		251	Other Ores	,,	21,383	11,123	7804	3316	3	395AL, &c.
		252	Minerals, n.e.i.	,,	...	213	38	...	175	437
					...	127,147	73,142	53,816	189	
			TOTAL CLASS VI.	...	...	1,755,587	479,264	1,120,820	158,750	
VII.	...	...	MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES, IMPERFECTLY DEFINED.							
	37	...	INDEFINITE ARTICLES :—							
		253	Oilmen's Stores, n.e.i.	...	...	303	286	...	17	390, 391
		254	All other Articles	...	...	13,271	10,256	944	1971	417, &c.
			TOTAL CLASS VII.	...	...	13,574	10,642	944	1988	
			GRAND TOTAL	...	...	3,711,616[d]	1,797,181	1,446,363	472,175	

[a] Some portion of this gold was contained in blister copper. [b] Contained in blister copper. [c] The quantity and value of the gold and silver contained in this bullion are included in these figures. The quantities of gold and silver are estimated to be—gold, 2010 ozs.; silver, 1,355,400 ozs. [d] Of the total Exports from Tasmania, it is estimated that 96·50 per cent. is the produce of Tasmania, 1·30 per cent. is the re-exported produce of other Commonwealth States, and 2·20 is the re-exported produce of other countries.

* The apparent error in the case of "Metals, n.e.i," may be due to metals transferred from Tasmania in one year being held in the transhipping state until the succeeding year; the discrepancy in the total figures may be similarly accounted for.

IMPORTS—QUANTITIES.

RETURN for the Year 1895 *and Years* 1901-1905 *of the Quantities of some of the principal Articles imported into Tasmania.*

Class.	Order.	Articles.	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
I.	1	Bacon and Hams.....lbs.	6526	69,133	147,338	176,388	364,700	597,673
		Meats and Fish ...1000 lbs.	*	577	917	670	728	952
		Butter, Cheese, and Lard lbs.	288,896	864,717	748,195	1,009,873	1,019,997	1,236,055
	2	Flour .....1000 lbs.	1315	...	...	179	4532	3211
		Fruits—Dried ..... lbs.	693,220	748,107	1,023,228	1,035,827	1,036,147	1,002,129
		Fruits—Green .....centals	10,520	27,549	31,007	35,369	44,171	28,677
		Grain—Wheat .....1000 lbs.	2855	...	3747	21,337	29,385	27,339
		Malt .....bushels	111	4441	...	...	...	...
		Malt ....centals	...	...	72	1508	793	464
		Rice .....centals	9986	8084	10,223	9772	10,064	10,400
		Sugar, Molasses, &c....cwts	125,933	157,745	182,973	188,052	185,983	190,489
	3A	Spirits—						
		Brandy .....gallons	11,351	15,099	15,985	16,586	16,232	11,171
		Gin, Schnapps, Geneva .... ditto	11,250	17,001	19,166	19,805	18,329	19,601
		Whisky .....ditto	20,253	35,590	38,834	36,683	37,748	36,521
		Rum .....ditto	11,328	17,696	17,597	21,828	16,244	16,140
		Cordials, Liqueurs...ditto	90	351	487	424	725	
		Perfumed .....ditto	140	316	416	379	364	
		Other .....ditto	...	...	...	1015	1531	3321
		Excise† .....ditto	...	...	3192	...	...	
		Spirituous Compounds ditto	229	851	1204	1067	2004	
		Wines ....ditto	11,525	29,558	36,491	29,148	29,483	25,719
		Malt Liquors .....ditto	31,043	71,627	71,597	81,041	97,220	87,752
	4	Tobacco and Cigars.....lbs.	317,676	379,930	441,569	422,373	412,536	443,149
		Snuff .....lbs.	319	588	99	287	481	248
	5	Cocoa and Chocolate ....lbs.	75,181	101,948	171,023	135,374	144,835	177,587
		Coffee and Chicory ...ditto	50,350	56,635	93,257	89,894	100,142	85,569
		Tea .....1000 lbs.	971	1012	1203	1124	1184	1270
		Vinegar .....gallons	24,065	18,381	25,221	28,878	29,085	34,966
		Hops .....lbs.	45,088	31,474	31,428	50,129	41,105	19,375
II.	6	Live Stock—						
		Cattle.....No.	734	1090	15	633	452	1697
		Horses.....ditto	71	102	1189	1533	1116	695
		Sheep ... .ditto	15,852	26,898	46,628	23,859	23,444	53,224
III.	13	Bags, Gunny, Ore, Corn, Flour, and Bran .....No.	1,885,906	2,157,858	3,202,924	3,149,139	2,683,692	990,960 845,004
		Woolpacks .....No.	31,683	21,164	...	...	...	40,106
V.	29	Hides and Skins .....cwts.	2396	5922	7466	No. 8332	No. 6778	8036
		Manure .....tons	3986	7108	12,235	12,456	9649	7372
		Tallow, Stearine, &c. ...lbs.	*	585,750	308,180	514,254	484,458	43,864
VI.	35	Coal and Coke ..... tons	35,570	60,028	79,514	70,122	68,985	80,650

* Not available. † Produce of other States transferred to Tasmania, nature of the spirit not stated.

IMPORTS—VALUES.

RETURN for the Year 1894 *and Years* 1900-1904 *of the Values of the principal Articles imported into Tasmania.*

	1895.	1901.	1902	1903.	1904.	1905.
CLASS I.—FOOD, DRINKS, NARCOTICS, STIMULANTS.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1. Animal Food.						
Bacon and Hams	1776	1967	4442	5980	10,054	14,143
Meats and Fish (Fresh and Preserved)	2175	15,098	19,611	18,402	19,236	21,176
Butter, Cheese, and Lard	11,246	38,843	38,066	44,637	35,918	49,976
Milk and Cream (Preserved and Concentrated)	...‡	...‡	11,206	11,023	11,469	12,332
Sundries	2	4068	2911	4952	5162	5774
Total Animal Food	13,601	59,976	76,236	84,994	81,839	103,401
2. Vegetable Food.						
Confectionery	2533	10,087	15,465	19,731	24,560	28,326
Flour	4134	...	...	895	16,885	12,590
Fruit—Green	7141	23,792	24,997†	21,964	26,703	19,785
Dried and Preserved	5257	11,119	15,224†	15,687	12,172	11,537
Grain—Wheat	5969	...	12,908	78,128	77,654	78,662
Rice	4889	5327	6959	8782	7621	7204
Other Grain and Pulse, unprepared	457	1206	21,267	1836	3583	4921
Sugar, Molasses, &c.	93,157	146,315	164,994	175,597	155,533	169,116
Other Vegetable Food	3223	12,644	29,051	40,813	37,839	66,720
Total Vegetable Food	126,760	210,490	290,865	363,433	362,050	398,861
Total Food	140,361	270,466	367,101	448,427	443,899	502,262
3a. Drinks, Alcoholic.						
Spirits and Cordials	16,430	28,582	37,277	44,076	35,975	34,913
Malt Liquors	5354	10,728	12,073	14,215	13,463	12,410
Wines	4759	10,344	13,029	11,651	11,202	9464
3b. Drinks, Non-Alcoholic.	...	449	1508	1750	1852	2577
4. Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, and Opium.	25,724	43,542	74,971	87,078	61,132	59,004
5. Other Stimulants.						
Cocoa and Chocolate	4134	5873	8812	7818	9260	10,672
Coffee and Chicory	2525	3698	3691	4268	4373	3331
Hops	665	1695	1872	3642	3187	1382
Salt and Saltpetre	3581	2726	3708	3639	4382	4174
Tea	35,017	39,500	49,100	50,884	54,219	57,398
Vinegar	2184	1697	2272	2009	2580	3291
Other Stimulants	4627	7345	9712	11,527	12,592	11,644
Total Drinks and Stimulants	105,000	156,179	218,025	242,557	214,217	210,260
Totals Class I.	245,361	426,645	585,126	690,984	658,106	712,522
CLASS II.—LIVE ANIMALS AND PLANTS.						
6. Animals of all kinds	14,361	45,945	57,956	56,207	48,698	86,373
7. Plants	2728	13,234	7404	11,588	12,353	10,378
Totals Class II.	17,089	59,179	65,360	67,795	61,051	96,751
CLASS III.—TEXTILE FABRICS, DRESS, AND MANUFACTURED FIBROUS MATERIALS.						
Boots and Shoes	34,892	36,064	63,536	74,206	80,517	74,154
Fabrics, Dress, &c.	257,929	360,264	465,906	516,066	479,227	487,758
Carpets	3447	4292	7882	28,735	22,714	21,666
Manufactures of Fibrous Materials.						
Corn Sacks, Bags, Bagging, and Woolpacks	31,633	42,589	57,840	56,109	47,008	43,494
Cordage, &c.	11,107	18,517	15,555	15,496	19,782	24,331
Totals Class III.	339,008	461,726	610,719	690,612	649,248	651,403
CLASS IV.– PRODUCTS OF ARTS AND MANUFACTURES, NOT OTHERWISE CLASSED.						
14. Books and Stationery	27,699	46,952	45,812	47,849	53,847	59,134
15. Musical Instruments	3510	12,087	12,924	21,488	21,566	20,106
16. Works of Art and Art Materials	1822	2172	4349	6560	6769	8430
17. Fancy Goods.	9173	22,556	26,087	30,456	23,797	26,489

*Meats and Fish. †Fruits and Vegetables. ‡ Not enumerated.

IMPORTS—VALUES—*continued.*

	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
PRODUCTS OF ARTS, &c.—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£	£
18. TIMEPIECES, JEWELLERY, AND PLATEDWARE, &c.	4446	17,513	39,349	46,562	72,736	78,165
19. SURGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS	524	1399	2933	7693	8096	10,553
20. MACHINERY, MACHINES, TOOLS, AND IMPLEMENTS.						
Agricultural Machines and Implements	10,045	7774	36,938	52,908	22,682	14,934
Other Machines and Machinery	10,121	5856	64,849	60,602	137,815	114,944
Engines, Boilers, and Fittings	30,863	122,395		22,296	8979	12,945
Ironmongery, Hardware, Holloware, &c	52,917	145,008	201,636	179,914	172,882	171,900
21. HARNESS, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT	5064	13,452	30,722	36,412	39,493	40,225
22. SHIPS, BOATS AND EQUIPMENT	333	627	607	824	2106	1988
23. BUILDING MATERIALS.						
Timber, Architraves, &c., and Dressed Boards	4112	8273	9777	13,759	19,281	10,661
Other Building Material	791	9996	5586	11,315	16,115	13,477
24. FURNITURE	4810	16,195	20,212	27,195	27,431	23,653
25. ARMS AND EXPLOSIVES	16,404	31,833	22,929	31,819	40,013	38,450
26. DRUGS, CHEMICALS, AND BYE PRODUCTS	20,322	38,249	44,376	34,393	43,445	43,039
27. GLASS AND EARTHENWARE MANUFACTURES	10,619	30,815	34,075	39,959	35,254	40,491
28. SOAP, CANDLES, PAINT AND OTHER MANUFACTURES	9682	28,535	42,772	53,695	60,169	68,085
TOTALS CLASS IV.	223,257	561,717	645,933	725,699	812,476	797,669
CLASS V.—STAPLE ANIMAL AND VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES, INCLUDING MINERAL OILS.						
29. ANIMAL SUBSTANCES.						
Manure	14,626	29,165	44,039	51,310	39,625	31,517
Tallow, Stearine, &c	2543	3880	3071	913	475	626
Hides and Skins	4042	14,909	17,388	7979	8489	10,519
Leather	737	7875	18,323	24,493	26,357	28,449
Other Animal Substances	539	2960	2173	2019	5193	6020
30. VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES.						
Paper, Straw Board, &c	15,055	24,309	22,120	35,682	32,876	31,928
Timber (undressed)	6654	21,842	5869	21,056	27,735	11,842
Other Vegetable Substances	6531	10,109	10,459	12,427	11,880	13,258
31. OILS	14,701	25,475	30,869	40,789	36,491	35,058
TOTALS CLASS V.	65,428	140,524	154,311	196,668	189,121	169,217
CLASS VI.—STAPLE, MINERALS AND METALS, INCLUDING BULLION AND SPECIE.						
32. BULLION AND SPECIE.—Copper	37	195	480	255	170	245
Gold	97,000	12,000	211,345	31,125	1633	21,825
Silver	3013	5950	12,850	6180	2627	4512
33. IRON AND STEEL.—Railway Material	11,694	38,722	10,269	12,272	15,313	17,001
Iron and Steel, other	31,795	60,633	45,312	86,023	79,489	79,998
34. OTHER METALS	5453	20,900	17,536	19,848	17,758	22,174
35. COAL, SHALE, AND COKE	11,723	43,701	54,079	41,115	37,397	39,783
36. STONE, CLAY, AND OTHER MINERALS	11,209	19,568	5130	10,566	2685	4107
TOTALS CLASS VI.	171,924	201,669	357,001	207,384	157,072	189,645
CLASS VII.—MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES IMPERFECTLY DEFINED.						
Oilmen's Stores	15,126	30,048	11,518	11,444	10,104	10,295
All other Articles	17,263	83,691	12,777	3224	17,276	24,252
TOTALS CLASS VII.	32,389	113,739	24,295	14,668	27,380	34,547
GRAND TOTALS	1,094,456	1,965,199	2,442,745	2,593,810	2,554,454	2,651,754
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Amount per head of Mean Population	7 1 9	11 6 5	13 18 2	14 12 2	14 5 8	14 15 10

EXPORTS—QUANTITIES.

RETURN for the Year 1895 *and Years* 1901-1905 *of the Quantities of the principal Articles of Home Produce exported from Tasmania.*

ARTICLES.	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Butter and Cheese ..... cwts.	2428	436	2193	3051	[f]	7477
Fish, Preserved in tins ..... lbs.	...	...	...	779,360	[f]	200,121
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps ..... tons	1½	...	...	...	...	...
Bran, Pollard, and Sharps ..... 100 bushels	...	20	1366	1489	[f]	536 centals.
Flour ..... tons	...	489	69	1150	[f]	1076 centals.
Fruit — Pulp ..... packages	10,256	...	...	...	[f]	...
Fruit — Ditto ..... cwts.	...	23,161	32,009	25,332	64,551(?)	13,685
Fruit — Jam ..... cwts.	8611	44,433	68,255	64,000	38,985(?)	53,737
Fruit — Preserved ..... packages	2664	10,515 lb. 40,924	51,166	48,856[a]	[f]	...
Fruit — Green ..... 100 bushels	5652	6691	10,822	8157	11,460	601,375 centals.
Grain — Wheat ..... „	...	44	72	172	[a]	48 centals.
Grain — Oats ..... „	3417	5899	9728	7775	5162	180,129 centals.
Grain — Barley ..... „	218	53	254	293	[f]	9415 centals.
Hay and Straw, and Chaff ..... tons	10,336	11,431	43,710	25,405	[f]	6280
Oatmeal ..... tons	½	5½	114	150	[f]	12
Vegetables ..... „	[c]	1077	5417	4145	[f]	[c]
Potatoes ..... „	49,068	49,861	68,154	89,761	92,551	67,462 55,131
Pease and Beans ..... 100 bushels	490	422	1017	1081	[f]	centals.
Ale, Beer, Cider, &c. ..... gallons	2419	27,802	146,308	255,370	[f]	282,631
Malt ..... bushels	2400	7172	4636	40	[f]	22 centals.
Hops ..... cwts.	5127	6256	6454	6316	[f]	6839
Hides and Skins ..... No. in thousands	215	269	259	39	[f]	16[b]
Native Skins ..... „	216	179	220	285	[f]	...
Rabbit Skins ..... „	3378	4133	4201	3768	568,900 lbs.	825,263 lbs.
Sheep Skins ..... „	...	...	...	334	207	286
Rabbits and Hares ..... 100 pairs	...	...	...	12,791	[f]	288,677
Wool ..... 100 lbs.	72,232	90,195	83,486	48,815[d]	105,835	95,660
Leather ..... tons	170	38	174	103	[f]	[c]
Bark ..... tons	6167	4983	5765	4618	4300	2747
Timber — Palings ..... No. in thousands	1128	1132	1077	822	1474	1538
Timber — Treenails, Spokes, &c. „	1245	201	313	[c]	[c]	[c]
Timber — Posts and Rails, &c. „	15,183	11	8	[c]	[c]	[c]
Timber — Laths and Shingles ... „	63	...	4	[c]	[c]	[c]
Timber — Sawn and Hewn ..... 1000 feet	6932	1141	8734	7675	14,867	18,610
Timber — Logs ..... „	211	610	264	147	387[g]	350[g]
Timber — Shaped Pieces ..... No.	38,222	15,898	36,972	[c]	[c]	[c]
Pickets ..... No.	...	...	...	15,625	[f]	3850
Staves ..... No.	...	...	...	78,176	[f]	173,235
Gold ..... ounces	53,511	55,527	46,574	34,432	63,417[e]	85,830[e]
Ditto Pyrites, Ore Concentrates, &c. ..... tons	387	289	206	165	264	66
Silver Bullion ..... ozs.	...	...	...	...	354,430[h]	949,807[h]
Silver Ore and Lead ..... tons	20 251	15,732	20,456	16,256	60 2	7861
Silver-Lead Bullion ..... tons	...	4099	5482	7609	7635	9508
Tin — Ore ..... tons	13	79	124	264	[f]	190
Tin — Smelted ..... tons	2727	1789½	1965¼	2429	2152	2,585
Copper Ore ..... tons	202	10,029	4754	265	25	4016
Copper — Matte ..... tons	...	...	2603	3777	9351	8558
Copper — Blister ..... tons	...	9730	7583¼	5562		
Iron Ore ..... tons	3	627	1710	4000	[f]	5981
Live Stock — Horses ..... No.	48	345	81	59	[f]	292
Live Stock — Sheep ..... „	4113	5659	7206	11,455	[f]	2849

[a] Dozen quarts. [b] Hides only. [c] Quantities not given. [d] The small quantity of wool exported during 1903 is due to large shipments being held over till January, 1904. [e] Includes gold contained in blister copper not formerly separated, but does not include the gold contained in the silver lead bullion. [f] As no record was made by the Tasmanian Customs of the Outward Trade with the other States of the Commonwealth, full particulars regarding these items are not yet available. [g] Includes blackwood logs. [h] Contained in blister copper.

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the State Collector of Customs.]

EXPORTS—VALUES.

RETURN for the Year 1895, *& Years* 1901-1905, *of Values of the principal Articles exported from Tasmania.*

	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
CLASS I.—FOOD, DRINKS, NARCOTICS, AND STIMULANTS.	£	£	£	£	£	£
ORDER 1. ANIMAL FOODS.						
Butter and Cheese	12,545	2041	7030	12,042	16,168	28,646
Other Animal Foods	225	1841	13,040	23,831	38,972	23,343
ORDER 2. VEGETABLE FOOD.						
FRUIT—Fresh	130,313	202,105	272,789	242,125	331,355	289,671
Preserved	1791	24,776	33,921	16,189	3974	53,766
Pulp and Juice	12,658	26,464	28,195	28,593	42,052	16,659
Jam	16,702	77,594	111,339	108,590	63,720	82,366
GRAIN, UNPREPARED—Wheat	9	6	1760	4623	34	14
Oats	25,757	63,919	139,265	90,885	47,904	46,761
Barley	1932	769	4931	6532	3212	2671
Other	5137	5993	19,292	21,603	11,739	20,019
GRAIN, PREPARED—Flour	...	3232	702	11,315	236	413
Prepared Grain, Oatmeal, Bran, &c.	720	2059	10,975	9468	677	345
Potatoes	70,786	183,934	325,034	234,904	158,773	439,147
Miscellaneous Food	1218	4145	19,755	7605	7422	9699
Hay	16,252	16,522	54,941	89,848	1223	619
Chaff	5531	2106	67,182			
ORDER 3A DRINKS—Alcoholic	1013	3236	13,655	26,063	32,352	19,321
Non-Alcoholic	...	...	262	85	250	251
ORDER 4. Tobacco	447	351	211	912	250	674
ORDER 5. Tea and other Stimulants	228	483	626	615	1040	2009
Hops	18,210	24,448	32,773	42,831	48,026	51,267
TOTAL CLASS I.	321,474	646,024	1,157,678	978,659	845,149	1,087,661
CLASS II.—ANIMALS OF ALL KINDS.						
ORDER 6. ANIMALS OF ALL KINDS.						
Horses	2287	9416	4958	3485	7152	15,815
Sheep	15,130	33,436	36,738	24,120	39,745	54,658
Others	66	96	137	211	1344	959
ORDER 7. Seeds, Plants, &c.	1911	670	472	645	932	2255
TOTAL CLASS II.	19,394	43,618	42,305	28,461	49,173	73,687
CLASS III.—TEXTILE FABRICS AND DRESS.						
ORDERS 8 TO 12. FABRICS AND DRESS.	6639	4673	10,164	14,257	21,239	33,108
ORDER 13. MANUFACTURES OF FIBROUS MATERIAL	169	1490	810	429	589	1931
TOTAL CLASS III.	6808	6163	10,974	14,686	21,828	35,039
CLASS IV.—PRODUCTS OF ARTS AND MANUFACTURES.						
ORDER 14. Books and Stationery	1490	775	1373	2259	3684	3795
15. Musical Instruments	1165	227	170	343	2034	1456
16. Works of Art and Art Material	25,026	121	170	568	915	772
17. Fancy Goods	...	...	806	3514	1349	1628
18. Timepieces, Jewellery, and Platedware	139	3871	5693	7086	15,449	24,532
19. Surgical and Scientific Instruments	...	...	141	..	707	2196
20. Machines, Tools, and Implements	4150	6643	6578	13,449	16,775	18,881
21. Harness, Vehicles, and Equipment	524	92	334	422	1503	2608
22. Ships' Boats, &c.	...	350	31	99	56	301
23. Building Materials	...	...	...	...	643	566
24. Furniture	62	131	1393	1054	382	954
25. Arms and Explosives	25	18	1175	167	342	669
26. Drugs and Chemicals	86	187	308	187	544	1711
27. Glass and Earthenware	8	70	169	351	636	621
28. Soap, Candles, Paints, and Sundry Manufactures	...	629	719	668	322	2519
TOTAL CLASS IV.	32,675	13,114	19,060	30,167	45,341	63,209
CLASS V.—STAPLE, ANIMAL, AND VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES.						
ORDER 29. ANIMAL SUBSTANCES.						
Hides, & Skins	46,525	74,023	84,068	109,508	86,202	142,971
Leather	11,156	2935	18,076	12,119	8885	13,380
Wool	202,341	280,347	263,251	174,089*	401,958	391,957
Other	4848	5502	7476	7672	9350	12,318
ORDER 30. VEGETABLE SUBSTANCES.						
Timber	32,685	47,053	38,463	42,867	78,380	90,547
Bark	33,753	32,773	40,190	32,843	30,476	19,247
Straw	...	7301	29,899	7546	7757	9376
Other Vegetable Substances	...	51	135	47	1774	1474
ORDER 31. Oils.	9653	1973	572	1528	882	1589
TOTAL CLASS V.	340,961	451,958	482,130	388,219	625,664	682,859

* The small amount of wool exported during this year is owing to large shipments being held over till January, 1904.

EXPORTS—VALUES—*continued.*

	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
CLASS VI.—STAPLE MINERALS AND METALS.						
ORDER 32. BULLION AND SPECIE.						
Gold (Bullion)	212,530	204,164	172,928	125,825	187,873[a]	313,051
Ditto (Specie)	11,790	...	...	...	...	50,410[a]
Silver (Bullion)	...	...	...	...	38,834[b]	113,205[b]
Ditto (Specie)	...	...	...	...	...	10,400
ORDER 33. Iron and Steel	413	594	89	...	699	2330
ORDER 34. OTHER METALS.						
Copper	...	878,632	635,527	492,969	569,053	543,389
Lead	76	63	...	25	177	212
Silver Lead (Bullion)[d]	...	136,406	190,934	256,223	183,039	222,193
Tin	167,461	212,542	237,846	298,063	244,759	361,682
Other Metals	133	471	234	87	9920	11,324
ORDER 35. Coal and Shale	141	190	5523	7139	2384	244
ORDER 36. STONE, CLAY, AND OTHER MINERALS ...						
Copper Ore	9677	148,116	74,619	18,832	4	19,886
Silver Ore	227,916	188,929	196,090	171,902	97,098	79.850
Gold Ore	5778	5249	3829	3605	4799	4501
Iron Ore	86	633	1610	3644	20,902	4227
Tin Ore	293	3644	5144	10,531	12,497	7336
Other	714	107	1434	4348	23,870	11,347
TOTAL CLASS VI.	637,008	1,779,740	1,525,807	1,393,193	1,395,908	1,755,587
CLASS VII.—MISCELLANEOUS.						
ORDER 37. Miscellaneous	14,743	5140	6554	9723	6537	13,574
PRODUCE OF THE STATE	1,305,160	2,933,878	3,227,777	2,804,380	2,900,000[c]	3,581,616
PRODUCE OF OTHER COUNTRIES	67,903	11,879	16,731	38,728	89,600	130,000
GRAND TOTAL	1,373,063	2,945,757	3,244,508	2,843,108	2,989,600	3,711,616
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
RATE PER HEAD OF MEAN POPULATION	8 17 10	16 19 2	18 8 11	16 0 3	16 16 5	20 14 2

[a] Includes gold contained in blister copper, but does not include that contained in silver-lead bullion. [b] Contained in blister copper only. [c] Estimated. [d] Includes the value of gold and silver contained therein.

SUMMARY.

Class.	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
I. Food, Drinks, Narcotics, and Stimulants	321,474	646,024	1,157,678	978,659	845,149	1,087,661
II. Animals of all kinds	19,394	43,618	42,305	28,461	49,173	73,687
III. Textile Fabrics and Dress	6808	6163	10,974	14,686	21,828	35,039
IV. Products of Art and Manufactnres...	32,675	13,114	19,060	30,167	45,341	63,209
V. Staple Animal and Vegetable Substances	340,961	451,958	482,130	388,219	625,664	682,859
VI. Staple Minerals and Metals	637,008	1,779,740	1,525,807	1,393,193	1,395,908	1,755,587
VII. Miscellaneous	14,743	5140	6554	9723	6537	13,574
Total	1,373,063	2,945,757	3,244,508	2,843,108	2,989,600	3,711,616

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	TOTAL IMPORTS.	EXPORTS.			RATE PER HEAD OF MEAN POPULATION OF—	
		Produce of Tasmania.	British and Foreign Produce.	TOTAL.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896	1,192,410	1,473,429	23,147	1,496,576	7 11 3	9 9 10
1897	1,367,608	1,721,959	22,502	1,744,461	8 8 9	10 15 2
1898	1,650,018	1,720,697	82,672	1,803,369	9 18 2	10 16 7
1899	1,769,324	2,557,475	20,160	2,577,475	10 7 4	15 2 1
1900	2,073,657	2,595,309	15,308	2,610,617	12 0 1	15 2 2
1901	1,965,199	2,933,878	11,879	2,945,757	11 6 5	16 19 2
1902	2,442,745	3,227,777	16,731	3,244,508	13 17 9	18 8 11
1903	2,593,810	2,804,380	38,728*	2,843,108	14 12 3	16 0 3
1904	2,554,454	2,899,912	89,688†	2,989,600	14 5 8	16 14 5
1905	2,651,754	3,581,606	130,000§	3,711,616	14 15 10	20 14 1

* £7352 produce of other Commonwealth States. † £35,744 produce of other Commonwealth States.
§ £47,805 produce of other Commonwealth States.

IMPORTS and Exports from and to different Countries.—Decennial Return.

IMPORTS.

YEAR.	New South Wales.*	Victoria.*	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other British Possessions.	Foreign Countries
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1896	187,738	572,811	1569	11,542	..	379,930	19,236	6299	13,285
1897	197,766	612,980	53,127	5182	30	397,510	60,759	6424	33,929
1898	273,227	720,684	96,002	4927	64	465,544	31,922	7243	50,405
1899	275,414	799,907	108,536	7907	14	501,120	27,164	14,478	34,784
1900	337,672	908,722	120,750	5389	19	628,663	20,578	8168	43,696
1901	295,773	718,243	126,588	12,133	1264	628,617	46,742	24,681	111,158
1902	368,378	1,279,011	29,950	32,771	19	585,750	41,970	15,356	89,540
1903	455,158	1,301,724	15,390	29,149	684	597,540	21,794	7492	164,879
1904	423,728	1,285,547	10,939	38,456	225	617,414	20,780	18,582	138,783
1905	481,192	1,348,365	9097	74,532	451	586,992	23,311	11,948	115,886
EXPORTS.									
1896	598,949	671,816	4592	11,754	9928	173,867	21,652	345	3673
1897	583,273	807,433	3965	21,791	29,878	274,497	11,753	944	10,927
1898	635,110	614,640	6049	23,854	44,084	431,518	25,355	606	22,153
1899	701,524	391,602	13,890	22,280	48,525	1,039,640	20,555	1211	338,248
1900	613,161	388,913	4530	12,341	52,884	688,600	25,390	13,943	810,855
1901	642,564	516,847	18,674	56,624	47,008	833,928	26,530	55,541	748,041
1902	1,098,187	564,003	62,848	31,465	44,330	654,174	18,257	38,281	732,963
1903	856,517	559,696	61,182	19,237	49,806	606,888	24,659	26,641	638,482
1904	938,193	1,243,280	74,077	22,627	80,373	555,013	25,741	40,662	9634†
1905	1,213,291	1,751,808	109,557	51,629	113,156	375,604	59,772	33,103	3696†

* Including transhipments to and from United Kingdom, &c. † Commodities shipped to America, Germany, or other foreign countries on a *through Bill of Lading, via* New South Wales or Victoria, were formerly recorded as exported to the country of final destination, while now they are recorded as exported to the State in which they are transhipped. A Table, showing the final destination of goods exported during the year 1905, will be found on Page 169.

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Collector of Customs.]

RETURN showing the Value and Packages of Goods to and from Tasmania transhipped in Victoria during the Ten Years ending 1898.

YEAR.	VALUE AND PACKAGES OF GOODS			
	Transhipped to the Colony.		Received from the Colony.	
	Value—£.	Packages.*	Value—£.	Packages.*
1889	221,188	—	364,586	—
1890	217,267	—	331,227	—
1891	283,179	—	303,874	—
1892	187,267	—	320,308	—
1893	112,094	7503	282,448	6423
1894	108,414	12,709	346,285	388
1895	114,469	16,473	343,532	8833
1896	71,981	42,709	289,096	28,978
1897	88,623	34,234	288,093	96,289
1898	141,314	61,057	486,246	42,308

* Value of which was not stated.

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from the Statistical Register of the Colony of Victoria, and from information furnished by the Government Statist, Victoria.]

LOCAL CONSUMPTION OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.

QUANTITIES of the undermentioned Articles, imported or produced locally, retained for Home Consumption in Tasmania, during Years 1895-1905.

ARTICLES.	QUANTITIES (ABSOLUTE.)										
	1895.	**1896.**	**1897.**	**1898.**	**1899.**	**1900.**	**1901.**	**1902.**	**1903.**	**1904.**	**1905.**
Foods, Drinks, and Stimulants.											
Flour, imported ..... lbs.*	1,315,072	406,700	1421	..	2025	1204	..	..	178,600	4,532,400	3,211,000
Flour manufd. locally ..... lbs.†	32,148,480	37,584,375	46,091,360	44,589,440	49,286,723	48,782,720	48,082,720	40,852,800	46,269,440	44,401,280	36,542,400
Wheat, imported ..... bush.*	47,594	97,558	17,570	36	10	..	..	62,460	355,623	489,763	455,653
Wheat produced locally ..... bush.†	1,164,810	1,219,930	1,668,341	2,173,768	836,197	979,661	963,662	869,698	750,200	792,956	776,398
Cocoa and Chocolate ..... lbs.*	79,471	70,160	68,828	91,165	116,966	111,638	101,948	170,259	135,146	145,140	159,884
Coffee ..... lbs.*	48,625	43,040	42,261	60,711	81,648	78,510	56,635	81,486	89,678	60,300	85,065
Tea ..... lbs.*	978,052	932,073	901,670	1,012,277	1,077,632	1,143,095	1,011,951	1,201,181	1,120,150	1,184,091	1,264,616
Sugar and Molasses ..... cwt.*‡	121,288	117,588	127,310	127,238	149,071	148,515	139,129	152,803	161,386	166,990	166,705
Rice ..... lbs.*	1,022,521	886,816	953,504	981,559	1,112,391	792,480	840,440	1,022,341	972,720	1,006,400	1,040,000
Fruits, dried, imported ..... lbs.*	689,688	685,220	775,841	859,736	914,034	846,031	748,107	1,023,228	1,032,743	1,036,147	948,214
Mustard ..... lbs.*	35,339	30,771	32,871	33,660	38,488	36,775	32,139	32,311	30,962	52,046	34,987
Pepper ..... lbs.*	39,731	33,426	37,650	31,164	49,267	39,549	28,968	§	42,521	28,053	34,991
Salt and Saltpetre ..... cwts.*	27,702	27,343	27,409	22,117	30,521	35,585	35,279	36,109	34,310	38,395	34,805
Vinegar ..... galls.*	22,297	14,670	14,815	19,674	23,611	24 389	18,600	25,221	28,878	29,085	34,966
Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars ..... lbs.*	296,841	297,876	298,414	334,007	358,958	391,476	383,029	439,988	415,842	414,658	433,921
Spirits ..... galls.*	60,004	62,621	64,745	73,618	85,438	88,816	87,048	96,872	96,353	96,367	95,717
Wine ..... galls.*	13,839	14,523	14,897	18,106	19,739	19,074	29,558	36,395	28,539	29,423	25,435
Beer, imported ..... galls.*	32,033	36,406	45,876	59,159	69,746	80,530	71,627	71,597	79,078	91,768	87,752
Beer, local ..... galls.†	1,100,977	1,134,338	1,162,592	1,271,285	1,352,713	1,483,596	1,453,246	1,634,625	1,640,147	1,469,884	1,528,943
Other Articles.											
Kerosene ..... galls.*	213,906	223,580	246,772	283,034	305,597	333,892	322,000	430,685	404,996	472,683	456,851
Soap, imported ..... lbs.*	86,515	155,186	136,597	175,363	203,956	238,027	450,169	663,068	932,816	1,233,230	1,247,865
Soap, manufactured locally ..... lbs.†	2,625,280	2,788,800	2,788,800	3,091,200	2,710,400	2,172,800	2,667,609	2,240,000	1,605,408	1,317,120	936,320
Candles, imported ..... lbs.*	137,817	185,902	163,476	167,975	177.036	149,809	175,959	463,900	519,920	601,885	634,974
Candles, manufactured locally ..... lbs.†	817,600	828,800	864,640	930,305	819,840	864,640	944,640	1,081,920	924,448	611,184	479,360
Coal, imported ..... tons*	35,462	25,219	29,912	34,527	52,643	59,158	44,082	51,054	54,217	51,126	62,618
Coal, produced locally ..... tons †	33,249	43,412	42,530	46,552	43,113	48,079	49,176	49,898	44,065	60,645	51,633

*Entered for Home Consumption. † Less Exports. ‡ Estimated quantity of sugar in exported jam has been deducted.

ARTICLES.	PER HEAD OF POPULATION.										
	1895.	**1896.**	**1897.**	**1898.**	**1899.**	**1900.**	**1901.**	**1902.**	**1903.**	**1904.**	**1905.**
Foods, Drinks, and Stimulants.											
Flour, imported ..... lbs.*	8·51	2·58	·01	..	·01	·01	..	..	1·01	25·35	17·91
Ditto, manufactured locally ..... lbs.†	208·16	238·30	284·28	267·67	288·80	282·32	276·96	232·60	260·54	248·30	203·85
Wheat, imported ..... bushels*	·31	·62	·11	..	..	..	..	·36	2·00	2·73	2·54
Ditto, produced locally ..... bushels†	7·54	7·73	10·29	13·05	4·90	5·67	5·55	4·95	4·23	4·43	4·33
Cocoa and Chocolate ..... lbs.*	·51	·45	·42	·55	·69	·65	·59	·97	·76	·81	·89
Coffee ..... lbs.*	·31	·27	·26	·36	·48	·45	·33	·46	·51	·34	·47
Tea ..... lbs.*	6·33	5·91	5·56	6·08	6·30	6·61	5·83	6·84	6·31	6·62	7·05
Sugar ..... lbs.*	87·92	83·51	87·96	85·57	97·80	96·26	89·71	104·06	101·81	104·50	104·16
Rice ..... lbs.*	6·62	5·62	5·88	5·89	6·52	4·58	4·84	5·82	5·48	5·63	5·80
Fruits, Dried, imported ..... lbs.*	·47	4·34	4·78	5·16	5·35	4·90	4·31	5·82	5·81	5·79	5·29
Mustard ..... lbs.*	·23	·20	·20	·20	·23	·21	·19	·18	·17	·29	·20
Pepper ..... lbs.*	·26	·21	·23	·19	·29	·23	·17	..	·24	·16	·20
Salt and Saltpetre ..... lbs.*	20·09	19·42	18·93	14·87	20·03	23·06	10·10	20·56	21·62	24·05	21·75
Vinegar ..... galls.*	·14	·09	·09	·12	·14	·14	·11	·14	·16	·16	·20
Tobacco, Snuff, Cigars ..... lbs.*	1·92	1·89	1·84	2·01	2·10	2·27	2·21	2·50	2·34	2·32	2·42
Spirits ..... galls.*	·39	·40	·40	·44	·50	·51	·50	·55	·54	·54	·53
Wine ..... galls.*	·09	·09	·09	·11	·12	·11	·17	·21	·16	·16	·14
Beer ..... galls.*	·21	·23	·28	·36	·41	·47	·41	·41	·45	·51	·49
Ditto, Local ..... galls. †	7·12	7·19	7·17	7·63	7·93	8·59	8·37	9·30	9·24	8·22	8·43
Other Articles.											
Kerosene ..... galls.*	1·39	1·42	1·52	1·70	1·79	1·93	1·85	2·45	2·28	2·64	2·55
Soap, imported ..... lbs.*	·56	·98	·84	1·05	1·20	1·38	2·59	3·78	5·25	6·89	6·95
Ditto, manufactured locally ..... lbs.†	17·00	17·68	17·20	18·56	15·88	12·58	14·98	12·75	9·04	7·36	5·22
Candles, imported ..... lbs.*	·89	1·18	1·01	1·01	1·04	·87	1·01	2·64	2·93	3·37	3·54
Ditto, manufactured locally ..... lbs.†	5·29	5·25	5·33	5·58	4·80	5.01	5·44	6·15	5·21	3·41	2·67
Coal, imported ..... cwts.*	4·58	3·20	3·69	4·14	6·17	6.84	5·08	5·80	6·10	5·72	5·99
Ditto, produced locally ..... cwts.†	4·30	5·50	5·25	5·58	5·05	5·56	5·66	5·68	4·96	6·78	5·76

*Entered for Home Consumption. †Less Exports.

INDEX LEVEL OF CONSUMPTION.

BASED on principal Articles of consumption—"Opimeter" Articles, year 1900, *as the standard* = 100.

	1895.	**1896.**	**1897.**	**1898.**	**1899.**	**1900.**	**1901.**	**1902.**	**1903.**	**1904.**	**1905.**
Tea	96	89	84	91	95	100	88	104	95	100	106
Tobacco	84	83	81	88	92	100	98	110	103	102	106
Wine and Spirits	77	79	79	89	100	100	108	122	112	113	108
Beer	81	82	82	88	92	100	97	107	107	96	98
Sugar	91	87	91	89	101	100	93	108	105	109	108
Kerosene	72	73	79	88	93	100	96	127	118	137	132
ALL	83	82	83	89	95	100	97	113	107	109	109

IMPORTS AND DUTY (1896-1905) TASMANIA.

ABSTRACT for Decade ending in the Year 1905, *showing the Absolute and Relative Proportions of Dutiable and Free Goods under each Class of Imports.*

Year.	I. Food, Drinks, Narcotics, and Stimulants.		II. Live Animals and Plants.		III. Textile Fabrics and Dress, and Fibrous Manufactures.		IV. Products of Arts and Manufactures. (N.O.E.)		V. Staple Animal and Vegetable Substances, including Mineral Oils.		VI. Staple Minerals and Metals, including Bullion and Specie.		VII. Miscellaneous.		Total Imports.		Total Duty levied, less Repayments.	
	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.	Amount.	Per cent.
	£	(A)	£	(A)	£	(A)	£	(A)	£	(A)	£	(A)	£	(A)	£	(A)	£	(C)
DUTIABLE GOODS.																		
(A) indicates the percentage proportion in relation to the total Imports of the particular class.																		
1896...	263,878	99·97	13,216	87·24	350,935	89·56	236,840	80·45	58,422	77·73	79,307	76·64	37,912	78·27	1,040,510	87·26	329,006	31·62
1897...	283,921	99·90	20,077	86·64	371,268	90·56	327,658	92·04	46,217	53·59	60,277	40·30	45,316	76·26	1,154,734	84·37	350,945	30·39
* 1898...	345,852	98·92	71,561	94·73	371,490	89·58	431,609	92·85	50,848	51·03	105,284	64·59	61,746	74·69	1,438,390	87·17	405,618	28·20
1899...	345,925	96·86	39,528	86·57	429,378	87·39	341,094	74·77	45,759	41·37	85,818	42·97	56,810	52·30	1,344,312	75·98	424,490	31·58
1900...	391,754	97·42	44,021	82·45	491,595	88·57	402,472	75·22	54,641	43·58	143,446	50·04	58,897	50·81	1,586,826	76·52	465,233	29·24
† 1901...	385,792	91·43	15,094	25·50	388,635	84·17	423,735	75·44	61,065	43·46	72,797	36·10	42,207	37·10	1,389,325	70·70	402,732	28·99
1902...	401,152	68·56	—	Nil	434,961	71·22	339,371	52·58	58,365	37·99	40,428	11·32	5625	23·16	1,280,172	52·41	335,795	26·23
‡ 1903...	343,758	49·74	1454	2·14	358.495	76·52	396,536	54·65	64,267	32·69	56,866	27·44	5301	36·14	1,396,677	53·85	349,652	25·28
1904...	346,842	22·70	—	—	393,374	60·47	404,193	49·86	60,420	31·95	55,695	35·46	3531	12·90	1,264,055	49·48	336,077	26·58
1905...	349,309	49·03	--	—	385,151	59·13	391,500	49·08	42,933	25·37	54,170	28·56	3287	9·52	1,226,350	46·25	319,275	26·03
FREE GOODS.																		
		(A)		(A)		(A)		(A)		(A)		(A)		(A)		(A)		
1896...	76	0·03	1940	12·76	40,914	10·44	57,559	19·55	16,736	22·27	24,145	23·34	10,530	21·73	151,900	12·74	—	—
1897...	291	0·10	3095	13·36	38,698	9·44	28,355	7·96	40,032	46·41	89,253	59·70	14,151	23·80	213,875	15·63	—	—
* 1898...	3771	1·08	3977	5·27	43,197	10·42	33,251	7·15	48.790	48·97	57,719	35·41	20,923	25·31	211,628	12·83	—	—
1899...	11,215	3·14	6133	13·43	61,964	12·61	115,112	25·23	64,880	58·63	113,911	57·03	51,797	47·70	452,012	24·02		—
1900...	10,357	2·58	9370	17·55	63,461	11·93	132,620	24·78	70,765	56·44	143,238	49·96	57.021	49·19	486,831	23·48	—	—
† 1901...	40,853	9·57	44,085	74·50	73,091	15·83	137.982	24·56	79,459	56·52	128,872	63·90	71,532	62·90	575,874	29·30	—	—
1902...	183,974	31·44	65,360	100·00	175,758	28·78	306,562	47·42	95,676	62·01	316,573	88·68	18,670	76·84	1,162,573	47·59	—	—
‡ 1903...	347,226	50·26	66,341	97·86	162,117	23·48	329,163	45·35	132.401	67·31	150,518	72·52	9367	63·86	1,197,133	46·15	—	—
1904...	311,264	47·30	61,051	100·00	255,874	39·53	408,283	50·14	128,701	68·05	101,377	64·54	23.849	87·10	1,290,399	50·52	—	—
1905...	363,213	51·97	96,751	100·00	266,252	40·87	406,169	50·92	126,284	74·63	135,475	71·44	31,260	90·48	1,425,404	53·75	—	—
TOTAL IMPORTS (DUTIABLE AND FREE).																		
(B) indicates percentage proportion in relation to total of *All Classes.*																		
		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(D)
1896...	263,954	22·14	15,156	1·27	391.849	32·86	294,399	24·69	75,158	6·30	103,452	8·68	48,442	4·06	1,192,410	100	329,006	27·59
1897...	284,212	20·77	23,172	1·69	409,966	29·95	356,013	26·01	86,249	6·30	149,530	10·93	59,467	4·35	1,368.609	100	350,945	25·65
* 1898...	349,623	21·19	75,538	2·58	414,687	25·13	464,860	28·17	99,638	6·04	163,003	19·88	82,669	5·01	1,650,018	100	405,618	24·58
1899...	357,140	20·18	45,661	4·58	491,342	27·77	456,206	25·79	110,639	6·25	199,729	11·29	108,607	6·14	1,769,324	100	424,490	23·99
1900...	402,111	29·39	53,391	2·58	555,056	26·76	535,092	25·81	125.406	6·05	286,684	13·82	115,918	5·59	2,073,658	100	465,233	22·44
† 1901...	462,645	21·71	59,179	3·01	461,726	23·49	561,717	28·58	140,524	7·17	201,669	10·26	113,739	5·78	1,965,199	100	402,732	20·49
1902...	585,126	23·95	65.360	2·68	610,719	25·00	645,933	26·44	154,311	6·32	357,001	14·62	24,295	0·99	2,442,745	100	335,795	13·74
‡ 1903...	690,984	26·64	67,795	2·61	690,612	26·62	795,699	27·98	196,668	7·58	207,384	8·00	14,668	0·57	2,593,810	100	349,652	13·61
1904...	658.106	25·76	61,051	2·40	649,248	25·42	802,476	31·88	189,121	7·40	157,072	6·14	37,380	1·07	2,554,454	100	336,077	13·16
1905...	712,522	26·87	96,751	3·65	651,403	24·57	797,669	30·08	169,217	6·38	189,645	7·15	34,547	1·30	2,651,754	100	319,275	12·04

DUTY LEVIED ON IMPORTS.

		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		(B)		
*	1896...	181,165	54·46	2526	0·76	69,987	21·04	39,173	11·73	18,403	5·53	13,905	4·18	7490	2·25	332,649	100	329,006	—
	1897...	189,302	53·15	3618	1·02	73,963	20·70	56,130	15·75	14,033	3·94	10,282	2·89	8846	2·48	356,174	100	350,945	—
	1898...	218,028	53·05	6075	1·48	74,210	18·06	68,083	16·74	15,707	3·82	16,110	3·92	12,044	2·93	410,977	100	405,618	—
	1899...	236,928	54·95	5584	1·30	85,695	19·87	62,352	14·46	15,045	3·49	14,349	3·33	11,227	2·60	431,180	100	424,490	—
	1900...	246,279	52·17	6315	1·34	97,707	20·70	73,366	15·54	16,329	3·46	20,542	4·35	11,494	2·44	472,032	100	465,233	—
†	1901...	228,833	55·52	500	0·13	75,165	18·24	72,436	17·58	15,067	3·66	11,187	2·72	8864	2·15	412,102	100	402,732	—
‡	1902...	203,664	59 78	—	—	63,870	18·74	60,052	17·63	10,221	3·00	2085	0·61	817	0·24	340,719	100	335,795	—
	1903...	214,751	60·64	156	0·04	65,764	18·57	58,292	16·46	11,299	3·19	3047	0·86	836	0·24	354,145	100	353,023	—
	1904...	195,646	58·03	—	—	62.435	18·52	64,631	19·17	10,056	2·98	3708	1·10	672	0·20	337,148	100	336,077	—
	1905...	187,969	58·82	—	—	58,628	18·34	61,281	19·18	7312	2·29	3844	1·20	550	0·17	319,584	100	319,275	—

PERCENTAGE OF DUTY RELATIVE—

(C) To *Dutiable* Goods of the particular Class.
(D) To *All* Goods of the particular Class.

		(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)	(C)	(D)
*	1896...	68·67	68·65	19·11	16·66	19·94	17·86	16·54	13·31	31·50	24·45	17·53	13·44	19·75	15·46	31·97	27·90	31·62	27·59
	1897...	66·67	66·60	18·02	15·61	19·92	18·04	17·14	15·77	30·36	16·27	17·06	6·88	19·52	14·88	30·84	26·03	30·39	25·65
	1898...	63·04	62·35	8·49	8·04	19·98	17·90	15·94	14·80	30·89	15·77	15·30	9·88	19·51	14·57	28·57	24·91	28·20	24·58
	1899...	68·49	66·34	14·13	12·23	19·96	17·44	18·28	13·67	32·88	13·60	16·72	7·18	19·77	10·34	32·08	24·37	31·58	23·99
	1900...	62·87	61·25	14·34	11·83	19·87	17·60	18·23	13·71	29·88	13·02	14·32	7·16	19·51	9·91	29·75	22·76	29·24	22·44
†	1901...	59·33	53·65	3·31	0·84	19·34	16·28	17·09	12·90	24·67	10·72	15·36	5·54	21·00	7·79	29·66	20·97	28·99	20·49
‡	1902...	50·76	34·80	...	...	14·68	10·47	17·70	9·30	17·43	6·62	5·16	0·58	14·53	3·36	26·62	13·95	26·23	13·74
	1903...	62·47	31·08	10·73	0·23	12·43	9·52	14·70	8·03	17·58	5·74	5·36	1·47	15·77	5·70	25·36	13 65	25·28	13·61
	1904...	56·41	29·72	...	...	15·87	9·62	15·99	7·95	16·56	5·32	6·66	2·36	19·03	2·45	26·67	13·20	26·58	13·16
	1905...	53·82	26·39	...	...	15·22	9·00	15·65	7·68	17·03	4·32	7·10	2·03	16·73	1·59	26·06	12·05	26·03	12·04

* During these years subject entirely to States control and States tariff.
† Year 1901 subject to State Tariff up to 9th October; thereafter subject to Commonwealth uniform tariff.
‡ During these years subject entirely to Commonwealth control and to Commonwealth uniform tariff.

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SHIPPING—INWARDS AND OUTWARDS.

NUMBER, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels entered at the Ports of Tasmania, from and to each Country, in the Year 1905.

Entered from and Cleared to	Description of Vessel.	Entered									Cleared								
		With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
		No.	Tons.	Crew.	No.	Tons.	Crew.	No.	Tons.	Crew.	No.	Tons	Crew.	No.	Tons.	Crew.	No.	Tons.	Crew.
New South Wales	Sailing	1	61	4	...	...	...	1	61	4	2	133	7	6	5866	96	8	5999	103
	Steam	149	183,592	6303	15	52,923	2689	164	236,515	8992	197	234,093	7402	2	2622	55	199	236,715	7457
	Together	150	183,653	6307	15	52,923	2689	165	236,576	8996	199	234,226	7409	8	8488	151	207	242,714	7560
Victoria	Sailing	72	7604	343	6	1662	52	78	9266	395	56	3821	216	4	3837	54	60	7658	270
	Steam	510	420,388	20,177	12	29,908	651	522	450,296	20,828	468	377,695	20,836	2	2144	142	470	379,839	20,762
	Together	582	427,992	20,520	18	31,570	703	600	459,562	21,223	524	381,516	20,620	6	5981	196	530	387,497	21,032
South Australia	Sailing	40	5369	243	6	771	33	46	6140	276	47	6881	295	1	98	5	48	6979	300
	Steam	20	4832	275	2	2252	46	22	7084	321	18	3778	257	...	...	...	18	3778	257
	Together	60	10,201	518	8	3023	79	68	13,224	597	65	10,659	552	1	98	5	66	10,757	557
Western Australia	Steam	...	...	...	3	4370	75	3	4370	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queensland	Sailing	1	84	5	...	...	...	1	84	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oversea, via States	Steam	...	...	...	1	3505	65	1	3505	65	24	98,348	3451	...	...	...	24	98,348	3451
Commonwealth of Australia	Sailing	114	13,118	595	12	2433	85	126	15,551	680	105	10,835	518	11	9801	155	116	20,636	673
	Steam	679	608,812	26,755	33	92,958	3526	712	701,770	30,281	707	713,914	31,730	4	4766	197	711	718,680	31,927
	Together	793	621,930	27,350	45	95,391	3611	838	717,321	30,961	812	724,749	32,248	15	14,567	352	827	739,316	32,600
United Kingdom	Sailing	5	4364	88	3	5679	73	8	10,043	161	1	794	15	...	...	...	1	794	15
	Steam	28	153,027	3004	2	8152	151	30	161,179	3155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Together	33	157,391	3092	5	13,831	224	38	171,222	3316	1	794	15	...	...	...	1	794	15
New Zealand	Sailing	2	533	19	1	287	10	3	820	29	19	5903	183	2	1048	20	21	6951	203
	Steam	54	115,268	4196	2	800	128	56	123,276	4324	71	216,199	6191	12	58,598	1157	83	274,797	7348
	Together	56	115,801	4215	3	8295	138	59	124,096	4353	90	222,101	6374	14	59,646	1177	104	281,748	7551
Africa, Portuguese East	Sailing	...	...	...	1	1348	17	1	1348	17	2	2843	32	...	...	...	2	2843	32
Malden Island	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	532	9	...	...	...	1	532	9
Honolulu	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5419	72	3	5419	72
America, North	Sailing	1	1119	9	1	1732	23	2	2851	32	...	...	...	14	27,418	342	14	27,418	342
Belgium	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
France	Sailing	...	...	...	16	30,873	385	16	30,873	385	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
China	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1732	23	1	1732	23
Italy	Sailing	...	...	...	1	1732	24	1	1732	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

Reunion	Sailing	...	...	...	2	3351	41	2	3351	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Norway	Sailing	2	1278	22	...	...	...	2	1278	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cape Colony	Sailing	...	...	...	1	1740	23	1	1740	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South America	Sailing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Surprise Island	Sailing	1	444	8	...	...	...	1	444	8	...	...	...	...	2	3352	41	2	3351	41
GRAND TOTAL	Sailing	125	20,856	741	38	49,175	681	163	70,031	1422	28	20,907	757	33	48,769	653	161	69,676	1410	
	Steam	761	877,107	33,955	37	109,118	3805	798	986,225	37,760	778	930,113	37,921	16	63,364	1354	794	993,477	39,275	
	TOGETHER	886	897,963	34,696	75	158,293	4486	961	1,056,256	39,182	906	951,020	38,678	49	112,133	2007	955	1,063,153	40,685	
Hobart	Sailing	75	12,976	478	35	48,879	666	110	61,855	1144	92	17,291	597	26	46,117	597	118	63,408	1194	
	Steam	210	484,450	15,492	26	98,869	3472	236	583,319	18,964	224	525,784	17,899	14	61,220	1212	238	587,004	19,111	
	TOGETHER	285	497,426	15,970	61	147,748	4138	346	655,174	20,108	316	543,075	18,496	40	107,337	1809	356	650,412	20,305	
Launceston	Sailing	18	5372	127	...	...	...	18	5372	127	3	1398	27	5	2524	47	8	3922	74	
	Steam	262	215,411	12,351	3	2183	149	265	217,594	12,500	229	193,325	11,689	2	2144	142	231	195,469	11,831	
	TOGETHER	280	220,783	12,478	3	2183	149	283	222,966	12,627	232	194,723	11,716	7	4668	189	239	199,391	11,905	
Devonport	Sailing	5	777	21	...	...	...	5	777	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Steam	18	9169	384	2	2252	46	20	11,421	430	98	96,528	2191	...	...	...	98	96,528	2191	
	TOGETHER	23	9946	405	2	2252	46	25	12,198	451	98	96,528	2191	...	...	...	98	96,528	2191	
Burnie	Sailing	5	245	20	1	100	5	6	345	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Steam	77	66,254	1050	...	...	...	77	66,254	1050	105	84,849	3826	...	...	...	105	84,849	3826	
	TOGETHER	82	66,499	1070	1	100	5	83	66,599	1075	105	84,849	3826	...	...	...	105	84,849	3826	
Ulverstone	Sailing	2	142	7	...	...	...	2	142	7	13	793	45	...	...	...	13	793	45	
Stanley	Sailing	17	1200	75	2	196	10	19	1396	85	19	1395	84	...	...	...	19	1395	84	
	Steam	107	53,585	2585	6	5814	138	113	49,399	2723	60	8544	816	...	...	...	60	8544	816	
	TOGETHER	124	54,785	2660	8	6010	148	132	60,795	2808	79	9939	900	...	...	...	79	9939	900	
Strahan	Sailing	3	144	13	...	...	...	3	144	13	1	30	4	2	128	9	3	158	13	
	Steam	87	48,238	2093	...	...	...	87	48,238	2093	62	21,083	1500	...	...	...	62	21,083	1500	
	TOGETHER	90	48,382	2106	...	...	...	90	48,382	2106	63	21,113	1504	2	128	9	65	21,241	1513	
GRAND TOTAL	Sailing	125	20,856	741	38	46,175	681	163	70,031	1422	128	20,907	757	33	48,769	653	161	69,676	1410	
	Steam	761	877,107	33,955	37	109,118	3805	798	986,225	37,760	778	930,113	37,921	16	63,364	1354	794	993,477	39,275	
	TOGETHER	886	897,963	34,696	75	158,293	4486	961	1,056,256	39,182	906	951,020	38,678	49	112,133	2007	955	1,063,153	40,685	

SHIPPING.

DECENNIAL RETURN.

YEAR.	ENTERED.			CLEARED.			ON REGISTERS ON 31ST DECEMBER.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
								Net.	
1896	661	449,223	20,525	678	441,538	20,770	203	16,535	1109
1897	699	542,049	23,704	717	542,119	25,744	199	14,376	1035
1898	739	574,964	26,148	786	584,029	27,012	199	15,154	1028
1899	798	663,102	28,540	756	655,601	27,431	200	15,379	1040
1900	741	618,963	27,293	743	613,955	27,177	204	15,783	1070
1901	816	706,044	31,107	820	726,681	31,987	207	17,050	1179
1902	964	887,485	34,886	944	879,730	34,377	206	18,225	1062
1903	928	938,371	34,350	927	935,802	34,037	207	17,782	1140
1904	957	1,043,425	39,694	944	1,050,182	39,226	213	18,399	1160
1905	961	1,056,256	39,182	955	1,063,153	40,685	221	18,340	1189

[This and the two previous Returns were compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Collectors of Customs and Registrars of Shipping.]

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of registered Vessels (including Steamers) belonging to the Ports of Tasmania, on 31st December, 1905.

PORTS.	NO. OF VESSELS.	TONNAGE.		NO. OF MEN AND BOYS.
		Gross.	Net.	
Hobart	146	18,790	14,113	846
Launceston	75	6271	4227	343
TOTAL.....	221	27,061	18,340	1189

SHIPPING—STEAMERS.

RETURN of registered Vessels belonging to the Port of Tasmania, on 31st December, 1905.

PORTS.	BUILD.				TONNAGE.		HORSE POWER.	PADDLE	SCREW.
	Composite.	Wood.	Iron.	Steel.	Gross.	Net			
Hobart	1	30	8	3	11,733	7192	2401	3	38
Launceston	..	18	2	2	4434	2441	1123	..	22
TOTAL..	1	48	10	5	16,167	9633	3524	3	60

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Registrars of Shipping.]

SHIPPING BUILT AND SOLD.

RETURN of Vessels built and sold during the Year 1905.

PORTS.	VESSELS BUILT.		VESSELS SOLD.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Hobart	7	301	4	453
Launceston	...	...	...	...
TOTAL..	7	301	4	453

There were no Vessels engaged in Whale Fisheries during year 1905.

NATIONALITY OF SHIPPING, 1905.

INWARDS.

Nationality.	Description of Vessels.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
		Vessels.	Tons.	Crew.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crew.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crew.
BRITISH.										
Commonwealth	Sailing	116	13,651	614	12	2324	85	128	15,975	699
	Steam	513	392,431	20,974	11	10,249	333	524	402,680	21,307
	Together	629	406,082	21,588	23	12,573	418	652	418,655	22,006
New Zealand	Sailing	...	...	...	1	396	10	1	396	10
	Steam	219	323,552	9840	...	...	...	219	323,552	9840
	Together	219	323,552	9840	1	396	10	220	323,948	9850
United Kingdom	Sailing	5	4631	84	...	...	...	5	4631	84
	Steam	29	161,124	3141	26	98,869	3472	55	259,993	6613
	Together	34	165,755	3225	26	98,869	3472	60	264,624	6697
FOREIGN.										
French	Sailing	..	...	...	24	45,107	569	24	45,107	24
Norwegian	Sailing	4	2574	43	1	1348	17	5	3922	60
Total	Sailing	125	20,856	741	38	49,175	681	163	70,031	1422
	Steam	761	877,107	33,955	37	109,118	3805	798	986,225	37,760
	Together	886	897,963	34,696	75	158,293	4486	961	1,056,256	39,182

OUTWARDS.

BRITISH.										
Commonwealth	Sailing	122	15,440	671	6	1328	37	128	16,768	708
	Steam	473	370,600	19,612	2	2144	142	475	372,744	19,754
	Together	595	386,040	20,283	8	3472	179	603	389,512	20,462
New Zealand	Sailing	1	396	10	...	...	...	1	396	10
	Steam	262	358,216	12,843	2	2622	55	264	360,938	12,898
	Together	263	358,612	12,853	2	2622	55	265	361,234	12,908
United Kingdom	Sailing	2	1696	35	1	996	21	3	2692	56
	Steam	43	201,297	5466	12	58,598	1157	55	259,895	6623
	Together	45	202,993	5501	13	59,594	1178	58	262,587	6679
FOREIGN.										
French	Sailing	...	...	...	24	45,107	573	24	45,107	573
German	Sailing	...	...	...	2	852	13	1	852	13
Norwegian	Sailing	2	1880	22	1	486	9	3	2366	31
Italian	Sailing	1	1495	19	...	...	...	1	1495	19
Total	Sailing	128	20,907	757	33	48,769	653	161	69,676	1410
	Steam	778	930,113	37,921	16	63,364	1354	794	993,477	39,275
	Together	906	951,020	38,678	49	112,133	2007	955	1,363,153	30,685

SHIPPING REGISTERED.

ABSTRACT of the State of the Shipping registered at the Ports of Tasmania for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

	SAILING VESSELS.		STEAM VESSELS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Net Tonnage.	No.	Net Tonnage.	No.	Net Tonnage.
TOTAL AMOUNT of last Year's Account	158	9478	53	8526	211	18,004
Vessels added during the year 1905	8	400	12	983	20	1383
Vessels struck off during the year 1905	7	776	3	271	10	1047
Total remaining on the Register, 31st December, 1905	159	9102	62	9248	221	18,340
DETAIL OF VESSELS ADDED—						
New Vessels	3	85	6	317	9	402
Vessels registered *de novo*	1	98	1	41	2	139
Vessels transferred from other Ports	4	217	5	625	9	842
Vessels purchased from Foreigners	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Vessels added	8	400	12	983	20	1383
DETAIL OF VESSELS STRUCK OFF—						
Vessels wrecked or otherwise lost	2	513	1	14	3	527
Vessels sold to foreigners	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vessels transferred to other Ports	3	102	2	257	5	359
Vessels registered *de novo*	2	161	..	..	2	161
Other Vessels	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Vessels struck off	7	776	3	271	10	1047

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

STATEMENT of Working Expenditure and Revenue for the Year ended 30th June, 1906, *as compared with the year ended 30th, June*, 1905.

	1905–6.	1904–5.
Miles worked	469·75	469·75
Train miles	945,918	945,852

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Expenditure.	Year ended 30th June, 1906.	Year ended 30th June, 1905.	Revenue.	Year ended 30th June, 1906.	Year ended 30th June, 1905.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Maintenance of Way, Works, and Buildings	53,185 15 11	54,237 16 4	By Passengers	98,292 5 9	95,334 11 11
Locomotive Power, Carriage and Waggon Repairs and Renewals	65,775 5 0	63,372 12 6	Parcels, Horses, Carriages, &c.	12,090 18 6	11,857 1 10
Traffic Expenses	44,447 11 10	43,674 1 0	Goods	80,230 17 2	82,596 16 1
Compensation, Personal	..	1110 10 6	Minerals	24,185 3 4	26,623 11 6
General Charges	8769 2 2	8652 17 5	Live Stock	6626 4 3	7717 9 8
Gratuities to Widows and Children of employees, and payments to Staff retired	422 19 3	582 10 4	Mails, Rents, and Miscellaneous	19,852 12 10	19,426 11 2
	172,600 14 2	171,630 8 1			
Balance — Net Revenue after paying Working Expenses	68,587 7 8	71,925 14 1			
GRAND TOTAL	241,188 1 10	243,556 2 2	GRAND TOTAL	241,188 1 10	243,556 2 2

W. H. LOVETT, *Chief Accountant.*

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

RECEIPTS, Traffic, Working Expenses, &c.—Decennial Return.

TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Year.	Miles open.	Cost of Construction and Equipment of Open Lines. Amount.	Per mile.	Total Train Miles.	Locomotives.	Goods and Passenger Traffic. Tons.	Passengers.	Receipts. Passengers.	Parcels, &c.	Goods and Live Stock.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Receipts per Train Mile.	Working Days.
		£	£		No.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
1896....	419¾	3,524,051	8395	739,828	61	229,707	542.825	59,771 8 3	5673 0 1	80,107 4 3	17,380 12 4	162,932 4 11	4 4·8	314
1897....	424¾	3,526,322	8302	764,938	64	229,620	603,530	62,446 17 5	6257 7 0	80,683 19 0	17,445 9 10	166,833 13 3	4 4·3	313
1898....	437¾	3,585,039	8189	761,309	66	235,096	617,643	68,316 10 7	6956 6 3	86,663 14 6	16,243 8 11	178,180 0 3	4 8·1	313
1899....	437¾	3,604,222	8233	806,089	67	312,446	640,587	73,147 4 5	7813 8 7	99,847 10 10	12,350 3 11	193,158 7 9	4 9·5	312
1900....	438¾	3,659,069	8339	815,903	68	308,453	683,015	76,184 0 3	8559 14 10	103,344 5 7	14,870 12 10	202,958 13 6	4 11·7	313
1901....	457½	3,799,098	8304	895,682	71	314,628	777,445	78,327 10 3	9984 12 2	98,713 6 4	18,765 2 8	205,790 11 5	4 7·1	313
1902....	461¾	3,840,747	8317	902,918	75	407,505	761,345	88,540 16 4	10,574 2 4	116,061 4 4	18,034 7 9	233,210 10 9	5 1·9	315
1903..	461¾	3,883,729	8411	931,716	75	418,701	814,483	93,969 4 4	11,419 13 2	121,129 6 5	21,164 18 5	247,683 2 4	5 3·8	313
Half-yr. ended 30-6-04	461¾	3,901,414	8449	481,730	76	215,751	465,695	52,647 18 5	6383 2 0	63,907 18 3	9914 12 9	132,853 11 5	5 6·1	156
1904-5 .	462½	3,920,508	8476	945,852	76	377,010	823,911*	95,334 11 11	11,857 1 10	116,937 17 3	19,426 11 2	243,556 2 2	5 1·7	313
1905 6..	462½	3,926,713	8490	945,918	76	399,487	860,519*	98,202 5 9	12,090 18 6	111,042 4 9	19,852 12 10	241,188 1 10	5 1·1	313

* Includes members of Defence Force and State school children not previously shown.

WORKING EXPENSES.

Year.	Miles worked.	Maintenance. Amount.	Per Mile worked.	Per Train Mile.	Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Charges. Amount.	Per Mile worked.	Per Train Mile.	Traffic Charges. Amount.	Per Mile worked.	Per Train Mile.	General Charges, Mails, &c. Amount.	Per Mile worked.	Per Train Mile.	Total Working Charges. Amount.	Per Mile worked.	Per Train Mile.	Working Days.
		£ s. d.	£	s. d.	£ s. d.	£	s. d.	£ s. d.	£	s. d.	£ s. d.	£	s. d.	£ s. d.	£	s. d.	
96....	427¼	46,812 14 4	109·6	1 3·2	38,326 4 7	89·7	1 0·4	30,908 14 2	72·3	0 10·0	6123 1 10	14·3	0 2·0	122,170 14 11	285·9	3 3·6	314
97....	432¼	48,561 3 4	112·4	1 3·2	40.682 12 9	94·1	1 0·8	32,988 16 3	76·3	0 10·3	6311 3 5	14·5	0 2·0	128,543 15 9	297·3	3 4·3	313
98....	445½	54,927 4 8	123·3	1 5·3	45,179 16 0	101·5	1 2·2	33,764 8 7	75·8	0 10·7	7307 7 8	16·4	0 2·3	141,178 16 11	317·0	3 8·5	313
99....	445¼	56,237 19 2	126·3	1 4·7	51,662 0 0	116·0	1 3·4	37,369 18 11	83·9	0 11·1	7528 4 10	16·9	0 2·2	152,798 2 11	343·1	3 9·4	312
00....	445½	58,862 4 0	132·1	1 5·3	53,865 8 9	120·9	1 3·8	39,299 8 10	88·2	0 11·6	8459 19 8	19·0	0 2·5	160,487 1 3	360·2	3 11·2	313
01....	459½	59,896 13 10	130·3	1 4·1	63,579 16 4	138·4	1 5·0	41,137 11 9	89·5	0 11·0	8785 10 6	19·1	0 2·3	173,399 12 5	377·3	3 10·4	313
02....	468	58,611 18 6	125·2	1 3·6	63,791 10 2	136·3	1 4·9	42,416 5 7	90·6	0 11·2	8472 10 10	18·1	0 2·2	173,292 5 1	370·2	3 10·0	313
03....	469	51,957 9 7	110·8	1 1·4	62,376 1 4	133·0	1 4·0	42,819 18 9	91·3	0 11·0	9201 16 5	19·6	0 2·4	166,355 6 1	354·7	3 6·8	313
alf-yr. nded 0-6-04	469	23,307 9 4	..	0 11·6	33,285 0 10	..	1 4·6	21,908 6 0	..	0 10·9	4351 13 8	..	0 2·1	82,852 9 10	..	3 5·2	156
04-5..	469¾	54,517 8 4	116·0	1 1·9	63 541 16 9	135·3	1 4·1	43,807 15 1	93·2	0 11·1	{ 1110 10 6 (A) / 8652 17 5 (B)	02·4 / 18·4	0 0·2 / 0 2·2	171,630 8 1	365·3	3 7·5	313
05-6..	469¾	53,416 3 8	113·7	1 1·5	65,830 18 2	140·1	1 4·7	44,584 10 2	94·9	0 11·3	8769 2 2	18·7	0 2·2	172,600 14 2	367·4	3 7·7	313

(A) Compensation. (B) General charges.

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

SUMMARY of Railway Statistics 1901 *to* 1905-6.

		1901.	1902.	1903.	Half-yr. ended 30 June, 1904.	1904-5.	1905-6.
Miles open on 31st December	No.	457½	461¾	461¾	461¾*	462½*	462½*
Total cost of construction and equipment of Lines open	£	3,799,098	3,840,747	3,883,729	3,901,414	3,920,508	3,926,713
Ditto ditto per mile	£	8304	8317	8411	8449	8476	8490
Gross earnings	£	205,791	233,211	247,683	132,853	243,556	241,188
Working expenses	£	173,400	173,292	166,355	82,852	171,630	172,601
Profit on working	£	32,391	59,918	81,328	50,001	71,926	68,587
Proportion of working expenses to gross earnings	Per cent.	84·26	74·30	67·16	62·36	70·46	71·56
Profit on working per £100 capital expenditure	,,	0·85	1·56	2·09	†2·56	1·83	1·74
Passenger journeys	No.	777,445	761,345	814,483	465,695	‡823,911	‡860,519
Average distance travelled per passenger	Miles.	25·16	25·60	23·78	...	25·16	25·23
Average rate per passenger	*s. d.*	2 0·18	2 3·91	2 3·69	2 3·13	2 3·77	2 3·38
Ditto per passenger per mile	Pence.	0·96	1·09	1·16	...	1·10	1·08
Goods tonnage	No.	314,628	407,505	418,701	215,751	377,010	399,487
Average distance carried per ton	Miles.	40·93	35·30	34·86	...	37·58	25·46
Average rate per ton	*s. d.*	5 10·96	5 4·35	5 9·43	5 6·46	5 9·62	3 10·84
Ditto per ton per mile	Pence.	1·73	1·82	2·10	...	1·77	1·83
Train mileage	No.	895,682	902,918	931,716	481,730	945,852	945,918
Average ditto per mile worked	No.	1949	1929	1986	1043	2013	2013
Engine mileage	No.	1,219,685	1,089,740	1,122,666	578,174	1,138,415	1,142,537
Gross earnings per train mile	*s. d.*	4 7·14	5 1·98	5 3·80	5 6·18	5 1·79	5 1·19
Ditto per mile worked	£	447·85	498·31	528·11	..	518·48	513·43
Working expenses per train mile	*s. d.*	3 10·46	3 10·06	3 6·85	3 5·27	3 7·54	3 7·79
Ditto per mile worked	£	377·36	370·28	354·70	...	365·36	367·43
Locomotives	No.	71	75	75	...	76	76
Other vehicles	No.	1408	1446	1508	...	1557	1566

* On 30th June. † Per annum. ‡ Includes journeys by members of Defence Force, State School children, &c., not included in former years.

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

RETURN showing approximately the Proportion of Receipts, Working Expenses, &c., on each Line during the Year 1905-6.

	Main Line.	Derwent Valley.	Apsley.	Parattah and Oatlands.	Fingal.	Western.	Chudleigh.	Scottsdale.	Sorell.	Zeehan.	2-Feet Tramways.		Total.
											N.E. Dundas.	Comstock.	
Receipts—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	42,870 4 10	3286 14 11	1408 8 10	134 19 9	3076 2 3	35,341 4 5	365 6 4	7039 2 2	1419 14 8	2910 8 1	349 19 6	—	98,202 5 9
Parcels	2620 14 8	270 4 1	104 11 2	8 14 9	230 18 1	2722 1 0	20 1 2	390 14 3	145 4 11	135 12 11	15 14 7	—	6664 11 7
Horses, Carriages, and Dogs	1451 15 6	81 18 6	42 1 0	7 9 11	76 12 1	1232 1 11	16 10 7	170 1 4	13 13 11	86 8 1	0 10 9	—	3179 3 7
Excess Luggage	1010 11 11	29 1 0	22 2 8	2 5 7	84 13 10	885 17 11	8 12 10	149 18 5	28 4 11	25 14 3	—	—	2247 3 4
Goods	25,053 18 2	2534 17 9	1807 8 6	108 16 0	2331 14 2	25,560 12 4	380 6 4	9840 14 7	757 3 2	10,784 14 7	690 11 0	380 0 7	80,230 17 2
Minerals	8271 16 2	133 0 6	37 11 2	3 6 2	6365 19 7	2787 1 0	12 10 11	1197 17 9	2 8 6	4638 8 10	596 8 3	138 14 6	24,185 3 4
Live Stock	2692 7 11	261 7 3	217 4 9	6 9 10	192 4 4	2408 15 7	19 14 7	586 6 9	63 13 3	178 0 0	—	—	6626 4 3
Sundries	8586 9 11	542 5 3	386 5 3	0 1 0	981 15 4	5015 3 4	181 0 0	1170 3 1	237 16 3	2669 3 5	82 10 0	—	19,852 12 10
Total	92,557 19 1	7139 9 3	4025 13 4	272 3 0	13,339 19 8	75,952 17 6	1004 2 9	20,544 18 4	2667 19 7	21,428 10 2	1735 14 1	518 15 1	241,188 1 10
Working Expenses—													
Maintenance	18,311 5 4	2219 11 5	2324 11 0	260 10 0	4373 15 0	14,253 6 6	762 10 10	4565 11 5	1341 16 0	3766 9 8	1071 3 1	165 13 5	53,416 3 8
Locomotive, Carriage, and Wagon Charges	23,129 17 7	2684 6 4	2553 13 2	254 15 10	2993 2 8	19,311 16 10	596 7 1	4423 12 8	1073 8 3	6972 16 5	1479 18 6	357 2 10	65,830 18 2
Traffic	17,966 13 4	1605 9 9	976 5 5	81 18 6	1475 4 11	13,592 2 8	206 13 8	2843 16 9	757 12 7	4898 16 9	113 19 7	65 16 3	44,584 10 2
General Charges	3319 1 0	374 10 10	313 1 0	28 1 2	475 5 7	2775 8 4	78 0 10	613 16 7	178 0 3	510 6 1	89 9 11	14 0 7	8769 2 2
Total	62,726 17 3	6883 18 4	6167 10 7	625 5 6	9317 8 2	49,932 14 4	1643 12 5	12,446 17 5	3350 17 1	16,148 8 11	2754 11 1	602 13 1	172,600 14 2
Profit on Working	29,831 1 10	255 10 11	—	—	4022 11 6	26,020 3 2	—	8098 0 11	—	5280 1 3	—	—	68,587 7 8
Loss on Working	—	—	2141 17 3	353 2 6	—	—	639 9 8	—	682 17 6	—	1018 17 0	83 18 0	—
Miscellaneous Particulars—													
Miles open on 30th June, 1906	122·75	24·25	26	4·50	46·75	111·50	12·50	47	14·50	29·50	19	4·25	462·50
Average Miles worked per year	122·75	24·25	26	4·50	46·75	111·50	12·50	47	14·50	36·75	19	4·25	469·75
Train Miles run	358,006	40,390	33,799	3086	51,242	299,357	8401	66,274	19,235	57,353	7256	1519	945,918
Passenger Journeys ..... No.	433,325	66,487	19,753	5376	23,663	311,470	6450	57,937	20,641	40,750	3555	—	860,519
Goods and Minerals ..... Tons	121,246	16,323	9082	1851	50,921	148,451	4043	32,402	4152	132,190	7962	6012	399,487
Receipts per Mile worked ..... £	754·03	294·39	154·84	60·44	285·34	681·19	80·32	437·12	184·00	583·10	91·36	122·11	513·43
Ditto per Train Mile ..... *s. d.*	5 2·04	3 6·42	2 4·58	1 9·16	5 2·47	5 0·89	2 4·68	6 2·39	2 9·28	7 5·66	4 9·41	6 9·96	5 1·19
Cost per Mile worked ..... £	511·01	283·88	237·23	138·88	199·29	447·83	131·52	264·83	231·10	439·40	145·00	141·88	367·43
Ditto per Train Mile ..... *s. d.*	3 6·05	3 4·90	3 7·79	4 0·62	3 7·63	3 4·03	3 10·95	3 9·07	3 5·80	5 7·57	7 7·11	7 11·21	3 7·79
Percentage of Working Expenses to Gross Earnings	67·77	96·42	153·20	229·77	69·84	65·74	163·74	60·58	125·59	75·35	158·69	116·18	71·56
Cost of Construction and Equipment £	1,288,644	227,278	168,853	14,177	218,219	1,004.344	72,368	421,299	137,270	283,645	76,229	14,387	3,926,713
Ditto per Mile open ..... £	10,498	9372	6494	3150	4667	9007	5788	8963	9467	9615	4012	3385	8490
Profit on Working per £100 Capital Expenditure ..... per cent.	2·31	0·11	—	—	1·84	2·59	—	1·92	—	1·86	—	—	1·74
Equivalent in through Trains per day	9·32	5·35	4·15	2·19	3·50	8·31	2·15	4·50	4·23	4·98	2·31	1·14	6·50
Ditto per £1000 Receipts per Mile worked	1	18·07	26·86	36·24	12·26	12·8	26·76	10·29	22·99	5·54	25·28	9·83	12.67

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

RETURN of Rolling Stock, &c., on all Lines on the 30th June, 1906.

ROLLING STOCK.

| | Locomotives. | | | | | | | | | Carriages. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Cars and Vans combined. | | | | | | Brake Vans. | | Wagons. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

FURTHER ANALYSIS of Stores issued, 1905–6.

	£	s.	d.
Fuel—Native Coal, 17,043 tons; Newcastle Coal, 4060 tons; coke, 248 loads; charcoal, 1¾ tons; firewood, 2800 tons	17,719	10	4
Oils—Axle, 4912 galls.; bearing, 1528 galls.; castor, 2812 galls.; colza, 2869 galls.; cylinder, 1378 galls.; kerosene, 8925 galls.; linseed, 632 galls.; red, 268 galls.; sundry, 85 galls	1782	10	11
Tallow, &c.—Tallow, 21½ cwt.; grease, 1¼ cwt.	26	17	8
Packing, &c.—Square and round, 275 lbs.; asbestos, 126 lbs.; hemp, 2 lbs.; sheet rubber, 31 lbs.; insertion, 228 lbs.; cotton waste, 11¾ tons	513	7	0
Paints and Varnish	551	16	11
Stationery, &c.	1841	1	2
Timber	6974	9	7
Iron	4825	17	6
Tools	582	18	3
Telegraph Material	126	14	3
Sundries	5152	19	2
TOTAL	£40,098	2	9

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

ANALYSIS of Working Expenses, 1905–6.

	Salaries and Wages.			*Stores and Renewals.*			*Sundries.*			TOTAL.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Maintenance of Way, Works, and Buildings	42,403	15	5	9917	2	2	1095	6	1	53,416	3	8
Locomotive Power, Carriage and Wagon Repairs, and Renewals	40,150	12	5	25,320	12	2	359	13	7	65,830	18	2
Traffic Expenses	36,855	5	5	4537	9	4	3191	15	5	44,584	10	2
General Charges	8139	14	2	322	19	1	306	8	11	8769	2	2
TOTALS £	127,549	7	5	40,098	2	9	4953	4	0	172,600	14	2

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS, 1905–6.

ABSTRACT showing (A) the Financial Aspect in relation to the *State Treasury* as the result of working the various Branch and Trunk Lines belonging to the State; also showing, approximately, (B) the advantages to the State from an economic point of view due to the Value of Time and Money saved by the cheaper and quicker mode of transit by Railways.

ABSOLUTE.

Line.	Cost of Construction and Equipment.	Gross Receipts.	Working Expenses.	Net.		Share of Interest.	Net Burden or Gain to General Revenue.		(B) Estimated Yearly Value of Time and Money saved to the State by the cheaper and quicker mode of transit.
				Profit on Working.	Loss on Working.		(A) Burden.	(A) Gain.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Main Line	1,288,644	92,558	62,727	29,831	...	46,843	17,012	...	185,116
Derwent Valley	227,278	7139	6884	255	...	8262	8007	...	14,278
Apsley	168,853	4026	6168	...	2142	6138	8280	...	8052
Parattah and Oatlands	14,177	272	625	...	353	515	868	...	544
Fingal	218,219	13,340	9317	4023	...	7932	3909	...	26,680
Western	1,004,344	75,953	49,933	26,020	...	36,509	10,489	...	151,906
Chudleigh	72,368	1004	1644	...	640	2631	3271	...	2008
Scottsdale	421,299	20,545	12,447	8098	...	15,315	7217	...	41,090
Sorell	137,270	2668	3351	...	683	4990	5673	...	5336
Zeehan	283,645	21,428	16,148	5280	...	10,311	5031	...	42,856
N.E. Dundas	76,229	1736	2755	...	1019	2771	3790	...	3472
Comstock	14,387	519	603	...	84	523	607	...	1038
ALL LINES	3,926,713	241,188	172,601	68,587	...	142,740	74,153	...	482,376

RELATIVE.

	Miles open.	Cost per mile.	Percentage in relation to Capital Expended on Construction and Equipment.							Present Capital Value of (B).
	No.	£						(A)	(A)	£ (B)
Main Line	122·75	10,498	7·18	4·87	2·31	...	3·63	1·32	...	5,289,029
Derwent Valley	24·25	9372	3·14	3·03	0·11	...	3·63	3·52	...	407,943
Apsley	26	6494	2·38	3·65	...	1·27	3·63	4·90	...	230,057
Parattah and Oatlands	4·5	3150	1·92	4·41	...	2·49	3·63	6·12	...	15,543
Fingal	46·75	4667	6·11	4·27	1·84	...	3·63	1·79	...	76,2285
Western	111·5	9007	7·56	4·97	2·59	...	3·63	1·04	...	4,340,171
Chudleigh	12·5	5788	1·39	2·27	...	0·88	3·63	4·51	...	57,371
Scottsdale	47	8963	4·88	2·95	1·83	...	3·63	1·80	...	1,174,000
Sorell	14·5	9467	1·94	3·44	...	0·50	3·63	4·13	...	152,457
Zeehan	36·75	9615	7·55	5·69	1·86	...	3·63	1·77	...	1,224,457
N.E. Dundas	19	4012	2·28	3·61	...	1·33	3·63	4·96	...	99,200
Comstock	4·25	3385	3·61	4·19	...	0·58	3·63	4·21	...	29,657
ALL LINES	469·75	8490	6·14	4·40	1·74	...	3·63	1·89	...	13,782,171

EQUIVALENT PRESENT CAPITAL VALUE (ALL LINES) UNDER EACH HEAD.

Year 1905-6 (Relative)	£ 3,926,713	£ 6,891,086	£ 4,931,457	£ 1,959,629	...	£ 4,078,286	£ 2,118,657	...	£ 13,782,171
Existing Interest Burden, reckoned as 100	96	169	121	48	...	100	52	...	338

R. M. JOHNSTON, Government Statistician.

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of Working Expenses of various State Railways per Mile worked, per Train Mile, and Percentage to Revenue; also Train Miles run per Mile worked.

State.	Year.	Maintenance.			Locomotive Carriage and Wagon Charges.		Traffic.		General Charges.		Compensation and Sundries.		TOTAL.			Train Miles run per Mile worked.
		Per Mile worked.	Per Train Mile.	Percentage to Revenue.	Per Train Mile.	Percentage to Revenue.	Per Train Mile.	Percentage to Revenue.	Per Train Mile.	Percentage to Revenue.	Per Train Mile.	Percentage to Revenue.	Per Mile worked.	Per Train Mile.	Percentage to Revenue.	
		£		%	*d.*	%	*d.*	%	*d.*	%	*d.*	%	£	*d.*	%	
New South Wales.	1905-1906	160·30	10·92	12·74	21·38	24·96	12·77	14·91	1·33	1·55	0·30	0·35	685·70	46·70	54·51	3524
Victoria.....	1904-1905	148·00	13·35	14·01	20·30	21·30	14·96	15·70	1·16	1·22	—	—	553·00	49·77	52·23	2666
South Australia...	1905-1906	117·00	12·60	15·08	23·91	28·60	9·75	11·67	0·96	1·14	0·12	0·14	438·00	47·34	56·63	2219
Queensland	1905-1906	92·67	13·09	18·63	15·33	21·82	9·92	14·12	0·89	1·27	—	—	277·69	39·23	55·84	1698
Tasmania	1905-1906	113·70	13·50	22·15	16·70	27·30	11·30	18·48	2·20	3·63	—	—	367·40	43·7	71·56	2013

EMU BAY RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

RECEIPTS FOR YEAR 1905.

	Amount.	*Per Train Mile.*	*Per Mile Open.*	*Per Unit.*
	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
Passengers, 33,270	11,770 2 0	2 0·986	114 5 5·48	7 0·90
Parcels, H. C. & D.	1081 2 4	0 2·295	10 9 11·11	...
Goods and Minerals, 70,790·55 tons	33,818 9 11	5 11·790	328 6 8·38	9 6·65
Live Stock	1970 2 6	0 4·182	19 2 6·58	...
Mails, Rents, &c.	2189 8 7	0 4·647	21 5 1·58	...
TOTAL	£50,829 5 4	8 11·90	493 9 9·13	...

EXPENDITURE.

	Amount.	*Per Train Mile.*	*Per Mile Open.*	*Per cent. to Revenue.*
	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	
Way, Works, and Stations	8097 10 7	1 5·188	78 12 4·029	15·93
Locomotives and Rolling Stock	6930 4 11	1 2·711	67 5 8·145	13·64
Traffic Expenses	3015 14 5	0 6·402	29 5 6·922	5·93
General Charges	1730 2 0	0 3·673	16 15 11·300	3·40
Rates and Taxes	552 17 11	0 1·174	5 7 4·300	1·09
TOTAL	£20,326 9 10	3 7·148	197 6 10·696	39·99

ARTHUR C. KENT, *Resident Secretary.*

EMU BAY RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

COST of Railway Equipment and List of Rolling Stock, 1905.

Construction and Equipment.						*Rolling Stock.*												
	Cost.																	
Miles open.	Amount			Per Mile open.			Locomotives.	Composite Carriages.	Covered Vans.	Meat Vans.	Cattle Trucks.	Sheep Trucks.	Horse-Box.	Low-side Wagons.	Low-side Bogie Wagons.	Hopper Wagons.	Timber Wagons.	Ballast Plough.	Brake Vans.
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.													
103½*	587,123	18	1	5700	8	4	7	5	11	2	6	2	1	10	40	11	12	1	4

* Including 5½ miles of the Zeehan and Dundas line, owned by the Company, but worked by the Government.

ARTHUR C. KENT, *Resident Secretary.*

EMU BAY RAILWAY.

SUMMARY of Railway Statistics for Five Years ending 31st December, 1905.

Particulars.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Miles open ..... No.	98	103½	103½	103½	103½
Miles worked ... . No.	98	98	98	98	98
Total cost of construction and equipment ..... £	559,850	560,262†	560,458†	565,635	587,124
Ditto, per mile ..... £	5712·75	5716·96	5718·96	5571·79	5700·23
Passengers carried ..... No.	19,924	19,253	19,455	20,945	33,270
Average fare per passenger..... *s. d.*	13*s.* 0·51*d.*	11*s.* 0·33*d.*	10*s.* 2·37*d.*	9*s.* 8·28*d.*	7*s.* 0·90*d.*
Goods and minerals conveyed..... tons	21,796	35,835	27,514	32,183	70,790
Average rate per ton ..... *s. d.*	17*s.* 8·37*d.*	13*s.* 11·85*d.*	18*s.* 7·16*d.*	14*s.* 10·43*d.*	9*s.* 6·65*d.*
Train miles run ..... No.	109,925	101,644	94,953	99,219	113,058
Average mileage per mile worked ..... No.	1122	1037	969	1012·4	1053·65
Engine miles run ..... No.	113,882	107,220	99,121	103,751	117,671
Gross receipts..... £	37,381 13 8	40,192 16 0	37,526 11 5	39,024 1 8	50,829 5 4
Working expenses..... £	21,501 17 3	21,565 9 9	19,438 19 8	20,828 16 5	20,326 9 10
Profit on working ..... £	15,879 16 5	18,627 6 3	18,087 11 9	18,195 5 3	30,502 15 6
Ditto per £100 capital expenditure ..... £	2·84	3·33	3·23	3·22	5·19
Gross receipts per train mile .... *s. d.*	6*s.* 9·62*d.*	7*s.* 10·90*d.*	7*s.* 10·85*d.*	7*s.* 10·39*d.*	8*s.* 11·90*d.*
Ditto mile worked..... £	381·44	410·13	382·92	398·20	518·67
Working expenses per train mile .... *s. d.*	3*s.* 10·94*d.*	4*s.* 2·92*d.*	4*s.* 1·13*d.*	4*s.* 2·38*d.*	3*s.* 7·12*d.*
Ditto mile worked..... £	219·40	220·05	198·36	212·54	207·40
Locomotives ..... No.	8	8	8	8	7
Number of carriages, wagons, &c..... No.	107	98	89	113	105

* In respect of 80 miles only. † Does not include the cost of the Zeehan to Dundas Line purchased by the Emu Bay Railway Company for £22,818. The Zeehan and Dundas Line is worked by the Government Railway Department.

ARTHUR C. KENT, *Resident Secretary.*

MOUNT LYELL MINING AND RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

Statistics of the Mount Lyell Railway (Regatta Point—Queenstown) for the Year ended 30th September, 1905.

RECEIPTS.

	Amounts.	Per Train Mile (36,488).	Per Mile open.	Per Unit.
	£ *s. d.*	*s. d.*	£ *s. d.*	*s. d.*
Passengers (25,501)	3475 7 1	1 10·85	157 19 5	2 8·71
Rents and Mails	739 15 0	0 4·87	33 12 6	...
Goods, Minerals, and Parcels (50,018 tons)	21,167 5 3	11 7·23	962 2 11	8 5·56
TOTAL	25,382 7 4	13 10·95	1153 14 10	...

EXPENDITURE.

	Amounts.	Per Train Mile (36,488).	Per Mile open.	Per cent. to Revenue.
	£ *s. d.*	*s. d.*	£ *s. d.*	
Maintenance of Ways, Works, and Stations ...	4911 10 3	2 8·32	223 5 0	...
Locomotives, Carriages, and Wagons	5066 4 10	2 9·32	230 5 8	...
Traffic Expenses	5156 4 0	2 9·89	234 7 6	...
General Charges	102 18 5	0 0·69	4 13 7	...
TOTAL	15,236 17 6	8 4·22	692 11 9	60·03

COST OF RAILWAY AND EQUIPMENT OF ROLLING STOCK.

Construction and Equipment.			Rolling Stock.					
iles open.	Cost.	Cost per Mile.	Loco-motives.	Carriages.	Goods, Wagons, and Vans.	Construction Wagons.	Steel Hopper Wagons.	Brake Vans.
22	£ 216,086	£ 9822	7	8	82	13	23	3

E. CARUS DRIFFIELD, *Superintending Engineer.*

MOUNT LYELL COMPANY'S RAILWAY.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

		1901.	1902.	1903.*	1904.	1905.
Miles open	No.	22	22	22	22	22
Miles worked	No.	22	22	22	22	22
Total cost of construction and equipment	£	225,454	219,564	216,086	216,086	216,086
Ditto, per mile open	£	10,248	9980	9822	9822	9852
Passengers carried	No.	50,939	35,871	24,911	29,736	25,501
Average fare per passenger	s. d.	2 9·08	2 8·88	3 0·66	2 8·92	2 8·71
Goods and minerals carried	tons	149,491	134,585	70,723	89,837	50,018
Average rate per ton	s. d.	4 10·01	3 10·61	5 2·40	6 3·00	8 5·56
Train miles run	No.	77·036	58,943	34,111	48,741	36,488
Average mileage per mile open	No.	3501	2679	1550	2216	1658
Engine miles run	No.	101,114	76,765	43,640	59,407	45,991
Gross receipts	£	43,504 5 5	31,316 1 10	22,259 4 10	32,901 6 4	25,382 7 4
Working expenses	£	29,579 18 11	25,080 9 7	14,242 18 7	18,224 14 3	15,236 17 6
Profit on working	£	13,924 6 6	6235 12 3	8016 6 3	14,676 12 1	10,145 9 10
Profit per £100 capital expenditure	£	6·17	2·84	3·71	5·96	4·69
Gross receipts per train mile	s. d.	11 3·52	10 7·50	13 0·60	13 6·01	13 10·95
Ditto mile worked	£	1977	1423	1012	1469	1154
Working expenses per train mile	s. d.	7 8·15	8 6·11	8 4·20	7 5·73	8 4·22
Ditto mile worked	£	1344	1140	647	628	693
Locomotives	No.	9	8	7	6	7
Carriages, wagons, &c.	No.	131	133	132	133	129

* Owing to the amalgamation of the Mount Lyell Company with the North Mount Lyell Company, these figures are for 10 months only—from 1st October, 1902, to 10th August, 1903.

E. CARUS DRIFFIELD, *Superintending Engineer.*

MOUNT LYELL MINING AND RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

STATISTICS of the North Mount Lyell Railway (Kelly Basin-Linda) for the year from 1st October, 1904, *to 30th September*, 1905.

RECEIPTS.

	Amounts.	Per Train Mile (8576).	Per Mile open	Per Unit.
	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.
Passengers, 3910	314 11 1	0 8·81	10 9 9	1 7·31
Rents and Mails	101 8 6	0 2·84	3 7 8	...
Goods, Minerals, and Parcels, 8562 tons	2660 3 0	6 2·44	88 13 4	6 2·56
	3076 2 7	7 2·09	102 10 9	...

EXPENDITURE.

	Amounts.	Per Train Mile. (8576).	Per Mile open.	Per Cent. to Revenue.
	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	
Maintenance of Ways, Works, and Stations	1746 9 5	4 0·87	58 4 4	
Locomotives, Carriages, and Wagons	1194 1 11	2 9·41	39 16 0	
Traffic Expenses	956 13 11	2 2·77	31 17 9	
	3897 5 3	9 1·05	129 18 1	126·6

COST OF RAILWAY AND EQUIPMENT AND LIST OF ROLLING STOCK.

Construction and Equipment.			Rolling Stock.					
Miles open.	Cost.	Cost per Mile.	Locomotives.	Carriages.	Goods Wagons and Vans.	Construction Wagons.	Steel Hopper Wagons.	Brake Vans.
	£	£						
30	316,638	10,554	7	3	26	5	67	5

NORTH MOUNT LYELL RAILWAY.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

		1904.	1905.
Miles open and worked	No.	30	30
Cost of Construction and Equipment	£	316,638	316,638 0 0
Ditto, per mile	£	10,554	10,554 0 0
Passengers carried	No.	3763	3910
Average fare per passenger	*s. d.*	1 11·4	1 7·31
Goods and minerals carried	tons	5903	8562
Average rate per ton	*s. d.*	7 1·9	6 2·56
Train miles run	No.	8818	8576
Average mileage per mile open	No.	293	286
Engine miles run	No.	...	16,751
Gross receipts	£	2614 12 11	3076 2 7
Working expenses	£	4338 11 10	3897 5 3
Profit on working	£	*Nil.*	*Nil.*
Loss on working	£	1723 18 11	821 2 8
Gross receipts per train mile	*s. d.*	5 11·18	7 2·09
Ditto, mile worked	£	87 3 1	102 10 9
Working expenses per train mile	*s. d.*	9 10·08	9 1·05
Ditto, per mile worked	£	144 12 5	129 18 2
Locomotives	No.	7	7
Carriages and wagons	No.	107	106

ALL TASMANIAN RAILWAYS.

STATISTICAL Summary, Five-yearly period, 1901–1905-6.

		1901.	1902.	1903.§	1904-5.	1905-6.
Miles open on 31st December	No.	618	620¼	620¼	618	618
Miles worked, average per year	No.	612½	621†	622†	619¾	619¾
Total cost of construction and equipment	£	4,961,290	4,964,681	5,004,413	5,041,717	5,046,562
Ditto per mile	£	8100·06	8004·32	8068·37	8158·12	8165·95
Passenger journeys	No.	860,885	833,347	858,849	858,441	923,200
Ditto per 1000 train miles	No.	770	751	810	778	836
Ditto per mile worked	No.	1410	1346	1458	1385	1489
Average fare per passenger	*s. d.*	2 8·16	2 6·60	2 6·09	2 6·78	2 5·54
Goods and minerals tonnage	No.	524,101	667,550	516,938	504,933	528,857
Ditto per 1000 train miles	No.	467	602	487	458	479
Ditto per mile worked	No.	855	1078	878	814	853
Average rate per ton	*s. d.*	6 6·58	5 5·46	5 11·89	5 6·12	6 1·33
Gross receipts	£	299,600	321,735	307,469	318,096	320,475
Working expenses	£	234,965	232,206	200,037	215,023	42,061
Profit on working	£	64,635	89,529	107,432	103,073	108,414
Ditto per £100 capital expenditure	£	1·30	1·80	2·29	2·04	2·14
Loss on working	£	—	—	—	—	—
Proportion of working expenses to £100 gross earnings		78·42	72·17	65·06	67·59	66·16
Train miles run	No.	1,121,191	1,109,049	1,060,780	1,102,630	1,104,040
Average mileage per mile worked	No.	1830	1785·91	1705·43	1779·00	1787·51
Receipts per train mile	*s. d.*	5 4·11	5 9·64	5 9·56	5 9·28	5 9·67
Ditto per mile worked	£	489·14	518·08	522·02	513·20	518·60
Working expenses per train mile	*s. d.*	4 2·29	4 2·26	3 9·26	3 10·80	3 10·10
Ditto per mile worked	£	383·61	373·92	339·62	346·95	343·20
Locomotives	No.	91	97	90	97	97
Carriages, wagons, &c.	No.	1747	1782	1729	1910	1906

* Does not include cost of construction of 45¾ miles open for a short time only in 1900, and in respect of which no particulars of working are given. ‡ The Zeehan to Dundas Line, constructed at a cost of £60,250, having been purchased by the Emu Bay Railway Company, for £22,850, the lesser amount only is included in the figures for this year. † A section of the Zeehan to Dundas Line—2 miles—is run over by the Government Trains and the Trains of Emu Bay Railway Company. § Owing to the amalgamation of the Mt. Lyell Company with the North Mt. Lyell Company, particulars of the working of the Railway of the latter Company are not available for this year. Particulars of the working of the Mt. Lyell Railway are for 10 months only.

ROBT. M. JOHNSTON, *Government Statistician.*

RETURN giving the Number of Persons employed, Salaries, Wages, Number of Accidents, on Railways and Tramways during 1905-6.

Railway or Tramway.	No. of Persons employed during Year.	Salaries and Wages paid.			Accidents.			
		Salaries.	Wages.	TOTAL.	Passengers.	Servants of Department.	Servants of Contractors.	Others.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.				
Tasmanian Gov. Railways	1217	25,120 7 11	102,428 19 6	127,549 7 5	7	28	...	3
Emu Bay Railway	106	2245 0 0	11,726 0 0	13,971 0 0	...	...	...	...
Mt. Lyell Railway	151	2150 0 0	18,560 0 0	20,710 0 0	...	...	...	...
Hobart Tramway	121	754 6 1	8512 3 6	9266 9 7	...	...	...	...
Zeehan Tramway	7	*150 0 0	845 9 5	995 9 5	...	1	...	...
TOTAL	1602	30,419 14 0	142,072 12 5	172,492 6 5	7	29	...	3

* Estimated.

TRAMWAYS.

	1902.		1903.		1904.		1905.	
	Hobart.	Zeehan.	Hobart.	Zeehan.	Hobart.	Zeehan.	Hobart.	Zeehan.
Motive power	Electricity	Steam	Electricity	Steam	Electricity	Steam	Electricity	Steam
Gauge	3 feet 6 inches	2 feet	3 feet 6 inches	2 feet	3 feet 6 inches	2 feet	3 feet 6 inches	2 feet
Miles open and worked	9	2¼	9	2¼	9	2¼	9	2¼
Cost of construction of Permanent-way and Rolling Stock.	£90,000	£5388	£90,000	5015	£90,000	£5000	£90,000	£5515
Receipts for year.....	£17,802	.. †	£18,327	†	£19,855	..†	£20,559	.. ‡
Working Expenses for year*	£12,900	.. †	£12,519	†	£10,906	..†	£11,260	.. †
Miles run	321,533	8451	332,986	8372	330,361	8990	332,135	9654
Hands employed, average number of.	90	6	91	7	94	7	111	7
Tram-cars, number of	20	2	21	4	23	4	24	4
Passengers carried ...	1,848,104	7302	1,962,617	6714	2,045,629	10,270	2,327,448	.. ‡

* This amount represents traffic expenses and relaying permanent way, but excludes debenture interest, &c. ‡ No record of passengers carried in 1905. No regular carriage. Holiday excursions alone being catered for.

MAINTENANCE OF ROADS, 1905.

	Main Road Boards.	Road Trusts.‡	TOTAL.
Mileage maintained.....	678	7007	7685
Expenditure, 1905..... £	7028	28,485	35,513
Expenditure per mile ..... £	10 7 3	4 1 4	4 12 5

* Only 3556 miles of this macadamized, the remainder formed only. † The Roads under Main Road Boards are for the most part macadamized. ‡ As some of the Road Trusts have failed to furnish returns, these figures are subject to revision when the complete returns are received.

ROBT. M. JOHNSTON, *Government Statistician.*

POST OFFICE.

POST OFFICES AND LETTER BOXES, 1905.

Post Offices	370
Receiving Offices	9
Travelling Offices	2
Letter Boxes	69
	450

POSTAL ROUTES AND DISTANCES TRAVELLED, 1905.

	Length of Postal Routes (Miles).	Distances Travelled (Miles).
Railways	610	734,398
Roads	1741	885,269
Water Carriage	885	172,913
Total	3236	1,792,580

LETTERS, LETTER CARDS, POST CARDS, PACKETS, NEWSPAPERS, AND PARCELS, 1905.

Posted.

Service.	Articles passing through the Post Office.					Parcels.			
	Letters and Post Cards.		Packets.*		Newspapers.	Number.	Weight.	Postage (State proportion only).	Declared Value.
	Ordinary.	Registered only.	Ordinary.	Registered only.					
							lbs.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Inland	7,218,807	156,143	2,089,852	17,349	6,310,208	33,760	81,388	993 0 8	—
Interstate	2,497,700	13,283	159,878	1475	330,750	5684	13,296	195 14 4	5608 16 2
International	830,740	5946	49,618	660	153,438	1323	4286	85 12 7	1782 13 6
Total	10,547,247	175,372	2,299,348	19,484	6,794,396	40,767	98,970	1274 7 7	7391 9 8

Received.

Interstate	1,456,363	25,078	578,076	2786	2,034,904	23,564	69,116	1007 18 10	145,929 8 10
International	399,372	12,539	128,118	1393	349,872	4881	11,108	368 1 9	7593 17 4
Total	1,855,735	37,617	706,194	4179	2,384,776	28,445	80,224	1376 0 7	153,523 6 2

* Including printed matter, commercial papers, and samples of merchandise.

DEAD LETTERS, &c., 1905.

	Letters and Post Cards.	Packets and Newspapers.	
		Packets.	
Inland.			
Returned, delivered, &c. { Registered	684		
Returned, delivered, &c. { Unregistered	26,223	400	
Destroyed in accordance with law	2352		
Interstate.			
Originally addressed to other States—			
Returned to writers	7870	1200	And Newspapers, 32,490.
Destroyed in accordance with law	706		
Returned to other States as unclaimed—			
Registered	75		
Unregistered	7299		
International.			
Originally addressed to other countries—			
Returned to writers { Registered	31		
Returned to writers { Unregistered	3000	23,370	
Destroyed in accordance with law	818		
Returned to other countries	7413		
Total number dealt with	56,471	24,970	32,490

Note.—Included in the above return were—Letters, &c., containing money, representing £220; letters, &c., containing other articles of value, to the number of 155; and letters, &c., irregularly posted 9000.

POST OFFICE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

RETURN showing the Number of Inland Letters, Packets, Post Cards, and Newspapers posted, also the Number of Ship Letters, Packets, and Newspapers received and despatched, together with the Revenue and Expenditure of the Post Office Department, during the Years 1896-1905.

	LETTERS.			PACKETS.			POST CARDS.	NEWSPAPERS.			REVENUE.[a]	EXPENDITURE.
	Inland, (including Town Letters.)	*Ship.* Received.	*Ship.* Despatched.	*Inland* (including Town Packets.)	*Ship.* Received.	*Ship.* Despatched.		*Inland* (including Town Newspapers.)	*Ship.* Received.	*Ship.* Despatched.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896	4,444,300	1,309,567	1,566,473	846,193	471,747	1,025,610	231,451	3,156,427	1,314,805	390,661	56,153 6 9	[b]
1897	4,605,542	1,436,261	1,864,703	883,993	367,878	1,026,211	257,878	3,238,958	1,415,717	441,117	57,957 7 10	[b]
1898	5,126,612	1,667,834	2,320,409	1,068,232	310,376	99,263	281,944	3,668,785	1,471,826	434,239	63,826 7 5	[b]
1899	5,535,325	1,513,154	2,699,576	1,145,471	555,431	110,442	288,558	3,933,185	1,904,120	455,713	70,054 14 2	[b]
1900	5,686,420	1,634,638	3,269,396	1,270,482	506,631	122,757	317,411	4,284,476	1,873,232	479,172	77,106 6 11	[b]
1901	5,801,491	1,771,544	3,336,606	1,401,836	648,414	188,382	433,402	4,797,476	2,155,548	487,122	72,009 5 11	[b]
1902	6,099,517[c]	1,240,302[c]	2,039,619[c]	1,559,806	890,501	149,139	[d]	4,427,758	1,938,418	503,726	64,833 0 0	[b]
1903	6,384,168	1,340,134	2,187,390	1,789,891	992,997	178,732	[d]	4,659,597	2,102,726	439,410	75,412 0 10	[b]
1904	6,460,382	1,587,919	2,702,810	1,912,863	791,051	197,240	[d]	4,411,549	2,378,043	467,321	84,604 14 0	[b]
1905	7,374,950	1,893,352	3,347,669	2,107,201	710,373	211,631	[d]	6,310,208	2,384,776	484,188	89,569 8 2	[b]

1896. Of the Letters and Packets posted, 6,853,175 were stamped, 1,029,401 were franked.
1897. „ „ „ 7,320,942 „ 1,059,507 „
1898. „ „ „ 7,467,918 „ 1,146,598 „
1899. Of the Letters and Packets posted, 8,114,497 were stamped, 1,376,317 were franked.
1900. „ „ „ 9,025,872 „ 1,323,183 „
1901. „ „ „ 9,187,032 „ 1,371,733 „
1902. Franking abolished 1st November, 1902.

Year.	Number of Post Offices and Receiving Houses.	No. of Persons in the pay of the Department.	No. of Miles of Post Roads.	No. of Miles travelled by Mail Conveyance.	RECEIVED AND DESPATCHED. Post Cards.	Letters.	Packets.	Newspapers.	POST AND TELEGRAPH. Revenue.[a] £ s. d.	Expenditure. £ s. d.
1896.....	328	653	2495	1,200,530	231,451	7,320,340	2,343,550	4,861,893	73,586 10 4	61,314 0 10
1897.....	336	709	2718	1,272,545	257,878	7,906,506	2,278,082	5,095,792	77,013 17 7	65,268 9 7
1898.....	344	722	2667	1,407,351	281,944	9,114,855	1,477,871	5,574,850	84,667 7 4	73,248 8 10
1899.....	355	757	2775	1,486,139	288,558	9,748,055	1,811,344	6,293,018	92,271 8 11	78,094 19 11
1900.....	375	828	2911	1,593,067	317,411	10,590,454	1,899,870	6,636,880	99,862 15 8	84,539 0 8
1901.....	376	865	2915	1,597,591	433,402	10,740,091	2,238,632	7,440,146	95,410 18 1	97,470 3 5
1902.....	375	—	2915	1,597,591	9,379,438		2,599,446	6,869,902	88,430 0 9	101,431 15 3
1903.....	378	—	2915	1,597,591	9,911,692		2,961,620	7,201,733	101,611 8 5	100,231 17 4
1904.....	383	—	3231	1,789,460	10,751,111		2,901,154	7,256,913	111,247 2 1	106,570 16 5
1905.....	379	—	3236	1,792,580	12,615,971		3,029,205	9,179,172	116,132 8 2	109,389 0 0

[a] Does not include moneys received for Sale of Stamps for Revenue purposes, which have been estimated to be as follows:—1894-1899, £8000 per annum; and 1900, £7350. [b] Post and Telegraph Departments amalgamated. Expenditure on account of each Department cannot be shown separately. [c] Including Post Cards. [d] Included in Letters.

NOTE.—Of Local Letters, Packets, &c., only "Outwards" are taken into account, in order that the same letter may not be twice included.

MONEY ORDER BUSINESS WITH VARIOUS COUNTRIES.

Country.	Orders Issued in Tasmania payable in the Countries named.		Orders Paid in Tasmania issued in the Countries named.	
	Number.	£ s. d.	Number.	£ s. d.
Commonwealth—				
New South Wales	7108	26,332 7 0	2615	10,196 3 0
Victoria	20,163	65,052 14 9	3137	13,331 6 9
Queensland	856	4768 19 5	541	2018 1 9
South Australia	872	4489 1 6	365	1728 0 1
Western Australia	968	5595 7 2	1355	6575 7 5
Tasmania	50,222	134,997 16 0	50,088	135,377 1 7
TOTAL COMMONWEALTH	80,189	242,236 5 10	58,101	169,226 0 7
Other British Countries—				
Transvaal	27	94 7 2	548	2672 10 7
United Kingdom	4445	8672 10 9	1682	4239 10 4
Canada	45	174 9 10	99	607 2 3
Cape Colony	65	246 17 8	520	1216 2 6
Ceylon	9	26 17 5	34	40 2 2
Fiji	5	8 15 6	62	162 12 9
Hong Kong	152	573 7 0	19	81 7 11
India	81	238 8 4	103	323 6 6
Mauritius	9	24 10 0	1	0 7 4
Natal	39	110 16 6	226	597 19 8
New Zealand	2285	10,695 1 11	4480	11,125 16 11
Straits Settlements	6	25 16 0	17	11 8 1
TOTAL OTHER BRITISH COUNTRIES	7168	20,891 18 0	7791	21,078 7 0
Germany	87	219 13 5	19	33 13 2
United States of America	817	1420 10 10	168	533 14 1
GRAND TOTAL	88,261	264,768 8 1	66,079	190,871 14 10
Commission	...	3322 6 11		

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Money Orders issued and paid in TASMANIA *from the Commencement of the System, 1st May, 1865, to 31st December, 1905; together with the Amount of Commission collected on Orders issued in the Colony.*

Period.	No. of Orders issued.	Amount of Commission.	Amount of Orders issued.	No. of Orders paid.	Amount of Orders paid.	Total amount of Transactions.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1865	1201	85 18 6	4485 1 2	741	2824 10 7	7395 10 3
1866	2856	192 10 6	11,274 19 3	2030	8669 11 5	20,137 1 2
1867	3319	214 0 0	11,729 0 11	2412	10,332 17 5	22,275 18 4
1868	3376	221 10 0	13,070 1 9	2512	10,719 1 9	24,010 13 6
1869	4398	270 2 0	16,667 10 1	3135	12,990 16 4	29,928 8 5
1870	5193	315 19 0	19,337 17 7	3722	14,550 10 7	34,204 7 2
1871	5685	322 13 6	21,015 19 3	4411	16,467 13 7	37,806 6 4
1872	5820	317 6 6	21,171 0 3	5102	19,025 1 9	40,513 8 6
1873	6572	359 3 6	24,192 19 10	5534	21,108 3 5	45,660 6 9
1874	7131	396 10 0	27,063 4 5	5908	22,667 7 7	50,127 2 0
1875	7569	422 5 0	28,115 8 4	6179	22,218 9 10	50,756 3 2
1876	8851	478 17 0	32,426 10 7	6953	25,559 5 5	58,464 13 0
1877	13,068	687 9 6	47,273 12 0	8544	30,577 2 4	78,538 3 10
1878	15,237	781 15 0	54,909 10 2	9983	35,117 2 10	90,808 8 0
1879	17,065	874 2 6	61,152 10 8	11,024	37,382 13 0	99,409 6 2
1880	19,902	983 13 6	68,948 19 5	13,862	45,423 15 11	115,356 8 10
1881	25,219	1176 6 0	85,471 15 3	17,272	54,641 0 4	141,289 1 7
1882	30,229	1272 0 6	99,843 13 2	21,514	66,971 5 2	168,086 18 10
1883	33,812	1333 11 9	100,576 10 2	24,834	71,770 2 4	173,680 4 3
1884	38,145	1375 0 3	105,071 5 2	30,817	81,560 8 6	188,006 13 11
1885	45,392	1519 1 0	116,852 17 3	36,125	91,567 13 10	209,939 12 1
1886	47,649	1619 14 0	121,312 11 9	39,159	95,162 3 7	218,094 9 4
1887	52,527	1762 13 9	131,590 19 4	43,513	102.364 16 4	235,718 9 5
1888	58,386	1914 0 9	144,122 19 8	49,270	114,999 1 10	261,036 2 3
1889	64,679	2059 5 0	157,963 5 11	55,776	130,680 11 8	290,703 2 7
1860	68,992	2130 8 3	161,215 11 3	59,325	134,861 11 10	298,207 11 4
1891	92,204	2964 8 9	224,881 19 7	73,599	173,508 15 7	401,355 3 11
1892	90,640	2555 4 6	200,882 4 3	73,334	157,469 13 4	360,907 2 1
1893	79,903	2097 19 9	166,531 2 1	65,592	141,033 9 9	309,662 11 7
1894	77,412	1964 14 9	155,014 1 9	66,727	136,265 19 6	293,244 16 0
1895	84,116	2091 4 0	165,040 10 10	71,606	146,702 2 0	313,833 16 10
1896	89,091	2176 15 9	179,301 3 10	186,320	278,926 12 5	440,404 12 0
1897	102,775	2461 5 6	204,510 10 9	209,518	307,611 15 4	514,583 11 7
1898	121,738	2949 16 3	244,971 9 11	228,121	330,288 16 9	578,210 2 11
1899	130,554	3216 13 0	265,967 13 2	233,203	330,094 6 9	599,278 12 11
1900	155,911	4053 7 6	326,513 18 6	272,955	371,318 13 10	701,885 19 10
1901	156,407	4058 3 9	325,176 1 2	295,278	386,585 11 5	715,814 16 4
1902	121,397	3464 8 8	290,112 12 2	125,317	228,958 17 11	519,071 10 1
1903	97,187	3454 2 0	260.704 17 8	73,379	191,948 12 8	452,653 10 4
1904	93,410	3448 11 5	270,687 19 4	71,178	193,192 8 11	463.880 8 3
1905	88,261	3322 6 11	264,768 8 1	66,079	190,871 14 10	455,640 2 11

NOTE.—Reduced Rates of Commission on Inland Money Orders came into operation on 1st October, 1881

PARCEL POST RETURN, 1905.

Colony.	Received.	Despatched.	Value of Parcels Received.
			£ s. d.
New Zealand	623	359	300 19 7
New South Wales	5880	1162	5862 12 3
Queensland	279	199	166 14 6
South Australia	346	225	143 1 3
Victoria	16,824	3476	139,676 14 0*
West Australia	235	263	80 6 10
United Kingdom and Foreign	4258	1323	7292 17 9
TOTALS	28,445	7007	153,523 6 2

* Increase represented principally by postage stamps being forwarded by parcel post.

PARCELS POST.

Year.	Inland Parcels Posted.	Intercolonial and Foreign Parcels.			
		Despatched.	Received.	Value of Parcels received.	Customs Duty collected.
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896	6927	1637	10,922	11,902 15 3	1952 3 0
1897	8395	2059	12,838	15,517 19 11	2742 13 0
1898	9801	2331	13,680	16,501 5 3	3008 1 3
1899	11,640	2845	15,665	19,666 2 6	3077 0 6
1900	17,776	2895	17,314	22,673 16 9	3731 11 9
1901	18,535	3456	18,409	27,504 1 11	3486 3 2
1902	22,488	3788	20,811	47,263 0 9	1683 5 1
1903	29,029	5464	23,454	125,319 6 0	1551 14 4
1904	32,926	6560	24,788	158,255 10 11	1334 19 7
1905	33,760	7007	28,445	153,523 6 2	1785 10 3

POSTAL NOTES, ISSUED OR PAID IN TASMANIA, 1905.

	Number.	Amount.
		£ s. d.
Inland (issued and paid in Tasmania)	150,229	50,127 2 2
Issued in Tasmania, payable in other States	56,080	22,225 2 7
Issued in other States, paid in Tasmania	106,773	41,292 0 10
Total	313,082	113,644 5 7

NOTE.—Postal Notes issued in Tasmania, being negotiable in any State of the Commonwealth, the inland business can only be determined by the Notes paid.

INLAND POSTAL NOTES, 1904.

Description.	Postal Notes Paid.	
	Number.	Nominal Value.
s. *d.*		
1 0	10,251	512 11 0
1 6	6583	493 14 6
2 0	10,080	1008 0 0
2 6	14,094	1761 15 0
3 0	11,637	1745 11 0
3 6	7579	1326 6 6
4 0	11,983	2396 12 0
4 6	7857	1767 16 6
5 0	18,364	4591 0 0
7 6	7283	2731 2 6
10 0	17,610	8805 0 0
10 6	4732	2484 6 0
15 0	7921	5940 15 0
20 0	14,255	14,255 0 0
Stamps affixed	...	307 12 2
Total	150,229	50,127 2 2

POSTAL NOTES.

	No. Issued.	Value.	No. Paid.	Value.
		£ *s.* *d.*		£ *s.* *d.*
1892	10,553	3370 6 3	9690	3250 5 7½
1893	13,054	4316 3 4	12,461	4286 11 6
1894	19,929	7871 2 4½	19,132	6796 11 10
1895	23,696	7871 2 4½	23,317	8016 1 3
1896	30,411	9688 6 8½	34,943	11,128 14 9
1897	41,435	12,805 9 6	42,445	13,448 0 5
1898	50,353	15,530 8 5	48,521	15,311 10 7
1899	56,114	16,883 11 6	52,711	16,357 3 6
1900	62,447	19,088 7 6	57,667	18,075 14 9
1901	67,204	20,095 7 0	62,725	19,420 19 10½
1902	77,665	24,851 6 8	77,445	28,179 1 4½
1903	121,653	41,930 3 3	143,689	51,984 17 10
1904	158,037	56,820 6 0	212,418	80,118 4 1
1905	206,309	72,352 4 9	257,002	91,419 3 0

REVENUE OF POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT, 1905.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	£	s.	d.
Post and Money Order Office.			
Postage on Letters, Newspapers, and Packets	80,057	0	0
Postage on Parcels	2650	8	2
Private Bags and Fees	735	0	0
Various other Receipts	1730	0	0
Commission on Money Orders	3322	0	0
Poundage on Postal Notes	1075	0	0
Telegraphs and Telephones.			
Telegrams	15,455	0	0
Telephones and Private Wires { Ordinary, O.H.M.S. }	11,108	0	0
Total Received	116,132	8	2
Add value of Unpaid— Official Correspondence, Official Telegrams, Services rendered to other Departments	1996	0	0
Total Earned	£118,128	8	2

ORDINARY EXPENDITURE, POST AND TELEGRAPHS, 1905.

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.	£
Salaries and Wages	45,695
Contingencies*	18,259
Mail Services	39,636
Cable Subsidies, &c.	5351
Maintenance of Buildings, Works, &c.	448
Rents	...
	£109,389

* Including Expenditure defrayed by Government Printer.

CAPITAL VALUE OF POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS.

STATEMENT showing the Estimated Present Value of Lands, Buildings, Works, Instruments, Apparatus, &c., appertaining to or used in connection with the Post and Telegraph Department.

	£
Land, Buildings (including pillar-boxes, &c.)	147,294
Furniture and Fittings	5480
Poles, Wire, Instruments, Batteries, &c.—	
Telegraphs	133,847
Telephones	41,553
	£328,174

TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES, 1905.

TELEGRAPHS.

Year.	Number of Telegraph Offices.			Miles open on 31st December, controlled by the—						Cost of Construction.	
				Postal Department.		Railway Department.		Total.		Postal Department.	Railway Department.
	Postal.	Railway.*	Total.	Line.	Wire.	Line.	Wire.	Line.	Wire.		
										£	£
1902.....	204	106	310	†	†	†	†	†	†	131,448	14,500
1903.....	205	114	319	†	†	†	†	†	†	131,465	14,524
1904.....	206	114	320	1538¾	2286	422	1457¾	1960¾	3743¾	133,044	14,772
1905.....	207	118	325	1546¾	2294	422	1457¾	1968¾	3751¾	133,847	14,772

* 80 Railway Offices are connected with the General Telegraph Service.

† By a recent investigation it has been revealed that the figures published in regard to mileage of telegraphs has been incorrect for some years.

NUMBER OF TELEGRAMS.

Year.	Inland.*				Interstate.				International.				Total Telegrams.*
	Paid.		Unpaid †(O.H.M.S.).		Received (Approximate).		Despatched.		Received.		Despatched.		
	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.	Number.	Value.	Number.
		£		£		£		£		£		£	
1902...	193,336	12,581	32,759	5490	70,492	8932	63,127	10,134	3709	2719	4208	3921	367,631
1903...	237,910	12,450	42,545	2425	81,083	7634	76,131	9018	3954	2631	4347	3480	445,970
1904...	236,095	11,491	39,112	2160	86,384	7426	77,775	9787	4142	2524	4537	3249	448,045
1905...	260,937	9571	38 025	1996	96,889	8570	88,081	10,706	4777	2541	4915	3340	493,634

* In addition to the number of messages given in this table, there were public messages confined to Railway Telegraph lines, as follows: —

Year.	Messages.
1902.....	1120
1903.....	2377
1904.....	2614
1905.....	2660

† Shipping and Meteorological reports.

TELEPHONES AND PRIVATE LINES.

Year.	Miles open on 31st December controlled by the—						Exchanges.		Public Telephone Offices or Bureaux.	Number of Private Lines.
	Postal Department.		Railway Department.		Total.					
	Line.	Wire.	Line.	Wire.	Line.	Wire.	Number.	Subscribers		
1902	†	†	...	†	†	†	13	1158	158	108
1903	†	†	...	†	†	†	16	1236	161	96
1904	230¾	1236¼	...	220¼	230¾	1456½	16	1329	161	86
1905	246¾	1371¼	...	212¾	246¾	1584	16	1441	188	82

† See note (†) first table.

GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	No. of Stations.[a]	Staff, No.[b]	No. of Miles of Poles.[a]	No. of Miles of Wire.[a]	No. of Messages, (Paid and Unpaid).[a]			Net Receipts.[e]	Working Expenses.[e]
					Between Stations within Tasmania.	Between Tasmania and other Countries.	TOTAL.		
								£	£
1896	216	283	h	h	208,784	107,669	316,453	14,051	f
1897	223	321	h	h	229,710	114,440	344,150	15,529	f
1898	256	372	h	h	244,249	128,326	372,575	17,002	f
1899	273	394	h	h	250,958	129,729	380,687	17,932	f
1900	322	422	h	h	245,793	124,432	370,225	17,608	f
1901	323	g	h	h	237,634	125,780	363,414	17,062	f
1902	310	g	h	h	227,215	141,536	368,751	16,892	f
1903	319	g	h	h	282,832	165,515	448,347	17,289	f
1904	320	g	1960¾	3743¾	277,821	173,838	451,659	16,487	f
1905	325	g	1968¾	3751¾	301,632	194,662	496,294	15,455	f

[a] Including particulars relating to Tasmanian Government Railways, Local Telegraph System, chiefly used for Railway purposes. Including Tasmanian Government Railways Officers. [d] Including subsidy to cable and working expenses in connection with Telephone System. [e] Government Telegraph only. [f] Now combined with Post Office expenditure. [g] Number of Staff interchangeable with Post Officers. [h] By a recent investigation it has been revealed that the figures published in regard to the mileage of telegraphs has been incorrect for some years.

[Returns relating to Post and Telegraphs have been furnished by the Deputy-Postmaster General.]

CABLE COMPANY.

	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Stations ..... No.	2	2	2	2
Offices ..... No.	39	34	38	39
Miles of Cable ..... No.	428	428	428	432†
Cost of Construction ..... £	160,000	160,000	160,000	160,000
Messages (Paid)—				
Despatched ..... No.	67,335	80,478	82,312	92,995
Received ..... No.	74,201	85,037	90,526	101,666
Total ..... No.	141,536	165,515	172,838	194,661
Receipts—				
From Messages ..... £	9340 8 0	6543	6689	7437
„ Subsidy ..... £	4200 0 0	4200	4200	4200
£	13,540 8 0	10,743	10,889	11,637
Working Expenses ..... £	6000*	6000*	5672	6000*

* Approximate. † 375 Knots.

RATES OF WAGES, 1905.

Industry and Occupation.	Average Rates of Wages per Week. £ s. d.
Class 1.	
Average Rate of Wages paid per Week in Establishments treating Raw Material, the Products of Pastoral Pursuits, or Vegetable Products not otherwise classed.	
Bone Mill.	
Foreman	1 16 0
Engine-driver	1 16 0 to 2 5 0
Clerk	1 0 0
General Labourer	1 10 0
Carter	1 12 0
Tannery.	
Bookkeeper	2 2 0
Clerk	0 10 0
Foreman	2 10 0
Engine-driver	2 0 0 to 2 2 0
Carter	1 16 0
General Labourer	0 17 6 to 2 2 0
Tanners and Fellmongers	1 19 0
Currier	1 19 0 to 2 0 0
Beamsman	1 18 0 to 2 5 0
Bark Mills.	
Bookkeeper	4 10 0
Clerks	1 5 0
Foreman	3 0 0
Engine-driver	1 16 0
Improver	1 0 0
Carter	1 13 0 to 1 16 0
Labourer	2 5 0
Chaffcutter.	
Foreman	1 0 0 to 2 0 0
Bookkeeper	1 10 0
Clerk	0 10 0
Engine-driver	1 0 0 to 2 0 0
Carter	1 10 0
General Labourer	0 15 0 to 2 0 0
Ditto, Youths (16 and 17 years)	0 15 0 to 1 0 0
Class 2.	
Average Rates of Wages in Establishments treating Oils and Fats, Animal and Vegetable.	
Soap and Candle Factory.	
Bookkeeper	1 15 0
Clerk	0 15 0 to 1 12 6
Foreman	2 5 0
Fireman	1 10 0
Engine-driver	2 2 0
Improver	0 15 0
Carter	1 16 0
Packer	0 12 6
General Labourer	1 16 0 to 2 0 0
Soapboiler	3 0 0
Factory Hand	1 16 0
Apprentices (15 years and over)	0 7 0 to 0 10 0
Class 3.	
Average Rates of Wages, Processes relating to Stone, Clay, Glass, &c.	
Brickyard.	
Bookkeeper	2 10 0
Foreman	3 0 0
Clerk	1 16 0
Engine-driver	1 10 0
Carter	1 7 0
Labourer	1 12 0
Brickmaker	1 12 0
Stone-dressing.	
Bookkeeper	1 10 0
Apprentice	0 8 0 to 0 9 0
Improver	0 16 0
Labourer (Journeyman)	2 8 0 to 2 14 0
Carter	1 10 0
Lime Works.	
Foreman	1 16 0
Carter	2 8 0
General Labourer	1 13 0
Class 4.	
Average Wages, Persons working in Wood.	
Cabinet-making.	
Bookkeeper	3 0 0
Clerks	1 15 0 to 3 0 0
Foreman	3 0 0
Improver	0 9 0 to 1 4 0
Apprentices (15 to 18 years)	0 5 0 to 0 15 0
Carter	1 6 0
Machinist	1 0 0
Upholsterer	1 0 0 to 2 5 0
Polisher	2 2 0
Cabinetmaker	2 0 0 to 2 10 0
Carpenter	1 16 0 to 3 0 0
Ditto (15 to 18 years)	0 5 0 to 0 15 0
Joiner	1 16 0 to 3 12 0
Coopers.	
Cooper	1 19 0
Foreman	1 16 0
Improver	1 0 0
Apprentice (under 18 years)	0 10 0
Saw Mills.	
Bookkeeper	3 0 0 to 3 5 0
Clerk	0 15 0 to 2 0 0
Foreman	2 0 0 to 2 5 0
Engine-driver	2 5 0 to 2 9 0
Improver (under 18 years)	0 15 0 to 1 0 0
Apprentice (under 18 years)	0 15 0 to 1 0 0
Carter	1 10 0 to 2 0 0
General Labourers	1 10 0 to 1 16 0
Carpenter	1 10 0 to 3 0 0
Machinists	2 0 0
Joiner	2 5 0 to 2 10 0
Ganger	2 0 0 to 3 0 0
Benchman	2 2 0
Mill Hands	1 10 0 to 2 0 0

RATES OF WAGES—*continued.*

Industry and Occupation.	Average Rates of Wages per Week. £ s. d.
Saw Mills—*continued.*	
Blacksmiths	1 16 0 to 3 0 0
Bushmen	0 18 0 to 2 14 0
Sawyer	2 2 0
Class 5. *Average Wages paid persons engaged in Metal Works, Machinery, &c.*	
Engineering Establishment.	
Bookkeeper, Accountants	3 0 0
Clerks	1 15 0
Ditto (under 18 years)	0 15 0 to 1 0 0
Foreman	3 3 0 to 3 12 0
Engine-driver	1 7 0
Improvers	1 0 0
Apprentices (16 to 18 years)	0 5 0 to 0 10 0
Mechanic	2 10 0 to 3 0 0
Labourer	2 0 0
Fitter	1 10 0 to 2 14 0
Machinist	3 0 0
Moulder	2 0 0
Boiler-maker	3 0 0
Blacksmith	2 18 0
Draughtsman	2 8 0
Pattern Maker	2 14 0
Striker	1 16 0
Carter	1 16 0
Railway Work Shops.	
Foreman	4 7 0 to 4 10 0
Engine Drivers	2 0 0
Improvers	1 15 0 to 1 18 0
Apprentices	0 17 6 to 0 18 6
Labourers	1 18 0 to 2 0 0
Turners	2 10 0 to 2 19 0
Fitters	2 16 0 to 3 0 0
Boiler-makers	1 18 0 to 3 0 0
Tinsmiths	2 14 0 to 2 17 0
Strikers	1 13 0 to 1 17 6
Painters	2 6 0 to 2 10 0
Car Trimmers	2 8 0 to 2 15 0
Car Builders	2 13 0 to 2 16 0
Blacksmiths	2 16 0 to 3 0 0
Sawyers	2 8 0 to 3 0 0
Timekeepers	2 12 0 to 2 14 0
Gangers	2 2 0
Oilers	1 19 0
Drillers	2 2 0
Moulders	2 14 0
Pattern Makers	3 0 0
Carpenters	2 8 0 to 3 0 0
Smelting Works.	
Clerk	3 10 0
Foreman	4 17 6
Engine-driver	2 17 0 to 3 0 0
Smiths and Strikers	1 14 0 to 2 10 0
Furnace Builder	5 0 0
Smelter	3 10 0
Carpenter	2 14 0 to 3 6 0
Mechanic	3 0 0
Bricklayer	3 12 0
Labourer	1 18 0 to 2 14 0
Blacksmith	3 0 0
Quarryman	2 8 0
Horse Driver	2 8 0
Fireman	2 8 0
Fitters	3 6 0
Tinsmith.	
Foreman	2 10 0
Improvers	1 4 0
Apprentice	0 2 6 to 0 10 0
Apprentice (under 18 years)	0 8 6
General Tinsmith	1 0 0 to 2 0 0
Plumbing.	
Foreman	2 5 0
Clerks	0 15 0 to 1 10 0
Improvers	1 5 0
Journeyman Plumbers	1 10 0 to 3 10 0
Apprentice (under 18 years)	0 8 6
Class 6. *Average Wages paid Persons engaged in Establishments connected with Food & Drink, &c.*	
Bacon Factory.	
Clerk (under 18 years)	0 15 0 to 1 0 0
Foreman	3 0 0
Engine-driver	2 5 0
General Labourer	1 10 0 to 2 0 0
Carter	1 10 0 to 1 15 0
Bacon Curer	2 10 0
Butter Factory.	
Bookkeeper	3 0 0
Clerk	1 15 0
Foreman	3 0 0 to 3 10 0
Engine-driver	2 10 0 to 2 5 0
Apprentice (under 16 years)	0 10 0
Factory Hands	1 10 0 to 3 10 0
Biscuit Factory.	
Bookkeeper	2 0 0 to 5 0 0
Clerk	0 17 6
Foreman	2 7 6
Engine-driver	2 10 0
Improver (18 years)	0 12 0
Apprentice (14 to 18 years)	0 6 0
Carter	0 15 0 to 1 15 0
General Labourer	1 16 0
Fruit Drying.	
Foreman	1 16 0 to 2 0 0
Carter	1 10 0
General Labourer	1 10 0
Girls and Boys (15 to 18 years)	0 12 0 to 0 18 0

RATES OF WAGES—*continued.*

Industry and Occupation.	Average Rates of Wages per Week. £ s. d.
Flour Mill.	
Bookkeeper	3 0 0 to 4 10 0
Clerk	0 15 0 to 2 8 0
Ditto under 16	0 15 0
Foreman	2 10 0 to 3 0 0
Enginedriver	2 2 0 to 2 15 0
Apprentice (17 years of age)	0 14 0
Carter	1 15 0 to 2 0 0
Miller	1 7 6 to 2 8 0
Storeman	1 12 6
General Labourer	1 10 0 to 1 16 0
Jam and Sauce Factory.	
Bookkeeper	4 10 0
Clerks	1 0 0 to 3 10 0
Foreman	2 5 0 to 4 0 0
Enginedriver	2 0 0 to 2 5 0
General Labourer	1 10 0
Factory Hand	1 6 0 to 1 10 0
Ditto (under 18 years)	0 2 6 to 0 16 0
Carter	1 10 0
Aërated Water Factory.	
Bookkeeper	2 0 0
Clerk	1 10 0
Foreman	1 15 0
Enginedriver	1 10 0 to 3 0 0
Labeller	1 0 0
Apprentice (under 17 years)	2 0 0
Bottler	1 12 0
Carter	1 0 0 to 1 12 0
General Labourer	1 10 0
Bottle Washers	0 5 0 to 1 10 0
Brewery.	
Bookkeeper	4 0 0
Clerk	1 10 0 to 3 0 0
Brewer	13 0 0 to 4 10 0
Maltster	1 14 0
Cooper	1 19 0
Cellarman	2 14 0 to 2 0 0
Foreman	2 0 0 to 3 0 0
Enginedriver	2 0 0 to 2 10 0
Apprentice	1 0 0
Carter	1 14 0
General Labourer	1 13 0

CLASS 7.

Average Wages paid Persons engaged in Production of Clothing and Textile Fabrics, &c.

Industry and Occupation.	Average Rates of Wages per Week. £ s. d.
Woollen Mills.	
Bookkeeper	4 0 0
Clerk	3 0 0 to 3 10 0
Foreman	2 10 0 to 2 15 0
Enginedriver	2 0 0
Improver (14 to 18years)	0 15 0
Apprentice (14 to 18 years)	0 5 0
General Labourer	1 10 0
Dyers	2 0 0
Weaver / Warper Winder	0 15 0 to 1 5 0
Factory Hand	2 10 0
Carder and Spinner	1 5 0 to 1 15 0
Carter	2 0 0
Washer	1 10 0
Sorter	1 15 0
Boot Factory.	
Clerk	1 10 0 to 2 10 0
Foreman	2 8 0 to 3 3 0
Apprentice (14 to 18 years)	0 4 0 to 0 6 0
Improver	0 10 0 to 1 5 0
Maker	1 5 0 to 1 17 6
Journeyman	1 5 0 to 1 17 6
Clicker	0 15 0 to 2 0 0
Stuff-cutter	2 5 0
Machinist	0 5 0 to 0 16 0
Finisher	1 10 0 to 2 0 0
Closer	0 10 0 to 1 5 0
Heeler	2 0 0
Messengers	0 8 0 to 0 15 0
Tailoring and Dressmaking.	
Bookkeeper	1 10 0 to 4 0 0
Clerk	1 0 0 to 3 10 0
Foreman	1 5 0 to 5 0 0
Cutter	4 0 0 to 8 0 0
Improver	0 6 0 to 1 0 0
Apprentice (14 to 18 years)	0 2 6 to 0 10 0
Carter	0 7 0
Coat Hand	1 15 0 to 2 0 0
Trouser Hand	0 10 0 to 1 10 0
Vest Hand	0 10 0 to 1 0 0
Dressmaker	1 0 0 to 1 15 0
Forewoman	3 0 0
Presser	1 15 0
Skirt Hand	0 10 0
Machinist	0 12 6 to 1 0 0
Tailor	0 15 0 to 2 3 0
Tailoress	0 6 0 to 1 2 6
Milliner	0 6 0 to 0 15 0
Messenger	1 4 0 to 1 16 0
Boys	0 6 0 to 0 10 0

RATES OF WAGES—*continued.*

Industry and Occupation.	Average Rates of Wages per Week. £ s. d.
Furrier.	
Bookkeeper	1 0 0
Foreman	3 0 0
Tanner	2 0 0
Beamsman	2 0 0
Currier	2 0 0
Fur Sewer	0 18 0
Apprentices	0 4 0 to 0 10 0
CLASS 8.	
Average Wages paid Persons engaged in Books, Papers, Engravings, &c.	
Printing Establishment.	
Bookkeeper	2 0 0 to 5 8 0
Clerk	2 0 0 to 3 0 0
Foreman	2 5 0 to 4 4 0
Forewoman	1 5 6
Overseer	4 16 0
Enginedriver	2 15 0 to 3 0 0
Ditto Assistant	0 13 0
Improver	0 15 0 to 1 10 0
Apprentice (15 to 18 years)	1 0 0
Stereotypers	1 16 0
Machinist	1 15 0 to 3 3 0
Canvasser	2 0 0
Compositor	1 16 0 to 2 5 0
Bookbinder	1 10 0 to 1 18 0
Lynotype Engineer	5 0 0
Linotype Operator	2 5 0 to 4 0 0
Lithographer	2 14 0 to 3 0 0
Folders and Sewers	0 9 0 to 0 17 6
Reader	2 14 0
Warehouseman	3 3 0
Boy Runner	0 5 0 to 0 10 0
Varnisher (girl)	0 7 0
Boys and Girls	0 10 0 to 0 15 0
Labourer	1 0 0
CLASS 11.	
Average Wages—Persons engaged in Vehicles and Fittings, &c.	
Cycle Factory.	
Clerk	2 0 0
Improver	0 6 0 to 0 12 0
Foreman	1 12 6 to 3 0 0
Apprentice under 18 years	0 7 0 to 0 12 6
Builders	1 10 0 to 2 10 0
Fitters	1 16 0
Plater	2 8 0
Carriage-builders and Wheelwrights.	
Foreman	2 15 0
Improver	1 0 0 to 1 16 0
Clerk	1 0 0
Apprentice (15-18 years)	0 3 0 to 0 15 0
Enginedriver	1 0 0
Wheelwright	2 8 0
Carter	1 5 0
General Labourer	1 6 0 to 2 8 0

Industry and Occupation	Average Rates of Wages per Week. £ s. d.
Carriage-builders, &c.—*continued.*	
Coachsmith	2 8 0
Bodymaker	2 2 0 to 2 5 0
Painter	2 8 0 to 2 14 0
Coach-trimmer	2 8 0 to 4 0 0
Blacksmith	1 4 0 to 2 8 0
Boys	0 15 6
Harness Maker.	
Bookkeeper	2 15 0 to 3 10 0
Clerk	1 0 0 to 1 2 0
Foreman (factory)	2 10 0 to 3 10 0
,, (warehouse)	2 15 0 to 3 0 0
Improver	1 0 0 to 1 15 0
Apprentice (15-18 years)	0 5 0 to 0 17 6
General Hand	1 10 0 to 2 5 0
Journeyman	1 13 0 to 2 5 0
CLASS 12.	
Average Wages paid to Persons engaged in Shipbuilding, &c.	
Sailmaking.	
Foreman	2 14 0
Improver (17-18 years)	0 15 0
Sailmaker	2 2 0
Shipbuilding.	
Foreman	5 0 0
Shipwrights	2 8 0 to 3 0 0
Apprentice under 18 years	0 6 0
Improvers	1 0 0
Enginedriver	2 8 0
General Labourer	2 2 0
CLASS 13.	
Average Wages paid to Persons engaged in Furniture, Bedding, &c.	
Flock Factory.	
Foreman	3 10 0
Machinists	1 10 0 to 1 16 0
Boy (14-16 years)	0 5 0 to 0 9 0 & 1 1 0
Tradesmen	1 10 0 to 1 16 0
CLASS 16.	
Average Wages paid to Persons engaged in Jewellery and Platedware, &c.	
Clerk	1 5 0
Foreman	4 0 0
Improver	1 0 0
Apprentice (under 18 years)	0 10 0 to 0 16 0
Journeyman	2 2 0 to 3 10 0
Watchmaker and Jeweller	1 5 0 to 3 0 0
Messenger Boy	0 7 6
CLASS 17.	
Average Wages paid to Persons engaged in Heat, Light, and Energy.	
Gas and Electric Works, &c.	
Clerk	3 0 0 to 4 0 0

RATES OF WAGES—*continued.*

Industry and Occupation.	Average Rates of Wages per Week.
	£ s. d.
Gas and Electric Works, &c.—*continued.*	
Foreman	3 0 0 to 3 5 0
Engine-driver	2 10 0
General Labourer	1 13 0 to 3 6 0
Greaser	1 10 0
Wireman	1 12 0 to 2 10 0
Fitters	2 10 0
Brassfinishers	2 2 0 to 2 14 0
Fireman	2 0 0 to 3 0 0
Carpenters	2 14 0
Tinsmiths	2 5 0
Engineers	2 8 0
CLASS 19.	
Average Wages paid to Persons engaged in Minor Wares not otherwise included.	
Basketmaking.	
Foreman	2 0 0
Basketmaker	2 0 0
Apprentice (14-17)	0 18 0
General Hand	1 15 0 to 2 10 0
Brush-making.	
Bookkeeper	2 5 0
Clerk	1 10 0
Foreman	2 10 0
Improver	0 12 6
Apprentices	0 7 6 to 0 12 6
Broom-makers	1 4 0 to 1 10 0
CLASS 20.	
Average Rates of Wages paid in Miscellaneous Industries.	
Agricultural and Pastoral.	
Shearer ..... per 100	0 10 0 to 1 0 0
Ploughman, with Rations	0 10 0 to 1 0 0
Labourer, with Rations	0 10 0 to 1 0 0
Mowers ..... per day	0 3 0 to 0 6 0
Shepherds ..... per year	30 0 0 to 50 0 0
Domestic Service.	
Coachman ..... per year	26 0 0 to 60 0 0
Groom ..... „	25 0 0 to 52 0 0
Gardener ..... „	20 0 0 to 50 0 0
Cook ..... „	20 0 0 to 60 0 0

Industry and Occupation.	Average Rates of Wages.
	£ s. d.
Domestic Service—*continued.*	
General Servant ..... „	10 0 0 to 40 0 0
Housemaid ..... „	10 0 0 to 30 0 0
Nurse ..... „	10 0 0 to 20 0 0
Laundress ..... „	26 0 0 to 40 0 0
Railways.	
Stationmaster,* Grade 1 ..... per year	250 0 0
2 ..... „	200 0 0
3 ..... „	180 0 0
4 ..... „	160 0 0
5 ..... „	140 0 0
6 ..... „	130 0 0
7 ..... „	80 0 0 to 120 0 0
Guard ..... per day	0 7 6 to 0 10 0
Signalman and Storeman ..... „	0 6 6 to 0 8 6
Leading Shunter ..... „	0 8 0 to 0 9 0
Shunter ..... „	0 6 6 to 0 7 6
Leading Porters ..... „	0 6 6 to 0 7 0
Porter ..... „	0 5 6 to 0 6 0
„ Junior ..... „	0 2 6 to 0 5 6
Messenger, 1 year ..... per week	0 5 0
2 „ ..... „	0 10 0
Loco. Branch.	
Inspector, Foreman, and Overseer ..... per day	0 8 0 to 1 0 0
Engineman, Driver, Grade 1 ..... „	0 12 0
„ „ „ 2 ..... „	0 9 6 to 0 11 6
Fireman, Grade 1 ..... „	0 8 6
2 ..... „	0 7 0 to 0 7 6
Cleaner, 1st year to 4th year ..... „	0 5 0 to 0 6 6
Apprentice, 1st to 5th year ..... „	0 1 6 to 0 4 6
Shop boy, 14 years of age to 20 years of age ..... „	0 1 9 to 0 5 0
Maintenance.	
Inspector, Foreman, Overseer, Lineman ..... „	0 8 0 to 1 0 0
Ganger ..... „	0 8 0 to 0 9 6
Repairer and Platelayer ..... „	0 5 6 to 0 7 0

* Quarters, fuel, and light.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Proprietors of various Establishments.]

RATES OF WAGES.

COMPARATIVE RETURN showing the Rates of Wages during the Years 1841, 1851, 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891, 1901, *and* 1905, *as far as can be ascertained from the Statistics of the State.*

	1841.	1851.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1905.
Agricultural Labour:								
Ploughmen, per week	...	...	...	8/ to 20/	10/ to 18/	10/ to 25/	10/ to 20/	10/ to £1
Farm Labourers, ordinary, ditto	...	...	...	6/ to 10/	7/ to 13/	10/ to 20/	7/ to 18/	10/ to £1
Reapers, per acre	...	...	...	7/ to 10/	7/6 to 16/	6/ to 15/	5/ to 15/	3/ to 6/
Mowers, ditto	...	...	...	2/6 to 5/	2/6 to 6/	2/ to 7/6	3/ to 10/	3/ to 6/
Pastoral Labour—*								
Shepherds, per annum	...	...	...	25*l* to 40*l*	25*l* to 40*l*	30*l* to 50*l*	20*l* to 70*l*	£30 to £50
Shearers, per 100 sheep	...	...	...	8/ to 16/	11/6 to 20/	10/ to 20/	12/ to 20/	10/ to £1
Artisan & other general Skilled Labour—†								
Blacksmiths, per diem	...	...	...	5/ to 10/	5/ to 11/	6/ to 10/	5/ to 12/	6/ to 10/
Bootmakers, ditto	...	...	...	5/ to 9/6	5/ to 8/	5/6 to 8/	3/6 to 10/	5/ to 10/
Bricklayers, ditto	6/ to 7/	5/	6/ to 10/6	5/ to 10/	7/ to 11/	7/ to 12/	6/6 to 11/	6/ to 11/
Carpenters, ditto	6/ to 7/	5/ to 6/	5/6 to 10/	6/ to 8/	7/ to 11/	7/ to 12/	6/6 to 10/	6/ to 10/
Engineers, ditto	...	...	...	5/ to 10/	9/ to 13/6	9/ to 11/	5/ to 15/	7/ to 14/
Joiners, ditto	6/6 to 8/	5/4 to 6/	6/6 to 10/	6/ to 8/	6/6 to 10/	7/ to 12/	6/ to 10/	6/ to 12/
Masons—								
Cutters, ditto	6/ to 8/	4/9 to 5/7	7/ to 12/	5/6 to 10/	7/ to 12/	6/6 to 12/	7/ to 11/	7/ to 12/
Builders, ditto	7/6 to 8/6	5/6 to 6/10	6/6 to 12/	5/3 to 10/	6/6 to 11/	8/ to 12/	7/ to 12/	7/ to 10/
Painters, ditto	5/6 to 7/6	5/2 to 5/6	6/ to 10/9	5/ to 8/	6/ to 9/	5/6 to 12/	6/ to 10/	5/ to 10/
Plasterers, ditto	6/ to 7/6	4/3 to 5/	7/ to 10/	5/ to 10/	5/ to 11/	6/ to 10/	6/ to 10/	7/ to 10/
Plumbers, ditto	6/6 to 8/6	4/6 to 8/	6/6 to 13/	6/ to 9/	8/ to 12/	8/ to 10/	6/ to 10/	8/ to 10/
Saddlers, ditto	...	...	...	5/ to 10/	5/6 to 9/	5/ to 10/	5/ to 8/	5/ to 10/
Seamen, per month	...	...	...	2*l* to 4*l* 10/	3*l* to 6*l*	4*l* to 7*l*	3*l* 10*s.* to 7*l*	3*l* 10*s.* to 8*l*
Tanners, per diem	...	...	...	5/6 to 8/	5/ to 8/	6/ to 8/	5/ to 10/	5/6 to 9/
Wheelwrights, ditto	...	...	...	5/3 to 8/	6/6 to 10/	6/ to 12/	6/ to 11/	6/6 to 10/
Railways—†								
Guards, per diem	...	...	...	...	...	6/ to 10/	6/ to 12/	7/6 to 10/
Porters, ditto	...	...	...	...	...	2/6 to 10/	2/6 to 8/	5/6 to 7/
Enginemen, ditto	...	...	...	...	...	10/ to 14/	6/6 to 7/	9/6 to 11/6
Platelayers, ditto	..	...	...	...	...	...	5/6 to 7/	5/6 to 7/
Gangers, ditto	...	...	...	...	...	5/6 to 8/	8/ to 9/	8/ to 9/6
Drivers, ditto	...	...	...	...	...	10/ to 14/	9/6 to 12/	9/6 to 12/
Firemen, ditto	...	...	...	...	...	7/ to 9/	7/ to 8/	7/ to 8/6
Fitters, ditto	...	...	...	...	...	9/ to 13/	8/ to 12/	8/ to 12/
Turners, ditto	...	...	...	...	...	9/ to 11/	8/ to 10/6	8/ to 10/
Miscellaneous Labour—†								
Bakers	...	...	...	...	...	5/ to 12/	5/ to 7/6	5/ to 12/
Butchers, per diem	...	...	...	...	5/ to 8/	5/ to 12/	4/6 to 10/	5/ to 10/
Millers, ditto	...	...	...	5/ to 8/	6/ to 8/	5/ to 9/6	5/ to 9/	5/ to 8/
Miners, ditto	...	...	...	...	7/6 to 8/4	7/ to 10/	6/ to 9/	6/ to 10/
Quarrymen, ditto	4/8 to 5/6	3/9 to 4/	4/ to 9/	5/ to 7/	5/ to 7/	5/ to 10/	5/ to 9/	5/ to 9/
Day Labourers, ordinary, ditto	...	..	...	3/ to 5/	4/ to 7/	4/ to 9/	4/ to 8/	4/ to 7/6
Servants—*								
Coachmen, per annum	...	...	...	20*l* to 40*l*	18*l* to 50*l*	25*l* to 100*l*	19*l* to 60*l*	26*l* to 60*l*
Grooms, ditto	...	...	...	18*l* to 35*l*	22*l* 10/ to 45*l*	20*l* to 75*l*	20*l* to 52*l*	25*l* to 52*l*
Gardeners, ditto	...	...	...	16*l* to 30*l*	20*l* to 45*l*	20*l* to 100*l*	18*l* to 75/†	20*l* to 50*l*
Cooks, ditto	...	...	...	16*l* to 30*l*	20*l* to 40*l*	12*l* to 78*l*	13*l* to 52*l*	20*l* to 60*l*
Laundresses, ditto	...	...	...	20*l* to 25*l*	18*l* to 35*l*	25*l* to 52*l*	16*l* to 39*l*	26*l* to 40*l*
General Servants, ditto	...	...	...	15*l* to 25*l*	16*l* to 36*l*	14*l* to 52*l*	12*l* to 40*l*	10*l* to 40*l*
Housemaids, ditto	...	...	...	16*l* to 20*l*	12*l* to 20*l*	18*l* to 52*l*	12*l* to 30*l*	10*l* to 30*l*
Nursemaids, ditto	...	...	...	12*l* to 30*l*	12*l* 10/ to 25*l*	10*l* to 20*l*	8*l* to 26*l*	10*l* to 20*l*

* With rations. † Without rations.

CONTRACT PRICES—HOBART.

DECENNIAL Return of the Average Contract Prices of certain Articles supplied in Hobart to the Government of Tasmania.

Class.*	Order.	Articles.	1896. £ s. d.	1897. £ s. d.	1898. £ s. d.	1899. £ s. d.	1900. £ s. d.	1901. £ s. d.	1902. £ s. d.	1903. £ s. d.	1904. £ s. d.	1905. £ s. d.
I.	1	Butchers' Meat—										
		Beef and Mutton ..... per 100 lbs.	0 17 7½	0 18 5	1 4 0	1 3 9	1 4 8	1 7 3	1 5 3	1 8 11	1 6 11	1 4 11
		Butter, Fresh ..... per lb.	0 0 10	0 0 10½	0 0 11½	0 0 11	0 1 0	0 1 0	0 0 11	0 1 3	0 0 11	0 0 11
		Ditto, Potted ..... ditto	0 0 9	0 0 10	0 0 10½	0 0 10½	0 0 11	0 0 11	0 0 10½	0 1 2	0 0 10½	0 0 10
I.	2	Barley, Pearl ..... per lb.	0 17 0§	0 17 0§	0 0 1⅞	0 17 0§	0 17 0§	0 15 0 §	0 13 0§	0 0 2½	§0 13 0	0 0 1½
		Bread, Fine ..... per 100 lbs.	0 9 10	0 10 8	0 9 0	0 7 6	0 7 8	0 7 10	0 9 4	0 11 4	0 9 6	0 9 6
		Ditto, Second quality ..... per 100 lbs.	0 8 2	0 9 8	0 8 10	0 7 2	0 7 6	0 7 6	0 8 4	0 10 8	0 8 4	0 9 0
		Currants ..... per lb.	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4½	0 0 4½	0 0 4¾	0 0 7½	0 0 5	0 0 5	0 0 4½	0 0 4½
		Flour, Fine ..... per ton	10 6 6	11 15 0	8 5 0	6 5 0	6 7 6	6 15 0	9 0 0	11 12 6	8 0 0	8 0 0
		Ditto, Second quality ..... per ton	8 11 3	10 10 0	7 19 0	5 10 0	5 17 6	6 0 0	7 10 0	10 14 0	6 17 6	7 12 0
		Oatmeal ..... per lb.	0 13 11§	0 13 11§	0 0 1⅛	0 11 0§	0 11 6§	0 11 0§	0 12 6§	1 0 0	0 10 6	§0 10 0
		Raisins ..... ditto	0 0 4½	0 0 3¾	0 0 5¾	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 7	0 0 5½	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 5
		Rice ..... ditto	1 2 6§	1 2 6§	0 0 2⅝	1 4 6	1 6 0§	1 4 6§	1 4 6§	0 0 2¾	1 1 0§	§1 0 0
		Sago ..... ditto	0 0 3¾	0 0 3¾	0 0 2½	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 2	0 0 2½	0 0 2	0 0 1¾
		Sugar, Ration, (in Bond) ..... per ton	13 5 4	11 7 6	10 5 5	8 12 6	11 0 0	11 0 0	16 17 6	15 12 0	15 13 0	15 15 0
		Ditto, Counter, (in Bond) ..... per ton	15 16 5				13 6 6	13 6 6	16 11 6	18 13 9	19 1 8	19 0 0
		Brandy, Pale, (in Bond) ..... per gallon	0 11 3	0 9 3	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 7 6	0 7 0 ¶	**1 3 9	¶ **1l 4s.	¶**1 0 5	**¶1 0 0
I.	3a	Rum (in Bond) ..... per gallon	0 2 0	0 1 9½	0 1 9½	0 1 9½	0 4 6	0 2 0	**0 15 6	**0 17 8	**1 0 0	**1 0 0
		Gin (in Bond) ..... per case	1 16 1	0 14 6	0 19 0	0 19 0	0 14 6	0 14 6	**1 9 0	**1 9 0	**4 10 0	**1 9 0
		Malt Liquor—										
		Colonial Ale ..... per 36 galls.	4 14 0‖	1 3 6‖	1 3 6‖	1 3 6‖	1 3 6‖	1 3 6‖	1 3 6‖	1 3 6‖	‖1 3 6	1 3 6‖
		Ditto, Porter ..... per 54 galls.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Wine, Port, (in Bond) ..... per gallon	0 6 10	0 6 0	0 9 3	0 9 3	0 7 9	0 7 9	0 7 1	0 6 0	0 7 6	0 7 0
	4	Tobacco, Cavendish, (in Bond) ..... per lb.	0 1 9¾	0 0 10	0 0 10	0 0 8	0 0 10½	0 1 0	**0 4 1	0 3 2	0 2 8	0 2 6½
	5	Vinegar ..... per pint	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 3	0 0 4⅛	0 0 4	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 1½	0 0 2½
	5	Tea, Black, Congou (in Bond) ..... per lb.	0 0 7¾	0 0 4½	0 0 5	0 0 5¼	0 0 6½	0 0 7	0 0 8¼	0 0 6	0 0 5	0 0 8
		Coffee, Whole, Roasted ..... ditto	0 1 8	0 1 8	0 1 2	0 1 2	0 1 2	0 1 2	0 1 3	0 1 4	0 1 2	0 1 2
		Salt ..... ditto	0 5 0§	0 5 0§	0 0 0½	0 0 0½	0 0 0½	0 5 0§	0 2 9§	0 4 0	§0 2 9	§0 2 9
	5	Candles, Composition ..... ditto	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 5	0 0 5	0 0 4¾	0 0 5	0 0 4½	0 0 4¼
IV.	28	Ditto, Tallow ..... ditto	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 3½	0 0 4	0 0 3½
IV.	28	Soap, Yellow, Colonial ..... per lb.	0 0 1⅜	0 0 1½	0 12 6§	0 12 3§	0 12 1½§	0 12 6§	0 12 6§	0 13 10	13 10 0	14 0 0
V.	31	Oil, Kerosene, (in Bond) ..... per gallon	0 0 10	0 0 9¼	0 0 8	0 0 8½	0 0 9¾	0 0 11	0 0 9	0 0 10½	0 1 0	0 0 10½

* For classification. † Per case. ‡ Contracted for Duty paid. § Per cwt. ‖ Per 9 gallons. ¶ Dark Brandy. ** Including Duty.

CONTRACT PRICES—HOBART.

RETURN of the Average Contract Prices of certain Articles supplied in Hobart to the Government of Tasmania, during the Year 1905.

Class.*	Order.	Articles.	Prices.	Class.*	Order.	Articles.	Prices.
I.	1	Butchers' Meat—					
		Beef and Mutton .....per 100 lbs.	24/11	I.	3a	Brandy, Dark, ...per gallon	20/
		Butter, Fresh..... ..... per lb.	11*d.*			Rum ..... per gallon	20/
		Ditto, Potted ..... ditto	10*d.*			Gin..... per case	29/
I.	2	Barley, Pearl ..... per cwt..	1½*d.*			Malt Liquor—	
		Bread, Fine..... ....per 100 lbs.	9/6			Colonial Ale ..... per 9 galls.	23/6
		Ditto, second quality...per 100 lbs.	9/0			Wine, Port..... per gallon	7/
		Currants ..... per lb.	4½*d.*		4	Tobacco, Fig..... per lb.	2/6½
		Flour, Fine ..... per ton	8*l*		5	Vinegar ..... per gallon	1/6
		Ditto, second quality ..... per ton	7*l* 12/ 0		5	Tea, Black, Congou.....per lb.	8*d.*
		Oatmeal ..... per ton	10*l*			Coffee, Whole, Roasted..... ditto	1/2
		Raisins ..... per lb.	5*d.*/		5	Salt .... per cwt.	2/9
		Rice ..... per cwt.	20/	IV.	28	Candles, Composition ....per lb.	4½*d.*
		Sago .....per lb.	1¾*d.*			Ditto, Tallow .....ditto	3½*d.*
		Sugar, Ration .....per ton	15*l* 15/			Soap, Yellow, Colonial... ..... per ton	14*l*
		„ Counter ..... per ton	19*l*	V.	31	Oil, Kerosene .....per gallon	10½*d.*

* For classification, *vide* p. 151.

PRICES OF PROVISIONS, &c.

COMPARATIVE RETURN showing the general Retail Prices of Provisions and other Articles at Hobart, during the Years quoted, as far as can be ascertained from the Statistics of the Colony.

Articles.	1851.	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1904.	1905.
Butter, Fresh ..... per lb.	2/3	1/4	1/ to 2/	10*d.* to 2/	1/ to 2/	10*d.* to 1/6	1/	1/
Ditto, Potted.....ditto	1/	1/2	9*d.* to 1/	10*d.* to 1/4	1/ to 1/8	7*d.* to 1/	9*d.*	10*d.*
Cheese, Colonial .....ditto	1/2	1/6	8*d.* to 9*d.*	6*d.* to 1/	8*d.* to 1/	6*d.* to 9*d.*	8*d.*	9*d.*
Ditto, English..... ditto	..	1/8	1/2	..	2/		..	1/5
Eggs..... per dozen	..	..	1/ to 1/6	9*d.* to 2/6	1/ to 2/6	8*d.* to 2/	1/	1/
Ham, Colonial..... per lb.	..	.	1/6	1/ to 1/3	10*d.* to 1/	6*d.* to 1*d.*	1/	1/
Meat—								
Bacon .....ditto	1/	..	7½*d.* to 9*d.*	9*d.* to 1/	9*d.* to 1/	9*d.*	9*d.*	9*d.*
Beef .....ditto	4*d.*	5½*d.*	5½*d.* to 7*d.*	2½*d.* to 8*d.*	6*d.* to 8*d.*	4*d.* to 8*d.*	6*d.*	7*d.*
Mutton .....ditto	3*a.*	5½*d.*	2½*d.* to 6*d.*	2*d.* to 8*d.*	3*d.* to 6*d.*	3*d.* to 6*d.*	5*d.*	5*d.*
Milk..... per quart	..	8*d.*	6*d.*	4*d.* to 6*d.*	5*d.*	4*d.*	4*d.*	5*d.*
Bread..... per 2-lb. loaf	5*d.*	3½*d.*	3*d.* to 3½*d.*	2½*d.* to 3*d.*	3*d.* to 3½*d.*	2½*d.*	3*d.*	3*d.*
Flour, Fine ..... per ton	10*l*	14*l* 10/	11*l* 10/ to 12*l* 10/	10*l* to 12*l*	13*l* to 14*l*	6*l* 10/ to 8*l* 8/	10*l*	9*l*
Grain—								
Wheat..... per bushel	9/	5/ to 6/	4/9 to 5/	4/ to 5/	4/9 to 5/	3/6 to 3/9	4/	4/
Barley .....ditto	..	6/	3/9 to 5/	3/6 to 4/6	3/6 to 3/9	3/ to 3/9	4/	4/
Oats .....ditto	..	3/ to 4/	3/ to 3/9	2/6 to 3/	2/3 to 2/6	2/6 to 2/9	2/6	2/6
Rice .....per lb.	2*d.*	4*d.*	3½*d.* to 4½*d.*	3*d.* to 4*d.*	3*d.* to 3½*d.*	3*d.*	3*d.*	3*d.*
Sugar,Counter & Ration,ditto	2½*d.*	4*d.*	3*d.* to 4½*d.*	3½*d.* to 5*d.*	2½*d.* to 4*d.*	2½*d.* to 4*d.*	2½*d.*	3½*d.*
Vegetables—Potatoes,per ton	3*l* 10/	4*l*	3*l* 10/ to 4*l*	3*l* to 4*l* 10/	3*l* to 12*l*	2*l* 9/ to 6*l*	4*l*	4/
Spirits .....per gallon	..	1*l* 8/	1*l* 12/ to 2*l* 2/	1*l* 8/ to 1*l* 12/	1*l* 5/ to 1*l* 10/	22/6 to 28/	24/ to 30/	24/ to 30/
Malt Liquors—Beer ...ditto	1/4	2/	2/	2/	1/6	1/6	1/6	1/6
Wines .....per doz.	..	..	1*l* 10/	1*l* 10/ to 3*l*	2*l* 10/	1*l* 16/*	25/	25/
Tobacco .....per lb.	3/6	5/6	3/6 to 5/	4/ to 5/6	5/ to 8/	4/6 to 5/3	5/ to 6/	4/6 to 6/
Tea .....ditto	1/1	2/6	1/6 to 3/6	2/ to 3/	1/ to 2/6	1/ to 2/6	9*d.* to 1/	9*d.* to 1/3
Coffee.....ditto	1/	2/	1/8	2/	1/6 to 2/	1/6	1/9	1/9
Candles Tallow ..... ditto	4½*d.*	7*d.*	6*d.*	6*d.*	4*d.*	4*d.*	4*d.*	4*d.*
Soap.....per cwt.	1*l* 8/	..	1*l* 16/ to 1*l* 18/	1*l* 10/ to 2*l*	15/ to 1*l* 15/	20/	22/	20/
Hay .....per ton	..	3*l* to 6*l*	2*l* 10/ to 3*l*	2*l* 10/ to 4*l*	2*l* 10/ to 3*l*	3*l* to 5*l*	4*l*	3*l* 10/
Straw .....ditto	..	..	2*l*	1*l* 15/ to 2*l* 10/	1*l* 10/ to 1*l* 12/	1*l* 10/ to 1*l* 15/	2*l*	35*l*
Firewood—Uncut ...per ton	9/	..	8/ to 12/6			8/6	10/	9/6
Oil, Kerosene .....per gallon	4/	6/	3/6 to 4/	9/ to 12/	10/ to 15/	1/6	1/	1/
Coals..... per ton	15/	..	18/ to 1*l* 3/	3/ to 3/6	2/6	20/ to 26/	20/ to 22/	18/ to 20/
				20/ to 30/	20/ to 23/			

* Colonial.

PRICES OF PROVISIONS, &c.

RETURN showing the general Retail Prices of Provisions and other Articles at Hobart, during the Year 1905.

Class.*	Order.	Articles.	Prices.	Class.*	Order.	Articles.	Prices.
I.	1	Butter, Fresh .....per lb.	1/	I.	3a.	Spirits—	
		Ditto, Potted .....ditto	10*d.*			Brandy ..... per gallon	30/
		Cheese, Colonial.....ditto	9*d.*			Rum .....ditto	24/
		Eggs .....per dozen	1/			Whisky .....ditto	25/
		Ham, Colonial.....per lb.	1/			Malt Liquors—	
		Meat—				Ale, English (bottled), per gallon	7/
		Bacon .....per lb.	9*d.*			Ale, Colonial .....ditto	3/6
		Beef .....ditto	7*d.*			Beer, Colonial.....ditto	1/6
		Mutton.....ditto	5*d.*			Porter, English (bottled), ditto	7/
		Pork.....ditto	7*d.*			Ditto, Coloinal... .ditto	4/
		Fish, fresh.....per lb.	4*d.*			Wines—	
		Milk.....per quart	4*d.*			Port, Colonial..... uozen	25/
I.	2	Barley, Pearl.....per lb.	2*d.*		4	Sherry .....ditto	25/
		Biscuit, plain dry .....ditto	3*d.*			Tobacco, Negrohead per lb.	4/6
		Ditto, fancy sweet, ditto	6*d.*		5	Ditto, Cavendish...ditto	6/
		Bread ..... per 2-lb. loaf	3*d.*			Tea, Ration .....ditto	9*d.* to 1*s*
		Flour, Fine..... .....per ton	£9			Ditto, Black .....ditto	1/3 to 2/
		Ditto, Seconds....per ton	£8 10/			Coffee, roasted and ground, per lb.	1/9
		Sago .....per lb.	3*d.*			Cocoa .....per lb.	1/4
		Corn Flour..... ditto	6*d.*	IV.	28	Candles, Tallow .....ditto	4*d.*
		Hay .....per ton	£3 10/			Ditto, Wax .....ditto	6*d.*
		Fruits—				Soap .....per cwt.	20/
		Apples ..... per bushel	4/			Timber—	
		Plums..... ..... ditto	3/	V.	30	Sawn.....per 100 feet	6/
		Gooseberries ..... ditto	4/			Palings, 6 feet ...per 100	10/6
		Raspberries ..... per lb.	3*d.*			Ditto, 5 feet.....ditto	9/
		Jam ..... per lb.	4*d.*			Shingles.....per 1000	11/
		Grain—				Posts and Rails...per 100	30/
		Wheat.....per bushel	4/			Firewood—	
		Barley .....ditto	4/			Gum, in log.....per ton	9/6
		Oats .....ditto	2/6			Ditto, split .....ditto	14/
		Maize .....ditto	4/			Straw .....per ton	35*s.*
		Oatmeal .....per lb.	2*d.*	V.	31	Oil, Colza .....per gallon	5/
		Rice .....ditto	3*d.*			Ditto, Kerosene ...ditto	1/
		Sugar, Counter .....ditto	2½*d.*			Oil, Sperm .....per gallon	3/6
		Ditto, Ration .....ditto	2½*d.*	VI.	35	Coals—	
		Ditto, Loaf .....ditto	4*d.*			Tasmanian .....per ton	18/
		Vegetables—				Newcastle .....ditto	20/
		Carrots ..... per bunch	3*d.*				
		Onions ..... per lb.	2*d.*				
		Potatoes ..... per cwt.	7/6				

* For classification, *vide* p. 151.

PRICES OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.

RETURN showing the Wholesale Prices of Provisions and other Articles at Hobart, during the Year 1905.

Class.*	Order.	Article.	Price.	Class.*	Order.	Article.	Price.
I.	3a.	Beer.... ..... per gallon	1/2			Meats—	
	1	Bacon ..... per lb.	7*d.*	I.	1	Beef..... per lb.	5*d.*
	1	Butter .....ditto	11*d.*		1	Mutton..... ditto	4*d.*
IV.	28	Candles .....ditto	4½*d.*		1	Pork..... ditto	5*d.*
I.	1	Cheese .....ditto	6*d.*		1	Milk .....per quart.	2½*d.*
VI.	35	Coal .....per ton	18/		2	Potatoes.....per ton.	£7 10*s.*
I.	1	Eggs .....per dozen	10*d.*		2	Rice .....per cwt.	£1 5*s.*
I.	2	Flour.....per ton	£8 10/	IV.	28	Soap.....per ton.	£18 to £19
		Fruit—				Spirits—	
	2	Apples .....per bushel	4/	I.	3	Brandy ..... per gallon.	25*s.* to 36*s.*
	1	Ham .....per lb.	10*d.*		3a.	Rum..... ..... ditto	18*s.* to 22*s.*
	2	Hay.....per ton.	£3		3a.	Whiskey..... ditto	23*s.* to 29*s.*
	2	Chaff.....ditto	£3 15*s.*			Wine—	
	1	Hops .....per lb.	1/2		3.	Colonial.....per doz.	12*s.* to 50*s.*
	2	Jam.....ditto	3½*d.*		3a.	Other .....ditto	36*s.* to 110*s.*
	2	Pulp..... per ton	£30				

* For classification see p. 151.

PRICES OF VARIOUS ARTICLES.

TEXTILE FABRICS AND DRESS.

RETURN showing the Current Prices of Clothing, &c. paid in Hobart, for Persons of the Labouring Class, in the Year 1905.

Men's.		s.	d.
Boots, strong	per pair	5	0
Caps	each	0	9
Coats (tweed)	„	7	6
Handkerchiefs, cotton	„	0	4
Hats, felt	„	1	9
Ditto, straw	„	1	0
Jackets (Dungaree)	„	4	6
Shirts, Crimean	„	5	0
Ditto, white cotton	„	2	6
Ditto, coloured or striped cotton	„	1	6
Ditto, flannel (under)	„	3	6
Ditto, merino „	„	1	6
Socks, cotton	per pair	0	3
Ditto, woollen	„	0	9
Stockings, woollen	„	1	0
Trousers, common (tweed)	„	4	6
Ditto, duck or dungaree	„	3	6
Ditto, moleskin	„	4	6
Vests, (common), tweed	each	2	9
Suits, tweed or cloth	„	15	0
Trousers and Vest	„	8	0
Blankets	per pair	8	0
Ditto, coloured	„	4	6

Women's.		s.	d
Calico, grey	per yard	0	3½
Ditto, white	„	0	3
Chemises (flannelette and other)	each	1	3
Drawers, L. cloth and flannelette	„	1	0
Dresses, Tweeds	per yard	0	6
Ditto, print	„	0	3
Ditto, muslin	„	0	3½
Flannel	„	0	9
Flannelette	„	0	4
Night-dresses, L. cloth and flannelette	„	2	6
Petticoats, calico	„	3	0
Ditto, flannel	„	5	0
Print Hoods	„	1	0
Shawls, woollen or printed	„	4	6
Sheeting, grey calico	per yard	0	9
Ditto, white	„	0	9
Shoes	per pair	6	0
Stays	„	2	6
Stockings, worsted	„	0	4½
Straw Hats	each	0	9

PRICES OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE.

RETURN showing Wholesale Prices of Agricultural Produce, Season 1905–6.

Crop.	Local Ruling Prices at Hobart and Launceston.		
	Hobart.	Launceston.	
Wheat	3*s.* 6*d.* to 3*s.* 9*d.*	3*s.* 8*d.* to 3*s.* 9*d.*	Per Standard. bushel.
Barley—English	3*s.* to 4*s.* 3*d.*	3*s.* 9*d.*	„
Barley—Cape	3*s.* 3*d.* to 3*s.* 6*d.*	3*s.* 6*d.*	„
Oats	2*s.* to 3*s.*	2*s.* 10*d.* to 3*s.*	„
Rye	3*s.* 6*d.* to 4*s.*	3*s.* 6*d.*	„
Pease	4*s.* to 5*s.*	4*s.* 6*d.*	„
Beans—Horse	4*s.* 6*d.* to 5*s.*	5*s.*	„
Tares	7*s.* to 10*s.*	7*s.*	„
Maize	...	...	„
Potatoes	£6 10*s.* to £7 10*s.*	£7	ton.
Turnips	£2 to £4	30*s.*	„
Carrots	£2 10*d.* to £4	30*s.*	„
Mangel Wurzel	25*s.*	...	„
Onions	...	£9	„
Grasses (Seed)	English & Italian, 4*s.*	4*s.* to 8*s.*	bushel.
Hay	£3 10*s.* to £3 15*s.*	£2 16*s.*	ton.
Hops	10*d.* to 1*s.* 3*d.*	...	lb.

(Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished.)

RETURN showing Average Prices of Fruit used in the manufacture of Jam for Season 1905.

		s.	d.			s.	d.
Apricots	per lb.	0	1	Plums (Egg)	per bushel	4	0
Blackberries	„	0	1¼	„ (Greengage)	„	4	0
Cherries (Kentish)	„	0	1¼	„ (Orlean)	„	3	0
Currants, Black	„	0	1¾	„ (Other)	„	3	0
„ Red	„	0	1¾	Quinces	per bushel	3	0
Gooseberries	per bushel	2	6	Raspberries	per lb.	0	1½
Peaches	„	5	0	Strawberries	„	0	4
Plums (Damson)	„	3	6				

DECENNIAL RETURN showing Average Prices of Fruit used in the manufacture of Jam.

	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.		1901.		1902.		1903.		1904.		1905.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Apricots per lb.	0	1	0	1½	0	1½	0	1¾	0	1¾	0	1¼	0	1¼	0	1¼	0	1	0	1
Blackberries „	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1½	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1¼	0	1¼	0	1¼
Cherries (Kentish) „	0	0¾	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1¼	0	1	0	1¼
Currants, Black „	0	2½	0	2½	0	3	0	2¼	0	2	0	2	0	1½	0	1¾	0	2½	0	1¾
„ Red „	0	1½	0	1½	0	1½	0	1½	0	2	0	1½	0	1½	0	1¾	0	2	0	1¾
Gooseberries per bushel	3	0	3	6	3	6	4	6	4	3	3	9	3	9	3	0	2	6	2	6
Peaches „	2	6	...		...		...		3	0	5	0	5	0	5	0	5	0	5	0
Plums (Damson) „	1	6	1	6	1	6	3	0	3	0	2	0	2	6	3	0	2	0	3	6
„ (Egg) „	2	6	4	0	4	0	5	0	4	0	3	0	3	0	4	0	3	0	4	0
„ (Greengage) „	2	6	4	0	4	0	5	0	5	0	4	0	4	0	5	0	3	0	4	0
„ (Orlean) „	2	0	2	0	2	0	3	6	2	6	2	0	2	0	3	6	2	0	3	0
„ (Other) „	2	0	2	0	2	0	3	6	2	6	2	0	2	6	3	0	2	0	3	0
Quinces „	2	0	...		...		...		3	0	3	0	4	0	4	0	4	0	3	0
Raspberries per lb.	0	1¾	0	2¾	0	3	0	3¼	0	2½	0	1¾	0	1½	0	1½	0	2	0	1½
Strawberries „	0	3	0	3	0	2½	0	2½	0	3	0	3½	0	4	0	4	0	4	0	4

HOUSE RENT, &c., in Hobart and Launceston, and in Suburbs, 1905.

	Hobart.	Launceston.
3 Rooms, per week	4*s.* to 5*s.*	4*s.* to 6*s.*
Ditto, with Garden	5*s.* to 7*s.*	4*s.* to 6*s.*
4 or 5 rooms, per week	7*s.* to 8*s.*	9*s.* to 12*s.*
Ditto, with Kitchen and Garden, ditto	8*s.* to 12*s.*	10*s.* to 15*s.*
Larger Houses, per year	£35 to £45	£39 to £50
Superior ditto, ditto	£45 to £80	£59 to £90
Board and Lodging, per week	15*s.* to 63*s.*	15*s.* to 30*s.*

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished.]

DECENNIAL RETURN of House Rents paid, as ascertained from the Statistics of the Colony.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
3 rooms, per week	4/ to 7/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/
Ditto, with garden	5/ to 9/	4/ to 7/	4/ to 7/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 6/	4/ to 7/	4/ to 7/	4/ to 7/
4 or 5 rooms, per week	7/ to 12/	6/ to 10/	6/ to 15/	5/ to 12/	5/ to 12/	5/ to 12/	5/ to 12/	7/ to 10/	7/ to 12/	7/ to 12/
Ditto, with kitchen & garden, per week	8/ to 14/	7/ to 12/	7/ to 15/	7/ to 15/	7/ to 15/	7/ to 15/	7/ to 15/	8/ to 15/	8/ to 15/	8/ to 15/
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Larger houses, per year	30 to 60	25 to 70	25 to 52	30 to 50	30 to 50	30 to 50	30 to 50	35 to 50	35 to 50	35 to 50
Superior ditto, ditto	60 to 100	40 to 100	40 to 100	50 to 80	59 to 75	50 to 80	50 to 90	55 to 80	45 to 90	45 to 90
Board and lodging, per week	15/ to 30/	15/ to 60/	15/ to 60/	16/ to 63/	17/6-63/	17/6-63/	15/ to 63/	15/ to 63/	15/ to 63/	15/ to 63/

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ABSTRACT of Receipts and Payments for the Year ended 30th June, 1906, including Transactions of Consolidated Revenue of 1905-6 during Months of July and August, 1906.

Dr. Receipts.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Expenditure.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Cr.
To Cash balance brought from 30 June, 1905	..			73,626	9	1								
GENERAL REVENUE FUND.														
SURPLUS COMMONWEALTH REVENUE RETURNABLE TO STATE	256,390	11	7				His Excellency the Governor's Establishment	3503	1	5				
TAXATION—							Ministerial	3295	11	4				
Land Tax	54,776	2	1				Premier's Office	410	18	6				
Tax under Taxation Act, 1904	28,050	19	9				Executive Council	3	14	7				
Income Tax	70,269	12	2				Agent-General in England	1381	11	4				
Stamp Duties	51,155	9	9				Miscellaneous—Premier	553	19	3				
Bank Notes—Duty on	2924	10	0				Legislature—							
Police Rate	0	19	8				Legislative Council	843	16	1				
Deceased Persons' Estates Duty	26,335	10	1				House of Assembly	1934	1	4				
Percentage on Totalisator Receipts	1350	2	1				General—Reimbursement of Expenses of Members	4289	19	5				
Licences—							Electoral	1196	9	5				
Registration of Dogs	810	15	0				Special Services	4307	8	6				
Registration of Clubs	5	0	0				Chief Secretary's Department	968	4	8				
Publicans' and other Licences under Licensing Act	9996	15	0				Audit Department	2658	15	1				
Wholesale	737	10	0				Statistical and Registration Department	2656	5	8				
Packet	128	13	4				Inspection of Machinery	1252	8	10				
Billiard and Bagatelle	587	10	0				Public Buildings	1517	6	6				
Auctioneers'	1010	0	0				Pensions, &c.	12,814	15	7				
Pawnbrokers'	80	0	0				Charitable Department	4392	3	5				
Hawkers', Carriers', and all other Licences	579	5	0				Training School for Boys, and Farm	1098	8	0				
Total from Taxation	248,798	13	11				New Town Charitable Institution	4599	13	4				
SPECIAL PUBLIC SERVICES—							Neglected Children Department	2843	2	8				
Railways	241,688	4	2				Invalid Depôt, Launceston	1056	16	8				
Stock Act Receipts	120	12	11				Grants to Charitable Institutions	700	0	0				
Commonwealth of Australia—For Services of State Officers	200	0	0				Grants to Medical Institutions	13,458	2	4				
Hospital for Insane—Maintenance of Paying Patients, &c.	4901	15	9				Hospital for the Insane, New Norfolk	16,357	14	7				
Gaol, Hobart—Sale of Metal, Boots and Shoes, Washing, &c.	362	19	11				Hospitals for Contagious Disaases	163	19	8				
New Town Charitable Institution—Maintenance, Sale of Milk, &c.	331	11	7				Public Health Department	2234	6	2				
Training School for Boys	556	18	8				Magazines and Explosives	347	3	9				
Government Printer	12,892	16	4				Agricultural and Stock Department	2184	18	6				
Education Department—School Fees	13,995	13	3				Council of Agriculture	1605	1	3				
Department of Agriculture	152	14	10				Civil Service Board	90	11	9				
Contributions from Home Government—For support of prisoners, lunatics, paupers, and hospital patients	221	12	2				Public Service Board	195	6	0				
Commission for payment of Imperial Pensions and other charges	426	18	0				Miscellaneous—Chief Secretary	4250	18	5				
Gaol, Launceston	0	10	0				Treasury	4723	13	7				
Invalid Depôt, Launceston	76	13	9				Office of Taxes	5271	17	3				
Fees from various Departments—							Printing Department	11,587	9	9				
Recorder of Titles	4863	17	7				State Savings Bank	2067	9	7				
Sheriff	96	5	0				Interest	352,596	12	2				
Curator of Intestate Estates—Commission	209	16	1				Sinking Funds	29,080	17	8				
Registrar-General	485	19	0				Miscellaneous—Treasurer	3039	13	8				
Inspector of Machinery	1005	15	0				Attorney-General	602	6	2				
Surveys	10,132	13	11				Parliamentary Draftsman	300	0	0				
For Grant Deeds and Diagrams	446	18	0				Solicitor-General	1281	19	3				
Crown Solicitor	142	5	6				The Judges	4503	13	7				
Public Health Department	3	0	0				Supreme Court, Registry of Deeds, Probate Duties, and Stamp Duties	1831	9	8				
Registrar Charitable Institutions	0	10	0				Lands' Titles	3076	9	7				
Fees under Merchant Ships Officers' Examination Act	34	0	0				Sheriff and Court of Requests	1671	11	8				
Fees for Steamship Certificates	70	1	0				Administration of Justice	1076	19	5				
Fees on introduction of Private Bills	31	10	0				Courts of Requests and Court of Bankruptcy, Launceston	764	1	11				
Miscellaneous Fees	1	11	10				Magistracy	4057	14	8				
Total Special Public Services	293,410	0	7				Courts of Requests generally	102	16	4				
							Police Department	34,736	8	5				
							Gaol, Hobart	4657	1	6				
							Gaol, Launceston	616	14	9				
							Gaols, General Service	440	9	10				
							Education	59,714	3	11				
							Tasmanian University	4000	0	0				
							Department of Lands and Surveys	7360	6	2				
							Department of Public Works	2369	9	10				
							Department of Mines	5278	2	11				
							Department of Railways	172,600	14	2				
							Roads, Bridges, Surveys, Tracks, Buildings, Ferries, &c.	24,039	4	2				
							Miscellaneous—Minister of Lands and Works	188	8	0				
							Miscellaneous—General	10,342	6	6				
Carried forward	798,599	6	1	73,626	9	1	*Total General Expenditure*	..			*£853,147	0	1	
							Carried forward	..			£853,147	0	1	

* This amount embraces £832,213 6*s.* 6*d.* expended on account of the current financial year during the year, and £20,933 13*s.* 7*d.* on account of 1905-6 during months of July and August, 1906.

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS, 1906—*continued.*

Dr. Receipts.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Expenditure Cr.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brought Forward	798,599 6 1	73,526 9 1	*Brought Forward*	..	853,147 0 1
BUILDINGS, LAND, AND PUBLIC INVESTMENTS.					
Interest on Public Account, Loans to Local Bodies, &c...	18,223 14 10				
Rentals—					
Rent of Government Property	1063 7 2				
Storage of Gunpowder	610 1 9				
Rent of Crown Lands	6428 10 11				
Rent of Auriferous and Mineral Lands	18,275 4 8				
Fees in connection with ditto	2544 6 3				
Sale of Crown Lands.....	44,240 7 0				
Fees received by Surveyor-General for Timber Licences, Residence Licences, Sawmilling Areas, Transfers, &c.	4921 5 0				
Sale of Government Property.	560 12 3				
Total Buildings, Lands, and Public Investments ...	96,867 9 10				
OTHER SOURCES—					
Fines, and Fees connected therewith	1822 10 3				
Unclaimed Intestate Estates..	873 3 5				
Sale of Stolen and Unclaimed Property...	8 15 0				
Sale of Seizures	94 2 0				
Miscellaneous	2391 17 6				
Total other Sources....	5190 8 11				
Total Receipts from General Revenue.....		900,657 4 10			

SPECIAL RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS.

Lighthouse Rates.....	6827 18 8		Lighthouse Rates	6850 2 2	
Marine Boards.....	18,808 19 7		Marine Boards	21,541 15 7	
Total Special Receipts.	..	25,636 18 3	*Total Special Payments .*	..	28,391 17 9

LOANS ACCOUNTS.

Sundry Receipts	15,562 0 6	15,562 0 6	Other Expenditure	152,533 5 2	152,533 5 2

SUSPENSE ACCOUNTS.

Treasury Bills in aid of Revenue	215,891 4 5		Treasury Bills in aid of Revenue redeemed.	162,810 0 0	
Inscribed Stock and Local Inscribed Stock, raised for Public Works, &c..	446,514 6 3		Local Inscribed Stock and Debentures redeemed.....	171,085 17 1	
Sundry Suspense Accounts	1,193,534 15 2		Sundry Suspense Accounts 1,416,386 6 4		
		1,855,940 5 10			1,750,282 3 5
					2,784,354 6 5
			By Cash balance on 30th June, 1906	..	87,068 12 1
		£2,871,422 18 6			£2,871,422 18 6

ALEXANDER REID, *Under-Treasurer.*

ABSTRACT OF PUBLIC REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE) ON ACCOUNT OF THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.

Based upon Moneys actually received and paid by State Treasury up to and including 31st August, 1906.

REVENUE.

Heads of Receipts.	Collected by State.	Collected by Commonwealth.	Total.	Per Head of Population.	Per cent. to Total
FROM TAXATION—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
Customs and Excise	...	326,394 16 11	326,394 16 11	36 5	29·85
Land Tax	54,776 2 1	...	54,776 2 1	6 1	
Taxation Act, 1905 (Ability)	28,050 19 9	...	28,050 19 9	3 2	
Income Tax / Companies' Tax	70,269 12 2	...	70,269 12 2	7 10	
Stamp Duty	51,155 9 9	...	51,155 9 9	5 9	
Bank Note Duty	2924 10 0	...	2924 10 0	0 4	22·77
Probate Duty / Deceased Persons' Estates Duty	26,335 10 1	...	26,335 10 1	2 11	
Licences &c.	13,935 8 4	...	13,935 8 4	1 7	
Totalisator Tax	1350 2 1	...	1350 2 1	0 1	
Police Rate	0 19 8	...	0 19 8	...	
Total Taxation	248,798 13 11	326,394 16 11	575,193 10 10	64 2	52·62
FROM SPECIAL PUBLIC SERVICES—					
Railways	241,688 4 2	...	241,688 4 2	27 0	22·11
Posts and Telegraphs	...	118,730 8 8	118,730 8 8	13 3	10·86
Statistical and Registration Departments	485 19 0	...	...	0 1	0·49
Lands Titles' Department	4863 17 7	...	...	0 6	
Printing Department	12,892 16 4	...	...	1 5	1·18
Stock Department	120 12 11	...	...		
Department of Agriculture	152 14 10	...	...	0 2	
Inspector of Machinery	1005 15 0	...	...		
Surveys of Land, &c.	10,579 11 11	...	...	1 2	
Gaols	363 9 11	...	...		3·36
Charitable and Medical Institutions	5866 19 9	...	...	0 8	
Education	13,955 13 3	...	...	1 7	
Miscellaneous	1434 5 11	3255 16 7	...	0 6	
	51,721 16 5	3255 16 7	54,977 13 0	6 1	5·03
Total from Special Public Services	293,410 0 7	121,986 5 3	415,396 5 10	46 4	38·00

EXPENDITURE.

Heads of Expenditure.	Disbursed by State.	Disbursed by Commonwealth.	Total.	Per Head of Population.	Per cent. to Total.
COST OF GOVERNMENT –	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	s. d.	
Governor's Establishment	3503 1 5	...		0 5	
Legislative(including Elections)	12,571 14 9	...		1 5	
Customs Department	...	9371 13 4		1 0	
Audit Department	2658 15 1	...		0 4	
Premier's Office	410 18 6	...		...	
Ministerial	3295 11 4			0 5	
Executive Council	3 14 7	...		...	
Chief Secretary's Department	968 4 8	...		0 1	
Treasurer's Department	3799 0 5	...		0 5	
Attorney-General's Department	902 6 2	...		0 1	
Office of Taxes	5271 17 3	...		0 7	
Miscellaneous	839 17 0	16,549 18 4		1 10	
	34,225 1 2	25,921 11 8	60,146 12 10	6 8	5·75
LAW AND PROTECTION—					
Solicitor-General's Department	1281 19 3	...		0 2	
The Judges	4503 13 7	...		0 6	
Sheriff and Court of Requests	1671 11 8	...		0 2	
Administration of Justice	1076 19 5	...			
Court of Requests, &c., Launceston	764 1 11	...		0 2	
Magistracy	4160 11 0	...		0 6	
Police	34,736 8 5	...		3 11	
Gaols	5714 6 1	...		0 7	
Defence	...	32,613 5 10		3 8	
Miscellaneous	2091 17 7	7670 10 0		1 1	
	56,001 8 11	40,283 15 10	96,285 4 9	10 9	9·20
SCIENCE AND EDUCATION.					
Education	63,714 3 8	...		7 1	
Museum and Botanical Gardens	1450 0 0	...		0 2	
Libraries—Public	750 0 0	...		0 1	
Miscellaneous	1559 10 7	...		0 2	
	67,473 13 8	...	67,473 13 8	7 6	6·45

FROM BUILDINGS, LANDS, AND PUBLIC INVESTMENTS.						
Interest on Public Accounts, &c.	18,223 14 10	...	...	...	...	
Rentals—						
Government Property	1063 7 2	...	...	...	...	
Storage of Gunpowder	610 1 9	...	...		...	
Crown Lands	6428 10 11	...	...	...	...	
Fees & Licences—Timber, &c.	20,819 10 11	...	...	...	...	
Sale of Crown Lands	44,240 7 0	...	...	...	...	
Sale of Government Property	560 12 3	...	...	...	...	
Total Buildings, Lands, &c.	96,867 9 10	...	96,867 9 10	10 10	8·86	
Other Sources	5190 8 11	574 5 1	5764 14 0	0 8	0·52	
Carried forward	644,266 13 3	448,955 7 3	1,093,222 0 6	1220	100·00	

HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES—						
Charitable Institutions	14,690 4 3	...	...	...		
Medical Institutions — Public Health Department	29,981 4 11	...	...	...		
	44,671 9 0	...	44,671 9 0	5 0	4·27	
SERVICE DEPARTMENTS—						
Statistical and Registration Department	2656 5 8	...	...			
Lands' Titles	3076 9 7	...	...			
Supreme Court and Registrar of Deeds	1831 9 8	...	...	1 0	0·85	
Agent-General	1381 11 4	...	...			
Printing Department	11,587 9 9	...	...	1 3	1·11	
Stores Department	924 13 2	...	...			
Analyst	...	...	...			
Magazines and Explosives	347 3 9	...	...			
Agricultural and Stock Department	2184 18 6	...	...	0 11	0·75	
Council of Agriculture	1605 1 3	...	...			
Inspector of Machinery	1252 8 10	...	...			
Public Buildings	1517 6 6	...	...			
Railway Maintenance	172,600 14 2	...	...	19 3	16·49	
Lands and Surveys Department	7360 6 2	...	...			
Public Works Department	2369 9 10	...	...	2 8	2·26	
Mines Department	5278 2 11	...	...			
Surveys of Land for Sale, &c.	8662 9 3	...	...			
Posts and Telegraphs[b]	...	174,395 7 3	...	12 9	10·93	
State Savings Bank	2067 9 7	...	...			
Public Health Department	2234 6 2	...	...	1 3	1·04	
Miscellaneous	...	6551 0 6	...			
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES—						
Roads, Bridges, and Jetties—Repairs, &c.	3936 13 9	...	...			
Queen's Domain — Repairs to Fences, &c.	340 1 5	...	...			
Public Buildings—Repairs, &c.	1601 16 9	...	...	1 5	1·22	
Tracks	149 10 1	...	...			
Aid to Ferries	425 0 0	...	...			
Sugar Bounties	...	6194 0 0	...			
Sundries	59 13 9	80 10 0	...			
	235,450 11 10	127,220 17 9	362,671 9 7	40 6	34·65	

ABSTRACT OF PUBLIC REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE (COMMONWEALTH AND STATE) ON ACCOUNT OF THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906—*continued.*

REVENUE.

Heads of Receipts.	Collected by State.	Collected by Commonwealth.	Total.	Per Head of Population.	Percent. Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
Brought forward	644,266 13 3	448,955 7 3	1,093,222 0 6	122 0	
Gross Total (Direct)	644,266 13 3	448,955 7 3	1,093,222 0 6	122 0	
Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returned to State	+256,390 11 7	−256,390 11 7	...	...	...
TOTAL REVENUE, YEAR 1905-6...	900,657 4 10	192,564 15 8	1,093,222 0 6	122 0	100·00

EXPENDITURE.

Heads of Expenditure.	Disbursed by State.	Disbursed by Commonwealth.	Total.	Per Head of Population.	Per cent. to Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	
AID TO LOCAL BODIES—					
Reserves for Residence Areas	372 2 10	...	...		
Main Road Subsidies.....	7697 17 2	...	...		
Aid to Road Trusts and Town Boards.....	593 17 9	...	...		
	8663 17 9	...	8663 17 9	1 0	0 83
INTEREST, SINKING FUNDS, PENSIONS, &C.—					
Interest.....	352,596 12 2	...	...	39 4	
Sinking Fund	7322 5 6	...	...	0 10	
Sinking Fund Reserves from Crown Lands	21,658 12 2	...	...	2 5	
Commission and Exchange	2832 13 3	...	...	0 4	
Pensions and Compensation ...	14,690 17 4	...	...	1 8	
	399,101 0 5	...	399,101 9 5	44 7	38 1
Miscellaneous, General	7559 17 4	...	7559 17 4	0 10	0 72
TOTAL EXPENDITURE, 1905-6	853,147 0 1	193,426 5 3	1,046,573 5 4	116 10	100·00

[a] Customs and Excise Departments transferred to control of Commonwealth Government on 1st January, 1901.
[b] Transferred to control of Commonwealth Government, 1st March, 1901.

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STATEMENT showing the Net Expenditure of the State during the Year ended 30th June, 1905, and the Year ended 30th June, 1906.

Heads of Expenditure.	1906. Gross Expenditure.	1906. Revenue for Services Rendered.	1906. Net Expenditure.	1905. Net Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cost of Government—				
Governor's Establishment	3503 1 5	...	3503 1 5	3647 6 4
Premier's Office	410 18 6	...	410 18 6	431 2 2
Ministerial	3295 11 6	...	3295 11 4	3212 0 1
Executive Council	3 14 7	...	3 14 7	2 3 0
Legislative (Including Elections)	12,571 14 9	...	12,571 14 9	11,005 9 2
Chief Secretary's Department	968 4 8	...	968 4 8	958 1 9
Treasurer's Department	3799 0 5	427 0 0	3372 0 5	3316 19 10
Attorney-General's Department	902 6 2	...	902 6 2	911 3 11
Audit Department	2658 15 1	...	2658 15 1	2222 6 1
Office of Taxes	5271 17 3	...	5271 17 3	4993 6 1
Miscellaneous	839 17 0	...	839 17 0	388 12 2
	34,225 1 2	427 0 0	33,798 1 2	31,088 10 7
Law and Protection—				
Solicitor-General's Department	1281 19 3	173 0 0	1108 19 3	751 1 10
The Judges	4503 13 7	...	4503 13 7	4533 5 0
Sheriff and Court of Requests	1671 11 8	306 0 0	1365 11 9	1285 14 1
Administration of Justice	1076 19 5	...	1076 19 5	996 11 5
Court of Requests, &c., Launceston	764 1 11	...	764 1 11	931 18 1
Magistracy	4160 11 0	...	4160 11 0	4274 16 9
Police	34,726 8 5	...	34,726 8 5	36,211 3 7
Gaols	5714 6 1	364 0 0	5350 6 1	5492 6 11
Tasmanian Military Contingents to South Africa	...	...	...	48 14 4
Miscellaneous	2091 17 7	...	2091 17 7	4577 2 10
	56,001 8 11	843 0 0	55,158 8 11	59,102 14 10
Science and Education—				
Education	63,714 3 1	13,956 0 0	49,758 3 1	55,430 11 8
Museum and Botanical Gardens	1450 0 0	...	1450 0 0	1450 0 0
Libraries—Public	750 0 0	...	750 0 0	675 0 0
Miscellaneous	1559 10 7	...	1559 10 7	1124 10 9
	67,473 13 8	13,956 0 0	53,517 13 8	58,680 2 5
Hospitals and Charities—				
Charitable Institutions	14,690 4 1	6089 0 0	8601 4 1	13,487 6 0
Medical Institutions	29,981 4 11	...	29,981 4 11	25,889 11 0
Smallpox Outbreak	...	...	...	34 19 9
	44,671 9 0	6089 0 0	38,582 9 0	39,411 16 9
Service Departments—				
Statistical and Registration Department	2656 5 8	486 0 0	2170 5 8	2215 3 0
Lands' Titles Department	3076 9 7	4864 0 0	1787 10 5	— 1246 11 7
Supreme Court and Registrar of Deeds	1831 9 8	...	1831 9 8	1852 19 6
Agent-General	1381 11 4	...	1381 11 4	1364 19 3
Printing Department	11,587 9 9	12,893 0 0	— 1305 10 3	— 2957 8 1
Stores Department	924 13 2	...	924 13 2	908 17 2
Analyst's Department	...	...	...	408 18 2
Magazines and Explosives	347 3 9	...	347 3 9	361 0 7
Agricultural and Stock Department	2184 18 6	274 0 0	1910 18 6	1965 7 7
Council of Agriculture	1605 1 3	...	1605 1 3	1478 2 11
Inspection of Machinery	152 8 10	1006 0 0	246 8 10	167 11 1
Public Buildings	1517 6 6	...	1517 6 6	1561 19 3
Railways—Maintenance	172,600 14 2	241,688 4 2	69,087 10 0	-73,429 16 1
Lands Department	7360 6 2	447 0 0	6913 6 2	6836 14 10
Public Works Department	2369 9 10	...	2369 9 10	2297 4 6
Mines Department	5278 2 11	...	5278 2 11	5120 19 3
Surveys of Land for Sale, &c.	8662 9 3	10,133 0 0	— 1470 10 9	1191 16 8
State Savings Bank	2067 9 7	...	2067 9 7	4612 5 3
Public Health Department	2234 6 2	...	2234 6 2	1754 8 10
Miscellaneous Services—				
Roads, Bridges, Jetties, Repairs, &c.	3936 13 9	...	3936 13 9	2219 8 8
Queen's Domain, &c., Repairs to Fences, &c.	340 1 5	...	340 1 5	333 19 3
Public Buildings, Repairs, &c.	1601 16 9	...	1601 16 9	978 7 9
Tracks to Mineral Fields	149 10 1	...	149 10 1	...
Aid to Ferries	425 0 0	...	425 0 0	425 0 0
Sundries	59 13 9	306 0 0	— 246 6 3	486 8 6
	235,450 11 10	272,097 4 2	—36,646 12 8	—39,091 3 9

Net Expenditure, 30th June, 1905 and 1906—continued.

Heads of Expenditure.	1906. Gross Expenditure.	1906. Revenue for Services Rendered.	1906. Net Expenditure.	1905. Net Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Aid to Local Bodies—				
Reserves for Residence Areas	372 2 10	...	372 2 10	374 0 0
Road Trust and Town Board Subsidies	593 17 9	...	593 17 9	648 11 4
Main Road Boards	7697 17 2	...	7697 17 2	6872 19 6
	8663 17 9	...	8663 17 9	7895 10 10
Interest, Sinking Funds, Pensions, &c.—				
Interest	352,596 12 2	18,224 0 0	334,372 12 2	333,646 18 8
Sinking Fund	7322 5 6	...	7522 5 6	6932 19 1
Sinking Fund Reserve from Crown Lands	21,658 12 2	...	21,658 12 2	19,390 19 8
Commission and Exchange	2832 13 3	...	2832 13 3	2850 12 8
Pensions and Compensation	14,690 17 4	...	14,690 17 4	14,038 10 10
	399,101 0 5	18,224 0 0	380,877 0 5	376,860 0 11
Miscellaneous, General	7559 17 4	...	7559 17 4	3743 14 7
Total	853,147 0 1	311,636 4 2	541,510 15 11	537,687 7 2

Note.—The sign — indicates the amount by which Revenue exceeds Expenditure.

SUMMARY Per Head of Population.

	1906. Gross Expenditure.	1906. Revenue for Services Rendered.	1906. Net Expenditure.	1905. Net Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cost of Government	0 3 10	0 0 1	0 3 9	0 3 6
Law and Protection	0 6 3	0 0 1	0 6 2	0 6 7
Science and Education	0 7 6	0 1 6	0 6 0	0 6 6
Hospitals and Charities	0 5 0	0 0 8	0 4 4	0 4 7
Service Departments	1 6 3	1 10 4	—0 4 1	—0 4 6
Aid to Local Bodies	0 1 0	...	0 1 0	0 0 11
Interest, Sinking Funds, Pensions, &c.	2 4 6	0 2 1	2 2 5	2 2 1
Miscellaneous, General	0 0 10	...	0 0 10	0 0 5
	4 15 2	1 14 9	3 0 5	3 0 1

FEDERAL FINANCE.

STATEMENT showing approximately the Financial Results to the Tasmanian State Treasury in the administration of transferred functions by State and Commonwealth respectively. Period 1897-1905-6.

	Entirely under State Control.				Partly State and partly Commonwealth.	Entirely under Control of Commonwealth.					1905-6 compared with 1900.‡	
	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	Above.	Below.
Revenue.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs and Excise	372,797	429,701	449,666	492,459	426,955	373,140	360,607	342,189	330,651	326,395	...	166,064
Post Office	76,041	83,649	90,847	96,060	78,975	91,610	94,037	104,759	112,923	118,730	22,670	...
Defence	...	...	...	...	...	205	409	28	116	489	489	...
Patents	1313	1178	1574	1809	2006	2738*	2162*	2269*	1632	2767	958	...
New Revenue	...	...	...	...	...	126	215	233	299	529	529	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	†	69	147	...	45	45	...
Gross Revenue	450,151	514,528	542,087	590,328	507,936	467,819*†	457,499*	449,625*	445,621	448,955	...	141,373
Expenditure.												
Transferred Functions—												
Customs and Excise	6932	8425	8872	9732	9620	10,327	10,644	9930	9793	9372	...	360
Post Office	65,278	73,315	78,095	84,539	88,799	100,880	103,296	105,616	109,247	114,395	29,856	...
Defence	10,377	12,781	13,894	17,391	18,375	22,608	22,675	33,690	31,087	32,613	15,222	...
Total Transferred Departments	82,587	94,521	100,861	111,662	116,794	133,815	136,615	149,236	150,127	156,380	44,718	...
New Federal Expenditure.												
Administrative—												
Governor-General	...	...	...	...	...	1317	669	767	777	1062	1962	...
Parliament	...	...	...	...	...	5596	4979	8793	6775	5909	5909	...
Departments—												
External Affairs	...	...	...	...	...	1498	1578	1460	1651	1765	1765	...
Home Affairs	...	...	...	...	...	560	1506	1491	1574	1590	1590	...
Treasury	...	...	...	...	...	477	645	668	726	788	788	...
Attorney-General	...	...	...	...	...	121	120	747	840	933	933	...
Miscellaneous	...	...	...	...	...	351	283	398	875	3797	3797	...
Total Administrative	...	...	...	...	...	9920	9780	14,324	13,218	15,844	15,844	...
New Works for Construction and Equipment.												
Government House	...	...	...	...	...	14	9	...	...	...	...	...
Trade and Customs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	89	80	80	...
Post Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	1022	5805	5945	6485	6485	...
Defence	...	...	...	...	...	2820	2346	9340	9060	7668	7668	...
Printing Office	...	...	...	...	...	76	293	954	124	55	55	...
Sundry Department	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total New Works	...	...	...	...	...	2910	3670	16,099	15,218	14,288	14,288	...

FEDERAL FINANCE.—*continued.*

	Entirely under State Control.				Partly State and partly Commonwealth.	Entirely under Control of Commonwealth.					1905-6 compared with 1990.‡	
	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	Above.	Below.
Other New Charges.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Sugar Bounties	...	...	...	...	...	...	2781	4436	5797	6914	6914	...
Compensation	...	...	...	...	...	625	1675	...	...	...	...	...
Total Other New Charges	...	...	...	...	...	625	4456	4436	5797	6914	6914	...
Gross Expenditure	82,587	94,521	100,861	111,662	116,794	147,270	154,521	184,095	184,360	193,426	81,764	...
Net Revenue Surplus	367,564	420,007	441,226	478,666	391,142	320,559	302,978	265,530	261,261	255,529	...	223,139
Commonwealth Surplus actually returned	...	...	...	...	...	315,540	301,978	263,191	256,099	256,391	...	...

* Patents are included here for comparison, although not transferred till 1st June, 1904. † £10,000 repayment of Money Order Advance is not included here as Revenue. ‡ Last year under State control.

DIRECT STATE TAXES IN TASMANIA.

Financial Year.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904–5.	1905-6.	1905-6 compared with 1900.	
										Above.	Below.
Direct Taxes ..... £	145,034	133,042	124,186	131,051	111,515	105,402	150,091	216,953	248,799	115,748	...
Ditto per head ..... *s. d.*	17 10	16 0	14 6	15 2	12 10	12 0	16 11	24 3	27 9	12 7	...
Ditto per cent. to Customs and Excise	38·91	30·97	27·62	26·61	26·12	28·15	41·62	65·62	76·22	49·61	...

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LOANS TO LOCAL BODIES FOR LOCAL PUBLIC WORKS.

RETURN showing Amount of Loans authorised, issued, and advanced to 30th June, 1906.

	Authorised.			Issued.			Advanced to Local Bodies.			Balances.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	Cr. £	s.	d.	Dr. £	s.	d.
WATER SUPPLY—															
Longford	5600	0	0	5600	0	0	4100	0	0	1500	0	0	..		
Latrobe	7800	0	0	7800	0	0	7800	0	0	..			..		
Glenorchy	10,600	0	0	10,600	0	0	10,250	0	0	350	0	0	..		
Devonport	25,000	0	0	25,000	0	0	23,000	0	0	2000	0	0	..		
Cressy	1300	0	0	1300	0	0	1300	0	0	..			..		
Evandale	1500	0	0	1500	0	0	1500	0	0	..			..		
St. Helens	2500	0	0	2500	0	0	100	0	0	2400	0	0	..		
Queenstown	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	..			..		
River Clyde	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	..			2000	0	0	..		
Midland	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	..			5000	0	0	..		
Westbury and Hagley	4000	0	0	4000	0	0	4000	0	0	..			..		
Perth	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	1700	0	0	300	0	0	..		
Gormanston	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	4400	0	0	600	0	0	..		
Burnie	20,000	0	0	20,000	0	0	10,000	0	0	10,000	0	0	..		
Deloraine	4500	0	0	4500	0	0	4500	0	0	..			..		
Swansea	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	..			..		
Fingal	1400	0	0	1400	0	0	1200	0	0	200	0	0	..		
Ross	1500	0	0	..			..			..			..		
Ulverstone	9000	0	0	..			500	0	0	..			500	0	0
TOTAL WATER SUPPLY	112,700	0	0	102,200	0	0	78,350	0	0	24,350	0	0	500	0	0
LIGHT AND WATER—Launceston	35,000	0	0	35,000	0	0	35,000	0	0	..			..		
LIGHT—Devonport	11,000	0	0	11,000	0	0	10,000	0	0	1000	0	0	..		
Longford	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	..			3000	0	0	..		
Queenstown	700	0	0	700	0	0	700	0	0	..			..		
Deloraine	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	..			5000	0	0	..		
	19,700	0	0	19,700	0	0	10,700	0	0	9000	0	0	..		
BUILDINGS—Ross	1300	0	0	1300	0	0	1300	0	0	..			..		
Devonport	1500	0	0	1500	0	0	1500	0	0	..			..		
Queenborough	283	0	2	283	0	2	..			283	0	2	..		
Richmond	250	0	0	250	0	0	236	15	0	13	5	0	..		
Bothwell	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	..			..		
Queenstown	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	..			..		
Strahan	750	0	0	750	0	0	750	0	0	..			..		
Zeehan School of Mines	150	0	0	150	0	0	150	0	0	..			..		
Hobart Corporation—New Slaughter houses	20,000	0	0	20,000	0	0	..			20,000	0	0	..		
TOTAL BUILDINGS	27,233	0	2	27,233	0	2	6936	15	0	20,296	5	2	..		
HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS—Marine Board, Hobart	25,638	12	3	25,638	12	3	21,638	12	3	4000	0	0	..		
Ditto, Mersey	45,000	0	0	45,000	0	0	38,000	0	0	7000	0	0	..		
Ditto, Launceston	12,500	0	0	12,500	0	0	12,500	0	0	..			..		
Ditto, Strahan	66,037	11	3	66,037	11	3	66,037	11	3	..			..		
Ditto, Table Cape	10,000	0	0	10,000	0	0	10,000	0	0	..			..		
Harbour Trust, Leven	19,500	0	0	19,500	0	0	6300	0	0	13,200	0	0	..		
TOTAL HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS	178,676	3	6	178,676	3	6	154,476	3	6	24,200	0	0	..		
ROADS—Tarleton Road Trust	400	0	0	400	0	0	400	0	0	..			..		
STREETS—Town Board, Zeehan	7000	0	0	7000	0	0	7000	0	0	..			..		
Ditto, Strahan	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	..			..		
Ditto, Gormanston	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	..			..		
Ditto, Mount Stuart	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	1075	0	0	925	0	0	..		
Ditto, Moonah	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	624	15	7	375	4	5	..		
Ditto, Burnie	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	..			..		
TOTAL STREETS	16,000	0	0	16,000	0	0	14,699	15	7	1300	4	5	..		
REDEMPTION OF DEBENTURES—Town Board, Devonport	1600	0	0	1600	0	0	1600	0	0	..			..		
Ditto, Zeehan	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	2000	0	0	..			..		
	3600	0	0	3600	0	0	3600	0	0	..			..		
DRAINAGE—Metropolitan Board	100,000	0	0	100,000	0	0	77,500	0	0	22,500	0	0	..		
Town Board, Queenborough	316	19	10	316	19	10	..			316	19	10	..		
Ditto, Queenstown	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	..			..		
Ditto, New Town	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	2834	10	0	165	10	0	..		
TOTAL DRAINAGE	106,316	19	10	106,316	19	10	83,334	10	0	22,982	9	10	..		
CEMETERY TRUSTS	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	2840	18	9	159	1	3	..		
SANITARY FARM, PUBLIC CEMETERY, AND ABATTOIRS—Devonport	1200	0	0	..			..			..			...		
RECREATION GROUNDS—															
Town Board, Lindisfarne	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	..			.		
Ditto, Queenstown	500	0	0	500	0	0	500	0	0	..			..		
	1500	0	0	1500	0	0	1500	0	0	..			..		
	505,326	3	6	493,626	3	6	391,838	2	10	102,288	0	8	500	0	0

NOTE.—Does not include Beaconsfield Town Board for water, £150; nor Town Board, Devonport, £1000; and Strahan Marine Board, £28,962 8*s.* 9*d.* repaid.

LOANS ACCOUNT.

RETURN showing the Amount of Loans authorised and issued, together with the Balance of Loans authorised unissued, on the 30th June, 1906; also showing under various heads the Moneys actually raised and expended up to and including 30th June, 1906, in connection with Loans, and the Amounts available still unexpended at same date.

PUBLIC WORKS.	LOANS. Authorised. Year 1905-6.	LOANS. Authorised. Aggregate to Date.	LOANS. Issued.	LOANS. Authorised, not issued.	MONEYS RAISED. Current Year.	MONEYS RAISED. Aggregate to Date.	MONEYS RAISED. Per cent. to Total.	LOANS EXPENDITURE. 1905-6.	LOANS EXPENDITURE. Prior to 1905-6.	LOANS EXPENDITURE. Total.	LOANS EXPENDITURE. Per Head Population.	LOANS EXPENDITURE. Per cent. to Total.	BALANCE OF LOANS MONEY RAISED UNEXPENDED.
Railways—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£		£ s. d.
North-Western Railway	1195 10 2	1,033,363 0 11	1,032,422 15 3	940 5 8	16,773 0 0	1,030,014 4 0		430 15 4	956,482 13 7	956,913 8 11			73,130 15 1
Parattah to Oatlands Railway	..	11,714 3 6	11,714 3 6	..	..	11,714 3 6		..	11,714 3 6	11,714 3 6			..
Derwent Valley Railway	46 10 0	216,025 6 8	215,978 16 8	46 10 0	60 0 0	215,978 16 8		16 18 4	215,915 17 8	215,932 16 0			46 0 8
Fingal Railway	200 0 0	190,518 16 6	190,318 16 6	200 0 0	400 0 0	190,318 16 6		6 12 0	189,965 18 4	189,972 10 4			346 6 2
Launceston to Scottsdale Railway	175 0 0	400.765 19 0	400,590 19 0	175 0 0	1685 0 0	403,590 19 0		76 19 3	400,022 3 3	400,099 2 6			491 16 6
Green Ponds Railway	—19 12 6	158,546 14 2	158,546 14 2	..	75 0 0	158,546 14 2		..	158,546 14 2	158,546 14 2			..
Sorell Railway	400 0 0	131,116 17 7	130,716 17 7	400 0 0	..	130,716 17 7		..	130.687 12 6	130,687 12 6			29 5 1
Chudleigh Railway	—85 0 0	67,347 12 2	67,347 12 2	..	85 0 0	67,347 12 2		..	67,347 12 2	67,347 12 2			
Zeehan Railway	—110 6 3	267,889 0 3	267,889 0 3	..	232 10 0	267,889 0 3		..	267,381 10 9	267,381 10 9			507 9 6
Railton to Wilmot	..	189,557 1 4	189,557 1 4	..	..	189,557 1 4		..	6105 16 4	6105 16 4			183,451 5 0
Main Line Railway—Survey	..	6000 0 0	6000 0 0	..	..	6000 0 0		..	6000 0 0	6000 0 0			
Purchase	..	1,125,000 0 0	1,125,000 0 0	..	..	1,125,000 0 0		..	1,124,878 15 7	1,124,878 15 7			121 4 5
Construction	6564 5 5	82,537 15 4	82,537 15 4	..	11,540 0 0	82,537 15 4		1698 13 2	69,509 11 3	71,208 4 5			11,329 10 11
Railway Guarantee and deferred Interest	..	135,576 15 4	135,576 15 4	..	..	135,576 15 4		..	135,576 15 4	135,576 15 4			
Railway Surveys	..	64,038 12 6	64,038 12 6	..	..	64,038 12 6		..	49,038 12 6	49.038 12 6			15,000 0 0
General Railway Purposes, including Rolling Stock, &c., for Coal	1100 0 0	267,406 7 11	266,306 7 11	1100 0 0	40,932 10 0	266,306 7 11		3938 12 7	243,317 6 5	247,255 19 0			19,050 8 11
Total Railways	9,466 6 10	4,347,404 3 2	4,344,542 7 6	2861 15 8	71,783 0 0	4,342.163 16 3	43·97	6168 10 8	4,032,491 3 4	4,038,659 14 0	22·72	43·09	303,504 2 3
Tramway, Zeehan to N.E. Dundas, and Extension to Deep Lead	—3023 10 10	87,912 10 3	87,912 10 3	..	..	87,912 10 3	·89	..	90,097 16 8	90.097 16 8	·51	·97	Dr. 2185 6 5
Total Railways & Tramways	6,442 16 0	4,435,316 13 5	4,432,454 17 9	2861 15 8	71,783 0 0	4,430,076 6 6	44·86	6168 10 8	4,122,589 0 0	4,128,757 10 8	23·23	44·06	301,318 15 10
Telegraphs	..	142,507 9 10	142,507 9 10	..	..	142,462 6 1	1·44	..	142,409 11 6	142,409 11 6	·80	1·52	52 14 7
Roads and Bridges	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	57,526 8 11	2,297,904 6 1	2,355,440 15 0	13·25	25·14	Dr.
Harbours, Rivers, Jetties, and Lighthouses	40,760 0 0	2,833,883 9 10	2,793,123 9 10	40,760 0 0	65,009 7 3	2,761,266 2 2	27·96	22,064 5 0	503,087 4 3	525,151 9 3	2·95	5·60	119,326 2 1
Public Buildings—													
Government House	..	40,000 0 0	40,000 0 0	..	..	40,000 0 0	·40	..	40,000 0 0	40,000 0 0	·23	·43	
Schools	2000 0 0	193,113 10 11	191,113 10 11	2000 0 0	2250 0 0	190,685 8 0	1·93	1394 10 11	188,566 2 2	189,960 13 1	1·08	2·02	724 14 11
Other Public Buildings	8920 0 0	639,531 3 9	630,611 3 9	8920 0 0	598 2 0	630,135 9 7	6·38	1689 9 0	619,837 18 1	621,527 7 1	3·50	6·63	8608 2 6
Total Public Buildings	10,920 0 0	872,644 14 8	861,724 14 8	10,920 0 0	2848 2 0	860,820 17 7	8·71	3083 19 11	848,404 0 3	851,488 0 2	4·81	9·08	9332 17 5
Defences	..	129,516 2 10	129,516 2 10	..	..	128 642 14 2	1·30	..	128,179 7 4	128,179 7 4	·70	1·37	463 6 10
Other Public Works	—2906 0 4	158,976 3 6	158,301 3 6	675 0 0	5000 0 0	157,825 9 4	1·60	650 16 9	154,139 17 8	154,790 14 5	·88	1·65	3034 14 11
Loans to Local Bodies for Public Miscellaneous [Work	11,700 0 0	535,288 12 3	523,588 12 3	11,700 0 0	44,075 6 6	523,588 12 3	5·30	35,336 12 3	386,423 0 7	421,759 12 10	2·32	4·50	101,828 19 5
	2500 0 0	222,510 19 0	220,010 19 0	2500 0 0	2060 1 6	141,766 18 0	1·44	12,130 11 2	139,509 9 8	151,640 0 10	·84	1·62	Dr. 9873 2 10
TOTAL PUBLIC WORKS	69,416 15 8	9,330,644 5 4	9,261,227 9 8	69,416 15 8	190,775 17 3	9,146,449 6 1	92·61	136,971 4 8	8,722,645 17 4	8,859,617 2 0	49·84	94·54	286,832 4 1

OTHER PUBLIC PURPOSES.																
Commutation State Aid to Religion	..	100,000 0 0	100,000 0 0	..	..	100,000 0 0	1·01	..	100,000 0 0	100,000 0 0	·56	1·06	..			
Immigration	..	235,713 11 5	235,713 11 5	..	..	235,000 0 0	2·38	..	235,000 0 0	235,000 0 0	1·32	2·51	..			
Debt to Imperial Government	..	30,500 0 0	30,500 0 0	..	..	30,500 0 0	·30	..	30,500 0 0	30,500 0 0	·17	·33	..			
Revenue Deficiencies prior to 1867—(Balance)	..	146,871 1 11	146,871 1 11	..	..	146,871 1 11	1·49	..	146,871 1 11	146,871 1 11	·83	1·56	..			
Temporary Treasury Bills to meet charges on Consolidated Revenue	..	220,000 0 0	217,746 4 5	2253 15 7	215,891 4 5	217,746 4 5	2·21	..	..	..	..	..	..			
TOTAL OTHER PUBLIC PURPOSES.	..	733,084 13 4	730,830 17 9	2253 15 7	215,891 4 5	730,117 6 4	7·39	..	512,371 1 11	512,371 1 11	2·88	5·46	..			
GRAND TOTAL	69,416 15 8	10,063,728 18 8	9,992,058 7 5	71,670 11 3	406,667 1 8	9,876,566 12 5	100·00	136,971 4 8	9,235,016 19 3	9,371,988 3 11	52·72	100·00	286,832 4 1			

PUBLIC DEBT.

	£	£	s.	d.
Amount of Loans issued to 30th June, 1906	...	9,992,058	7	5
Less amount of Debentures under 31 Vict. No. 1, redeemed in 1882, from Public Debts Sinking Fund, chiefly derived from moneys charged in Consolidated Revenue to Roads Reserve Account, 29th Section Waste Lands Act	3600			
Ditto, under Act 37 Vict. No. 22, redeemed in 1884, ditto	6000			
Ditto, under Act 37 Vict. No. 22, £3000, and Act 34 Vict. No. 10, £7900, redeemed in 1885, ditto	10,900			
Ditto, under Acts 37 Vict. No. 22, £7500, 31 Vict. No. 1, £7000, and 34 Vict. No. 10, £18,700, redeemed 1886, ditto	33,200			
Ditto, under Act 34 Vict. No. 10, redeemed in 1887, ditto	20,300			
Ditto, 1888, ditto	21,700			
Ditto, under Act 34 Vict. No. 10, redeemed in 1889, ditto	800			
Ditto, under Act 50 Vict. No. 11, ditto 1890, ditto	3300			
Less amount of Debentures under Act 50 Vict. No. 11, £4750, and 34 Vict. No. 10, £800, ditto 1891, ditto	£ 5550			
Ditto, under Act 50 Vict. No. 11, ditto, 1892, ditto	55,380			
Ditto, under Act 34 Vict. No. 10, £500, and 50 Vict. No. 11, £1300, ditto 1893, ditto	1800			
Ditto, ditto, £200, and 50 Vict. No. 11, £40,450, ditto, 1894, ditto	40,650			
Ditto, under Act 34 Vict. No. 10, ditto, 1895, ditto	300			
Ditto, under Act 54 Vict. No. 8, ditto, 1896, ditto	600			
Ditto, ditto, 1897, ditto	600			
Ditto, ditto, 1898, ditto	3450	268,480	0	0
Ditto, ditto, 1899, ditto	200			
Ditto, under Act 34 Vict. No. 10, £10,000, and 54 Vict. No. 8, £40,680, redeemed in 1903, ditto	50,680			
Ditto, under Act 54 Vict. No. 8, redeemed in 1904, ditto	4470			
Less amount of Local Inscribed Stock, redeemed in 1904 (Loan to Devonport Town Board repaid) and not renewed	1000			
Less amount of Debentures under Act 34 Vict. No. 10, redeemed in 1905, from Public Debts Sinking Fund	100			
Ditto, ditto, 1906, ditto	3900			
		9,723,578	7	5
Deduct amount of Loan to Strahan Marine Board, redeemed in 1906, which has not yet been renewed		24,962	8	9
Public Debt on 30th June, 1906		£9,698,615	18	8

PUBLIC DEBT ON 30TH JUNE, 1906.—FUNDED DEBT.

Redeemable Debentures and Stock.			Amount of Debentures and Inscribed Stock falling due in each Year to 1940.													
Authority.	Rate of Interest.	Amount.	Year	Debentures.		Inscribed Stock.		Total.		Amount and Rates of Interest.						
				Local.	London.	Local.	London.	Local.	London.	4%		3½%		3¼%		3%	
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
41 Vict. No. 3.	4	300,000 0 0	1906	...	...	233,811 7 4	...	233,811 7 4	...	...		100,418 13 3		...		133,392 14 1	
44 Vict. No. 34.	4	300,000 0 0	1907	...	...	201,739 19 0	...	201,739 19 0	...	24,003 1 8		177,155 7 3		581 10 1		...	
46 Vict. No. 45.	4	545,950 0 0	1908	...	300,000	391,419 11 7	...	391,419 11 7	300,000	384,412 9 6		263,191 12 1		...		43,815 10 0	
"	3½	700 0 0	1909	...	...	198,988 17 8	...	198,988 17 8	...	...		83,123 2 11		...		115,865 14 9	
47 Vict. No. 47.	4	800,000 0 0	1910	...	...	80,124 19 4	...	80,124 19 4	...	...		60,124 19 4		...		20,000 0 0	
49 Vict. No. 54.	4	1,000,000 0 0	1911	...	1,000,000	43,096 4 4	...	43,096 4 4	1,000,000	1,000,000 0 0		18,635 0 0		...		24,461 4 4	
52 Vict. No. 68.	3½	1,000,000 0 0	1912	...	...	2399 11 5	...	2399 11 5	...	...		2399 11 5		...		...	
54 Vict. No. 1.	3½	1,106,500 0 0	1913	22,900 0 0	523,750	2000 0 0	...	24,900 0 0	523,750	545,950 0 0		2700 0 0		...		...	
55 Vict. No. 82.	3½	600,000 0 0	1914	...	800,000	...	...	...	800,000	800,000 0 0		...		...		...	
56 Vict. No. 53.	4	67,600 0 0	1916	...	...	225 6 5	...	225 6 5	...	...		225 6 5		...		...	
55 Vict. No. 82.	4	1,000,000 0 0	1920	...	300,000	...	...	...	300,000	300,000 0 0		...		...		...	
56 Vict. No. 56.			1921	...	...	294,926 14 9	...	294,926 14 9	...	...		247,140 16 10		24,718 1 6		23,067 16 5	
58 Vict. No. 40.	3½	750,000 0 0	1922	...	...	8252 3 1	...	8252 3 1	...	...		8252 3 1		...		...	
62 Vict. No. 52.	3	33,615 10 0	1925	...	...	5050 0 0	...	5050 0 0	...	...		5050 0 0		...		...	
63 Vict. No. 29.	3	5944 15 6	1926	67,600 0 0	...	...	...	67,600 0 0	...	67,600 0 0		...		..		...	
63 Vict. No. 49.	3	79,720 19 3	1940	...	...	...	5,106,500	...	5,106,500	1,000,000 0 0		3,656,500 0 0		...		...	
64 Vict. No. 14.	3	630,921 14 10	1918	...	...	100 0 0	...	100 0 0	...	...		100 0 0		...		450,000 0 0	
"	3¼	24,718 1 6															
"	3½	42,360 3 8															
64 Vict. No. 75.	3½	497,300 0 0															
1 Ed. 7 No. 52.	3¼	581 10 1															
	3½	180,302 2 8															
	4	38,416 7 3															
2 Ed. 7 No. 39.	4	42,650 0 0															
3 Ed. 7 No. 26.	3½	123,139 5 7															
	4	27,349 3 11															
3 Ed. 7 No. 26.	3½	200,000 0 0															
4 Ed. 7 No. 29.																	
4 Ed. 7 No. 30.	3½	2,400 0 0															
5 Ed. 7 No. 43.	3½	104,715 0 8															
C. L. Act, 1890.	3	60,000 0 0															
		9,582,884 14 11	...	90,500 0 0	2,923,750	1,462,134 14 11	5,106,500	1,552,634 14 11	8,030,250	4,121,965 11 2		4,625,016 12 7		25,299 11 7		810,602 19 7	

UNFUNDED DEBT.

Authority.	Rate of Interest.	Amount.	Amount of Treasury Bills falling due in each Year up to 1906.											
			Year.	Other than those raised in aid of Revenue.		Raised in aid of Revenue.		Total.		Amounts and Rates of Interest.			
				Local.	London.	Local.	London.	Local.	London.	4%	3½%	3¼%	3%
		£ s. d.				£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		
1 Edwardi VII. No. 51	3½	750 0 0	1906	...	...	1120 0 0	...	1120 0 0	...	...	1120 0 0	...	...
2 Edwardi VII. No. 33	3½	840 0 0	1907	...	...	57,315 4 5	...	57,315 4 5	...	65 0 0	57,250 4 5	...	...
4 Edwardi VII.	3½	82,465 0 0	1908	...	...	97,410 0 0	...	97,410 0 0	...	...	97,410 0 0	...	...
No. 31	4	65 0 0	1909	...	...	4700 0 0	...	4700 0 0	...	...	4700 0 0	...	...
5 Edwar VII. No. 24	3½	133,626 4 5	1910	...	...	18,224 0 0	...	18,224 0 0	...	...	18,224 0 0	...	...
			1911	...	...	38,977 0 0	...	38,977 0 0	...	...	38,977 0 0	...	...
		217,746 4 5	...	...	...	217,746 4 5	...	217,746 4 5	...	65 0 0	217,681 4 5	...	...

SUMMARY.

Total Debt.	Local.	London.	Local.	London.	Local.	London.	4 %	3½ %	3¼ %	3 %
	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Funded Debt	90,500 0 0	2,923,750	1,462,134 14 11	5,106,500	1,552,634 14 11	8,030,250	4,121,965 11 2	4,625,016 12 7	25,299 11 7	810,602 19 7
Unfunded Debt	...	...	217,746 4 5	...	217,746 4 5	...	65 0 0	217,681 4 5	...	...
Total	90,500 0 0	2,923,750	1,679,880 19 4	5,106,500	1,770,380 19 4	8,030,250	4,122,030 11 2	4,842,697 17 0	25,299 11 7	810,602 19 7

	Rate.	Amount.	Per cent. to Total.	Annual Liability for Interest.	
	Per cent.	£ s. d.		£	Per cent.
Debentures and Bills bearing interest at	3	810,602 19 7	8·27	24,318	6·77
,, ,,	3¼	25,299 11 7	·26	825	·23
,, ,,	3½	4,842,697 17 0	49·41	169,494	47·14
,, ,,	4	4,122,030 11 2	42·06	164,881	45·86
All	3·67	9,800,630 19 4	100·00	359,518	100·00

[Compiled in the Office of the Government Statistician from information supplied by Treasury Department.]

PUBLIC DEBTS SINKING FUND TO 30 JUNE, 1906.

	£	s.	d.
Balance to 30 June, 1905	214,170	12	2
Reserves under Waste and Crown Lands Acts received for year ended 30 June, 1905, balance	14,580	10	2
Ditto for year 1905-6, advances	9777	5	10
Interest on Investments	7731	17	1
Contributions in connection with Pensions, 56 Vict. No. 24, 58 Vict. No. 23, 59 Vict. No. 40, 60 Vict. No. 25, and 61 Vict. No. 12, and 2 Ed. VII., No. 29, for 1905-6.	11,947	0	0
Contribution in connection with Loan to Tarleton Road Trust	20	0	0
Contribution in connection with Redemption of Loans for Public Works, under Act 1 Ed. VII. No. 49	1180	0	0
Ditto, under Act 2 Ed. VII. No. 43	630	0	0
Ditto, under Act 3 Ed. VII. No. 27	495	0	0
Ditto, under Act 4 Ed. VII. No. 29.	342	0	0
Credit to Survey Advance Account, under C.L. Act, 1903	4629	10	9
Mount Cameron Water-race—Surplus Receipts in excess of cost of Maintenance and Management	956	16	0
Moiety of Rentals	21	17	6
	266,482	9	6

	£	s.	d.			
Debentures paid off	3,900	0	0			
Payment on account of Pensions, 56 Vict. No. 24, 58 Vict. No. 23, 59 Vict. No. 40, 60 Vict. No. 25, 61 Vict. No. 12, and 2 Ed. VII. No. 29, for year 1905-6	12,931	8	1			
Payment on account of debits to Survey Advance Account	13,353	16	7			
				30,185	4	8
Balance at credit				£236,297	4	10

J. E. BENNISON, *Secretary.*

PUBLIC DEBT.

DECENNIAL RETURN of the Public Debt of the Government of Tasmania at the end of each financial year.

Years.	Debentures and Inscribed Stock.			Local Inscribed Stock and Treasury Bills.			Total.			Rate per Head of Population.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1896	7,782,170	0	0[d]	469,607	13	7[e]	8,251,777	13	7	51	12	6
1897	7,781,570	0	0	608,456	5	2	8,390,026	5	2	51	0	10
1898	7,721,420	0	0	691,484	0	10	8,412,904	0	10	49	17	0
1899	8,253,912	0	4	141,726	15	10[e]	8,395,638	16	2[f]	48	13	0[f]
1900	7,690,000	0	0	821,005	9	2	8,511,005	9	2	49	4	1
1901	7,798,805	1	2	1,055,735	8	11	8,854,540	10	1[g]	50	16	5
1902	8,003,800	0	0	1,107,849	3	2	9,111,649	3	2[h]	51	9	3
1903	7,953,120	0	0	1,365,279	11	11[i]	9,318,399	11	11	51	18	5
1904, 30 June	7,929,850	0	0	1,496,988	12	3[j]	9,436,838	12	3	53	0	10
1905, ditto	7,924,650	0	0	1,547,321	5	9	9,471,971	5	9[k]	53	4	5
1906, ditto	8,120,750	0	0	1,557,865	18	8[m]	9,698,615	18	8[l]	54	11	2

[d] Exclusive of £100,000 Debentures redeemable in 1897, redemption of which is provided for by Stock raised and included in the figures.

[e] Issued temporarily in aid of Revenue.

[f] Does not include a sum of £18,055 4*s.* 6*d.* raised for renewals in the year 1900.

[g] Ditto £241,194 18*s.* 10*d.* ditto years 1902 and 1903

[h] Ditto £117,314 0*s.* 9*d.* ditto year 1903.

[i] Inclusive of £107,330 raised temporarily in aid of Revenue.

[j] Ditto £222,000 ditto.

[k] Ditto £164,515 ditto.

[l] Ditto £217,746 4*s.* 5d ditto

[m] Exclusive of £102,015 0*s.* 8*d.* Stock redeemable in last half of 1906, redemption of which is provided for by Stock raised and included in the figures.

[Compiled from information supplied by the Treasury.]

GENERAL REVENUE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

RETURN showing the General Revenue of Tasmania for the Ten Financial Years ending 30th June, 1906.

NUMERICAL.

Taxation.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5.	1905-6.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Customs	329,006 9 8	351,848 11 9	406,782 6 11	425,574 1 3	466,218 1 2	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]
Excise	18,918 18 6	19,366 11 5	21,180 15 0	22,546 0 9	24,697 12 2	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]
Land Tax	39,353 3 0	37,540 16 9	38,481 3 9	15,106 9 1	61,123 2 4	42,209 2 0	41,862 2 4	50,880 15 0	54,151 0 0	54,776 2 1
Taxation Act	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,396 0 1	28,050 19 9
Income Tax	34,505 19 5	32,829 2 9	22,488 5 3	21,218 17 2	28,672 13 8	17,537 17 4	11,862 9 9	37,529 5 2	59,486 18 3	70,269 12 2
Dividend Tax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Companies Tax	2305 15 9	2947 4 7	2229 14 6	2253 18 9	2360 18 5	2665 1 11	3080 14 3	...	...	...
Police Rate	10,418 10 7	10,501 16 8	11,158 1 8	15,895 8 6	16,341 1 11	1411 3 9	73 6 9	2 11 9	...	0 19 8
Stamp Duty	15,110 17 6	16,214 18 10	14,633 3 6	14,696 2 3	19,825 18 3	20,502 14 5	24,194 9 0	38,830 11 10	43,156 18 2	51,155 9 9
Bank Note Duty	2019 0 0	2136 2 0	2333 19 0	2626 0 0	2983 0 0	2952 0 0	3170 0 0	3262 0 0	2891 10 0	2924 10 0
Probate Duty	1993 6 4	8481 15 3	6338 9 5	13,266 19 9	7467 1 5	8629 9 7	6980 5 5	4750 7 6	6059 6 7	...
Deceased Persons' Estate Duty	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,598 3 11	26,335 10 1
Licences	13,081 19 8	13,515 5 4	13,307 2 8	13,374 8 6	14,670 5 2	14,015 14 4	13,682 9 2	14,270 7 2	14,881 18 4	13,935 8 4
Totalisator Tax	...	...	...	95 10 0	465 11 3	451 16 9	495 13 9	565 7 0	1331 5 3	1350 2 1
Chinese Immigration	340 0 0	1090 0 0	2070 0 0	970 0 0	150 0 0	1140 0 0	...	...	...	...
Total Taxation	467,054 0 5	496,472 5 4	541,003 1 8	547,623 16 0	644,975 5 9	111,515 0 1[d]	105,401 10 5[d]	150,091 5 5[d]	216,953 0 7	248,798 13 11
Special Public Services.										
Railways	160,985 1 4	169,502 14 5	175,125 8 10	192,561 0 8	202,075 8 9	206,996 10 4	232,743 10 10	248,023 13 9	245,048 10 6	241,688 4 2
Posts and Telegraph	74,083 12 8	76,040 10 1	83,648 15 0	90,846 10 2	96,060 1 3	18,594 10 0[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]
State Savings Bank—Profit	530 0 2	1048 0 10	1083 7 11	1249 14 2	1333 1 3	1804 18 3	1363 2 7	1891 11 6	1523 6 1	...
Ditto Interest on Deposits From various Establishments and Departments—	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,490 1 7[f]	...	...
Statistical and Registration Departments	1562 17 6	1560 2 6	1486 13 3	1980 18 6	2208 16 6	2460 15 6	3172 3 6	2955 5 6	471 17 0	485 19 0
Lands' Titles Department	2320 13 3	2565 4 2	2830 6 0	3232 19 7	3472 13 6	3711 7 2	4296 4 4	5171 3 4	4231 9 9	4863 17 7
Printing Department	1763 17 6	2292 14 8	2609 19 10	2028 10 7	2736 7 0	4321 13 10	4763 5 9	9761 9 9	14,302 14 0	12,892 16 4
Stock Department	40 11 10	42 13 9	110 9 8	138 19 11	95 7 3	180 15 6	219 12 5	67 4 4	57 14 4	120 12 11
Agricultural Department								149 16 2	148 3 4	152 14 10
Inspector of Machinery	263 0 0	438 5 0	623 5 0	732 10 0	674 5 0	888 10 0	963 15 0	1102 12 6	1096 2 6	1005 15 0
Surveys of Land for Sale and Fees for Grant Deeds and Diagrams	10,079 12 2	10,433 1 10	12,460 17 2	11,266 15 9	8485 9 8	8177 0 1	8446 14 1	12,084 5 11	3591 7 11	10,579 11 11
Gaols	143 7 10	487 11 10	279 0 5	573 17 7	604 13 3	427 9 0	305 6 3	219 3 7	299 3 2	363 9 11
Charitable and Medical Institutions	4712 2 7	4282 17 11	4253 14 7	4316 2 2	4408 18 5	4912 11 7	5774 7 5	5600 7 5	5680 14 1	5866 19 9
Education	112 18 6	163 1 6	163 17 6	3 6 8	...	...	10,623 17 9[g]	13,345 3 1[g]	11,972 12 0	13,955 13 3
Miscellaneous	1553 8 9	1498 11 4	1770 19 5	1264 0 9	712 7 10	1012 13 10	2376 4 6	1648 16 11	2208 17 8	1434 5 11
	22,552 9 11	23,764 4 6	26,589 2 10	25,538 1 6	23,398 18 5	26,092 16 6	40,941 11 0	52,105 8 6	44,060 15 9	51,721 16 5
Total Special Public Services	258,151 4 1	270,355 9 10	286,446 14 7	310,195 6 6	322,867 9 8	253,488 15 1	275,048 4 5	314,510 15 4	290,632 12 4	293,410 0 7

BUILDINGS, LAND, AND PUBLIC INVESTMENTS.										
Interest on Public Account, &c.	7467 4 11	6371 17 11	8012 14 0	9403 11 1	9942 12 7	8603 1 11	12,761 15 0	12,924 16 3	13,387 18 0	18,223 14 10
Rentals—										
Government Property	1425 15 2	1184 19 6	1263 6 7	1080 9 11	1081 18 8	1322 8 7	1196 18 8	1169 11 8	1082 4 8	1063 7 2
Storage of Gunpowder	493 9 11	671 11 11	448 2 1	557 8 1	603 18 1	693 13 11	594 4 10	793 19 10	573 4 5	610 1 9
Bond Rents	1684 6 11	1581 17 0	1737 10 6	1546 7 9	1543 8 0	[a]		[a]	[a]	[a]
Crown Lands	4355 11 11	4780 16 5	5271 5 0	5717 14 9	7316 16 1	7030 16 8	8284 13 0	8204 1 6	6991 2 9	6428 10 11
Auriferous & Mineral Lands	23,987 11 4	24,333 0 8	25,745 2 9	27,402 17 0	24,770 6 3	19,163 9 4	16,543 5 1	16,856 10 10	15,114 7 4	18,275 4 8
Fees and Licences—Timber, &c.	883 6 9	839 8 6	953 7 5	1148 18 8	1945 8 11	3890 13 11	3989 14 1	4329 18 3	5729 0 7	7465 11 3
Sale of Crown Lands	29,954 7 4	35,576 6 0	34,882 9 0	35,453 13 7	35,411 3 0	35,698 0 5	41,160 18 1	41,142 15 6	39,703 19 0	44,240 7 0
Sale of Government Property	261 9 5	455 8 3	212 17 8	445 9 1	366 19 7	133 17 7	157 18 10	88 9 6	215 7 9	560 12 3
Total Buildings, Lands, &c.	70,513 3 8	75,795 6 2	78,526 15 0	82,756 9 11	82,982 11 2	76,536 2 4	84,689 7 7	85,510 3 4	82,797 4 6	96,867 9 10
Commonwealth Surplus returned to State	...	...	...	...	...	377,782 3 1[c]	264,701 17 8[e]	304,857 4 0	259,099 3 10	256,390 11 7
Other sources	2257 15 11	2396 8 9	2246 17 2	3394 16 2	4155 1 4	6841 3 11	4821 16 2	2698 5 5	3198 14 8	5190 8 11
TOTAL REVENUE	797,976 4 1	845,019 10 1	908,223 8 5	943,970 8 7	1,054,980 7 11	826,163 4 6	734,662 16 3	857,667 13 6	852,680 15 11	900,657 4 10

PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

Taxation (State)	2 19 3	3 1 3	3 4 11	3 4 2	3 14 7	0 12 10[d]	0 12 0[d]	0 16 11[d]	1 4 3[d]	1 8 0[d]
Special Public Services	1 12 9	1 13 4	1 14 5	1 16 4	1 17 5	1 9 3	1 11 4	1 15 5	1 12 6	1 13 0
Buildings, Lands, and Public Investments	0 8 11	0 9 4	0 9 5	0 9 8	0 9 8	0 1 10	0 9 8	0 9 7	0 9 3	0 10 11
Commonwealth Surplus returned to State	...	...	...	..	...	2 3 6	1 10 2	1 14 4	1 8 11	1 8 10
Other Sources	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 5	0 0 6	0 0 9	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 0 4	0 0 7
TOTAL	5 1 3	5 4 3	5 9 1	5 10 7	6 2 2	4 15 2	4 3 8	4 16 7	4 15 3	5 1 4

[a] Customs and Excise Department transferred to control of Commonwealth Government on 1st January, 1901. See preceding Table, Page 294.
[b] Post and Telegraph Department ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, 1st March, 1901. ,, ,, ,, 294.
[c] Includes, £15,000 held by Commonwealth Treasurer on account of Money Order Advance.
[d] Exclusive of Customs and Excise. Total Taxation, State and Commonwealth, amounted to in 1901 £535,958 0*s.* 6*d.*, = £3 1*s.* 9*d.* per head; 1902, £443,342 9*s.* 4*d.*, = £2 10*s.* 6*d.* per head, 1903, 516,982 2*s.* 2*d.* = £2 18s. 3*d.* per head; 1904-5, £547,604 0*s.* 7*d.* = £3 1*s.* 2*d.*,
[e] Exclusive of Receipts in 1902 of £6882 15*s.* 10*d.* from Customs and Excise, and £10,000 refund of part of Money Order Advance held by Commonwealth Treasurer, for which credit was taken in the Accounts of 1901.
[f] Not formerly treated as an item of Revenue: see corresponding entry in Expenditure Account.
[g] School Fees: prior to the year 1902 were credited to Parliamentary vote.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Treasurer's Finance Papers.]

GENERAL EXPENDITURE—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

RETURN showing the General Expenditure of the Government of Tasmania for the Ten Financial Years ending 30th June, 1906.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5.	1905-6.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
COST OF GOVERNMENT.										
Governor's Establishment	4505 6 7	4435 16 7	4582 10 11	4548 5 4	4126 16 1	6548 12 4[j]	4601 5 4	4282 13 4	3647 6 4	3503 1 5
Premier's Office	20 12 5	88 14 9	65 3 10	48 7 4	59 6 6	137 13 0	229 6 10	265 18 6	431 2 2	410 18 6
Ministerial	2400 0 0	2400 0 0	3200 0 0	3171 15 6	3200 0 0	3200 0 0	3200 0 0	3385 17 9	3212 0 1	3295 11 4
Executive Council	4 4 0	20 3 8	78 16 0	80 4 8	100 18 5	102 15 11	101 4 0	70 10 7	2 3 0	3 14 7
Legislative—										
Payment of Members	2350 0 0	2425 0 0	4550 0 0	4950 0 0	4957 0 0	4853 0 0	4771 6 1	4423 6 6	4477 3 2	4289 19 5
Other Expenditure, including Elections	2694 17 11	3433 10 2	3416 14 7	3656 16 5	4881 13 7	4378 18 7	3740 8 1	8081 14 6[n]	6528 6 0	8281 15 4
Chief Secretary's Department	966 17 3	1021 15 11	1133 7 7	1162 6 5	1303 14 4	1162 19 0	920 17 0	784 18 11	958 1 9[o]	968 4 8
Treasurer's Department	2845 5 6	2941 9 4	3131 0 1	3315 3 5	3581 13 2	3743 15 6	3409 7 4	3448 2 1	3836 12 10	3799 0 5
Attorney-General's Department	774 11 5	724 12 11	1029 15 3	760 6 10	695 10 8	871 13 10	923 7 6	933 3 5	911 3 11	902 6 2
Audit Department	2572 4 8	2517 10 10	2712 15 10	2814 12 8	3014 0 5	2854 17 8	2441 8 3	2532 4 5	2622 6 1	2658 15 1
Office of Taxes	3290 4 0	3560 10 6	2961 16 2	3715 4 1	3756 11 2	3174 13 7	3348 4 7	3141 16 6	4993 6 1	5271 17 3
Customs Department	6869 7 6	6932 2 11	8424 18 11	8871 14 3	9731 13 10	5 7 8[e]	[e]	[e]		
Miscellaneous	123 11 9	513 11 9	88 19 6	113 3 9	97 8 6	1353 12 10	1343 7 0	479 2 11	388 12 2	839 17 0
TOTAL	29,417 3 0	31,014 19 4	35,375 18 8	37,208 0 8	39,506 6 8	32,387 19 11	[29,030 2 0	31,829 9 5	32,008 3 7	34,225 1 2
LAW AND PROTECTION.										
Solicitor's-General Department	782 0 11	796 4 3	918 13 8	842 15 7	907 16 1	1129 16 6	1240 11 5	1198 15 5	1424 14 2	1281 19 3
The Judges	4382 0 5	4364 13 9	3557 12 9	4501 13 2	4517 11 0	4509 5 3	4487 15 6	4486 11 2	4533 5 0	4503 13 7
Sheriff and Court of Requests	1281 6 10	1241 18 2	1328 15 3	1334 1 6	1417 12 5	1457 7 3	1508 13 11	1575 15 11	1799 17 9	1671 11 8
Administration of Justice	1260 18 6	1200 7 8	1294 7 0	1299 5 8	1023 7 5	1478 0 2	1055 6 1	1617 18 5	996 11 5	1076 19 5
Court of Requests, &c., Launceston	638 1 6	653 16 11	716 3 6	1411 19 2	1104 17 5	786 9 7	774 4 8	845 8 2	931 18 1	764 1 11
Magistracy	5097 5 8	5717 6 9	5960 18 11	5959 13 11	6780 8 10	6756 12 1	6547 9 10	6096 3 0	4274 16 9	4160 11 0
Police	16,152 15 4	16,926 9 3	18,704 15 2	39,330 11 11[k]	37,441 18 5	39,125 11 8	37,805 14 8	36,133 18 10	36,211 3 7	34,736 8 5
Gaols	5516 2 11	5441 1 8	5426 6 4	5636 0 10	5927 19 2	5625 13 0	5678 13 8	5582 2 2	5791 10 1	5714 6 1
Defences	8953 19 11	10,376 11 0	12,780 16 3	13,893 18 6	17,390 11 1	1190 14 5[i]	[i]	[i]		
Tasmanian Military Contingent to South Africa	...	...	...	3578 17 9	16,343 16 7	5157 18 9	63 18 8	141 9 11	48 14 4	...
Miscellaneous	1329 15 1	1320 3 5	3778 12 6	1587 19 8	1786 10 2	2080 10 8	1779 6 4	2106 2 7	4577 2 10	2091 17 7
TOTAL	45,394 7 1	48,038 12 10	54,467 1 4	79,376 17 8[k]	94,642 8 7	69,297 19 4	60,941 14 9	59,784 5 7	60,589 14 0	56,001 8 11
SCIENCE AND EDUCATION.										
Education	36,282 4 11	39,007 4 3	41,975 16 8	44,478 0 2	48,863 14 11	55,024 5 1	67,185 19 7[l]	67,085 14 1[l]	67,403 3 8[l]	63,714 3 1[l]
Museums and Botanical Gardens	1500 0 0	1500 0 0	1450 0 0	1500 0 0	1500 0 0	1500 0 0	1500 0 0	1500 0 0	1450 0 0	1450 0 0
Libraries, Public	550 0 0	550 0 0	550 0 0	650 0 0	750 0 0	1000 0 0	1000 0 0	1050 0 0	675 0 0	750 0 0
Meteorological	111 14 8	252 16 6	338 8 7	329 0 1	406 2 2	396 10 2	421 19 7	437 11 7	[o]	
Miscellaneous	290 15 0	375 0 0	505 11 0	698 13 1	678 5 0	351 10 0	759 0 6	...	1124 10 9	1559 10 7
TOTAL	38,734 14 7	41,685 0 9	44,819 16 3	47,655 13 4	52,198 2 1	58,272 5 3	70,866 19 8	70,073 5 8	70,652 14 5	67,473 13 8

HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES.																								
Charities and Medical Institutions	39,952	15	3	41,524	19	2	51,007	7	6	44,798	15	11	49,488	1	4	50,449	6	11	51,846	13	11	48,429	0	8	46,808	19	11	44,671	9	0
Quarantine	71	8	0	97	13	0	252	2	4	110	15	0	83	4	8	81	8	0	61	8	0	...			...			...		
Smallpox Outbreak	...			...			...			...			...			...			...			18,546	12	4	34	19	9	...		
TOTAL	40,024	3	3	41,622	12	2	51,259	9	10	44,909	10	11	49,571	6	0	50,530	14	11	51,908	1	11	66,975	13	0	46,843	19	8	44,671	9	0
SERVICE DEPARTMENT.																								
Statistical and Registration Department	1882	8	2	1945	14	6	2103	6	3	2152	3	0	2287	15	7	2329	3	3	2385	18	11	2962	18	1	2687	0	0	2656	5	8
Stamp Duties	...			...			...			...			...			175	19	4	212	17	0	...			...			...		
Lands' Titles	2517	19	0	2551	3	5	2626	9	10	2631	1	1	2866	7	8	2845	16	10	2935	3	8	2951	12	11	2984	18	2	3076	9	7
Supreme Court and Registrar of Deeds	1085	14	6	1035	3	1	1107	4	4	1193	2	6	1275	15	3	1332	9	0	1304	1	3	1619	14	0	1852	19	6	1831	9	8
Agent-General	1092	19	2	1061	7	9	1217	8	9	2667	6	11	2298	5	0	1992	11	5	1619	5	6	1456	7	6	1364	19	3	1381	11	4
Printing Department	7948	13	8	8778	8	2	9411	12	1	9953	15	2	10,847	16	6	10,759	5	0	11,379	3	2	12,045	19	0	11,345	5	11	11,587	9	9
Stores Department	[a]			[a]			[a]			[a]			[a]			468	16	0	867	15	5	881	1	2	908	17	2	924	13	2
Analyst	528	4	3	520	15	4	554	1	2	578	3	8	629	10	9	632	15	11	710	4	0	672	14	2	408	18	2	...		
Magazines and Explosives	[b]			[b]			[b]			[b]			601	6	10	683	1	3	624	12	3	412	4	8	361	0	7	347	3	9
Agricultural & Stock Department / Council of Agriculture	1859	17	2	1812	3	8	1710	0	4	2193	9	6	3219	7	7	3490	10	1	3622	0	9	2174 1310	4 6	7 11	2171 1478	5 2	3 11	2184 1605	18 1	6 3
Inspector of Machinery	634	15	5	828	6	3	879	10	7	1102	11	1	978	16	8	1209	10	0	1244	6	1	1268	5	0	1263	13	7	1252	8	10
Public Buildings	1812	16	7	1983	13	11	2153	8	6	2160	15	0	2547	19	6	1635	18	7	1535	10	9	1511	9	2	1561	19	3	1517	6	6
Railways Maintenance	122,168	15	11	128,573	10	3	141,241	9	11	152,775	10	3	160,574	4	1	173,428	15	5	173,150	15	3	166,351	1	3	171,618	14	5	172,600	14	2
Railways Construction	...			...			...			...			...			360	0	0	...			...			...			...		
Lands, Works, and Mines	9715	0	10	10,707	3	2	11,412	19	5	13,110	7	9	15,571	13	9	22,196	9	5	17,769	15	6	16,051	3	5	14,254	18	7	15,007	18	11
Surveys of Land for Sale and Surveyors' Examinations	11,580	7	2	8891	4	3	15,382	3	8	13,945	9	6	13,191	14	9	12,469	3	8	12,237	13	2	17,412	16	4	4783	4	7	8662	9	3
Posts and Telegraphs	61,511	5	4	65,278	9	7	73,315	6	8	78,095	3	5	84,539	0	8	7568	1	9[f]	[f]			[f]			[f]					
State Savings Bank	...			...			...			...			...			...			839	8	9	990	12	7	4612	5	3	2067	9	7
Ditto, Interest on Deposits.	...			...			...			...			...			...			...			10,925	10	1[c]	...			...		
Public Health Department	...			...			...			...			...			...			...			...			...			2234	6	2[p]
Miscellaneous Services.																								
Roads, Bridges, and Jetties—Repairs, &c.	1548	14	4	1594	9	1	3404	7	8	3327	13	3	2596	10	1	4100	14	4	3377	6	9	2523	6	2	2219	8	8	3936	13	9
Roads, Fences, Queen's Domain, &c.	291	5	9	321	18	7	487	14	6	345	3	1	431	14	11	460	14	1	505	10	0	343	19	7	333	19	3	340	1	5
Public Buildings—Repairs, &c.	2350	17	6	2343	13	9	3497	3	7	3089	16	2	3595	5	3	3263	16	5	1736	0	5	972	19	11	978	7	9	1061	16	9
Tracks	...			...			...			...			...			2943	12	0	995	11	5	165	2	1	...			149	10	1
Aid to Ferries	425	0	0	425	0	0	425	0	0	425	0	0	425	0	0	425	0	0	412	10	0	437	10	0	425	0	0	425	0	0
Sundries	417	14	5	1385	5	11	948	13	6	324	6	4	378	6	4	6061	5	3[h]	751	8	7	728	11	7	587	17	2	59	13	9
TOTAL	229,372	9	2	240,037	10	8	271,878	0	9	290,070	17	8	308,856	11	2	260,832	9	0	240,216	18	7	246,169	10	2	228,202	15	5	235,450	11	10
AID TO LOCAL BODIES.																								
Reserves for Residence Areas	795	12	3	1215	18	7	2040	15	2	2245	8	7	2471	3	0	1521	2	9	1104	12	3	593	8	1	374	0	0	372	2	10
Road Trust and Town Board Subsidies	4430	7	7	4666	6	10	7207	0	6	7210	14	0	8239	6	3	10,124	2	0	9873	16	0	...			648	11	4	593	17	9
Main Road Boards	3060	14	0	3022	9	9	5085	16	10	4911	4	1	6054	1	6	7952	8	3	7891	9	2	7539	11	9	6872	19	6	7697	17	2
Municipalities — Hobart and Launceston	...			...			...			...			...			1500	0	0	...			...			...			...		
TOTAL	8280	13	10	8904	15	2	14,533	12	6	14,367	6	8	16,764	10	9	21,097	13	0	18,869	17	5	8132	19	10	7895	10	10	8663	17	9

GENERAL EXPENDITURE—*DECENNIAL RETURN—continued.*

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5.	1905-6.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
INTEREST, SINKING FUNDS, PENSIONS, &c.										
Interest	326,836 0 8	322,860 2 6	319,830 19 2	316,658 13 3	320,151 8 3	322,746 0 5	331,488 11 11	340,094 11 10	347,034 16 8	352,596 12 2
Sinking Fund	502 11 3	487 15 0	479 1 3	4188 7 8	5066 16 9	4643 10 9	4828 15 2	6215 16 7	6932 19 1	7322 5 6
Sinking Fund reserved from Crown Lands	12,763 17 11	15,174 15 9	14,329 17 7	15,186 12 3	14,823 1 9	15,970 17 4	19,148 0 8	19,826 4 3	19,390 19 8	21,658 12 2
Commission and Exchange	5919 5 9	4894 18 1	4107 6 9	3483 19 9	2797 2 7	3182 2 6	2970 10 3	3240 3 8	2850 12 8	2832 13 3
Pensions and Compensation	11,499 8 2	11,360 5 9	13,897 17 11	14,751 11 6	14,220 3 9	14,925 9 11	15,247 9 7	14,722 4 8	14,038 10 10	14,690 17 4
TOTAL	357,521 3 9	354,777 17 1	352,645 2 8	354,269 4 5	357,058 13 1	361,468 0 11	373,683 7 7	384,099 1 0	390,247 18 11	399,101 0 5
Miscellaneous—General	1493 1 11	18,944 11 11[d]	5388 18 6	3596 1 0	5133 2 8	16,555 1 9[g]	5167 9 7	12,291 19 4	3743 14 7	7559 17 4
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	750,243 16 7	785,025 19 11	830,168 0 6	871,453 10 4	923,731 1 0	870,442 4 1	850,684 11 6	[n]879,356 4 0	840,184 11 5	853,147 0 1[m]
PER HEAD OF POPULATION.										
Cost of Government	0 3 9	0 3 10	0 4 3	0 4 4	0 4 7	0 3 9	0 3 4	0 3 7	0 3 7	0 3 10
Law and Protection	0 5 9	0 5 11	0 6 6	0 9 4	0 11 0	0 8 0	0 6 11	0 6 9	0 6 9	0 6 3
Science and Education	0 4 11	0 5 2	0 5 4	0 5 7	0 6 1	0 6 9	0 8 1	0 7 11	0 7 10	0 7 6
Hospitals and Charities	0 5 1	0 5 2	0 6 2	0 5 3	0 5 9	0 5 10	0 5 11	0 7 6	0 5 3	0 5 0
Service Departments	1 9 1	1 9 7	1 12 8	1 14 0	1 15 9	1 10 0	1 7 4	1 7 9	1 5 6	1 6 3
Aid to Local Bodies	0 1 0	0 0 11	0 1 6	0 1 8	0 1 11	0 2 5	0 2 2	0 0 11	0 0 11	0 1 0
Interest, Sinking Funds, Pensions, &c.	2 5 5	2 3 11	2 2 7	2 1 6	2 1 4	2 1 8	2 2 6	2 3 3	2 3 7	2 4 6
Miscellaneous—General	0 0 2	0 2 4	0 0 8	0 0 5	0 0 7	0 1 10	0 0 7	0 1 5	0 0 5	0 0 10
TOTAL EXPENDITURE. £ s. d.	4 15 2	4 16 10	4 19 8	5 2 1	5 7 0	5 0 3	4 16 10	4 19 1	4 13 10	4 15 2

[a] During these years the expenditure of Stores Department is distributed over several departments.
[b] Included in Defences.
[c] Not charged as an item of Expenditure in other years : see corresponding entry in Revenue Account.
[d] Includes £14,700 0*s.* 7*d.* remission of Interest owing by Bank of Van Diemen's Land, in liquidation.
[e] Customs transferred to control of Commonwealth Government on 1st January, 1901. £5 7*s.* 8*d.* expenditure on account of previous year.
[f] Transferred to Commonwealth on 1st March, 1901.
[g] Includes cost of Ducal Reception, £12,738 10*s.* 5*d.*; Reception of Imperial and Indian Troops, £866 18*s.* 2*d.*
[h] Includes expenses of taking Census, £3767 4*s.* 4*d.*
[i] Defences transferred to Commonwealth Government on 1st March, 1901.
[j] Includes Furniture, Repairs, &c., on occasion of Ducal visit.
[k] Police Force.—Territorial and Municipal were centralised in this year, the entire cost being borne by the General Government.
[l] Gross Expenditure; prior to the year 1902 school fees were credited to the Vote, the net Expenditure only being published.
[m] Includes cross entry charges not formerly included in General Expenditure, and which are returned as Revenue through various Departments.
[n] New Rolls and General Election.
[o] Meteorological Observer included in Chief Secretary's Department.
[p] Formerly included under Medical Institutions.

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Under Treasurer.]

STATE EXPENDITURE.

NET Revenue Expenditure Years 1884, 1895, *and* 1897 *to* 1905-6.

	1884.	1895.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1894-5.	1905-6.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Cost of Government[f]	29,479	29,361	31,015	35,376	37,208	39,507	32,388	29,030	31,829	32,008	33,798
Less moneys received for services rendered the Imperial and Commonwealth Governments, &c.	...	270	518	477	446	450	644	1948	1250	920	427
Net cost of Government	29,479	29,091	30,497	34,899	36,762	39,057	31,744	27,082	30,579	31,088	33,798
Law and Protection	57,638	45,365	48,039	54,467	79,377	94,642	69,298	60,942	59,784	60,590	56,001
Less Revenue from Gaols, &c.	[a]5857	186	487	279	574	605	427	522	338	1487	843
Net Law and Protection	51,781	45,179	47,552	54,188	78,803	94,037	68,871	60,420	59,446	59,103	55,158
Science and Education	27,995	37,883	41,685	44,820	47,656	52,198	58,272	70,867	70,073	70,653	67,474
Less School Fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,624	13,345	11,973	13,956
Net Science and Education	27,995	37,883	41,685	44,820	47,656	52,198	58,272	60,243	56,728	58,680	53,518
Charities and Medical Institutions	56,852	40,434	41,623	51,260	44,910	49,571	50,531	51,908	[d]66,976	46,844	44,671
Less Fees, &c.	4577	4933	4283	4254	4316	4409	4913	5774	5600	5681	6089
Net Charities and Medical Institutions	52,275	35,501	37,339	47,006	40,594	45,162	45,618	46,134	[d]61,376	41,163	38,582
Service Departments—											
Railways	53,773	120,388	128,573	141,241	152,776	160,574	173,789	173,151	166,351	171,619	172,600
Post and Telegraph	55 676	61,979	65,279	73,315	78,095	84,539	7568	[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]
Other Service Departments and Miscellaneous Services	99,231	45,999	46,185	57,322	59,200	63,744	79,475	67,066	[c]79,819	56,584	62,850
Total	208,680	228,366	240,037	271,878	290,071	308,857	260,832	240,217	246,170	228,203	235,451
Less Revenue—											
Railways	28,974	152,718	169,503	175,125	192,561	202,075	206,997	232,744	248,024	245,048	241,688
Post and Telegraphs	35,283	55,421	76,041	83,649	90,846	96,060	18,595	[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]
Other Service Departments, &c.	15,501	13,456	19,524	22,663	21,452	19,269	21,913	23,436	[c]45,953	24,001	30,409
Total	79,758	221,595	265,068	281,437	304,859	317,404	247,505	256,180	293,977	269,049	272,097
Net Expenditure—											
Railways	24,799	- 32,330	- 40,930	- 33,884	- 39,785	- 41,501	- 33,208	- 59,593	- 81,678	—73,429	- 69,088
Post and Telegraphs	20,393	6558	- 10,761	- 10,334	- 12,751	- 11,521	- 11,027	[b]	[b]	[b]	
Other Service Departments	83,730	32,543	26,661	34,659	37,748	44,475	57,562	43,630	33,866	32,583	32,441
Total Net Expenditure	128,922	6771	- 25,030	- 9559	- 14,788	- 8547	13,327	- 15,963	- 47,807	— 40,846	-36,647
Aid to Local Bodies	26,176	8253	7689	12,293	14,367	16,765	21,098	18,870	8132	7895	8664
Sinking Fund, Pensions, &c.	33,015	29,261	33,134	34,855	37,610	36,907	38,722	42,195	44,004	43,213	46,504
Miscellaneous, General	...	642	18,945	5389	3596	5133	16,555	5167	12,292	3744	7560
Total net Expenditure, less Interest	349,643	192,582	191,810	223,891	244,600	280,712	294,207	244,148	224,750	204,040	207,138
Interest	137,899	329,379	322,860	319,831	316,659	320,151	322,746	331,489	340,095	347,035	352,597
Less Interest on Balance at Deposit, &c.	44,106	12,645	6372	8013	9403	9942	8603	12,762	12,925	13,388	18,224
Net Interest	93,793[e]	316,734	316,488	311,818	307,256	310,209	314,143	318,727	327,170	333,647	334,373
TOTAL NET EXPENDITURE	443,436	509,316	508,298	535,709	551,856	590,921	608,350	562,875	551,920	537,682	541,511

[a] Includes Contribution from Home Government in aid of Police and Gaols.
[b] Transferred to Commonwealth Government, 1st March, 1901.
[c] Includes £12,490 Interest on State Savings Bank Deposits not shown in Consolidated Revenue or Expenditure accounts in other years.
[d] Includes £18,546 on account of Small-pox Outbreak.
See details, page 248.

NOTE.—The sign — indicates that the Revenue exceeds Expenditure.

NET REVENUE EXPENDITURE PER HEAD, YEARS 1884 AND 1896–1906.

	1884.	1894.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5.	1905-6.
	s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
Cost of Government	4 9	4 4	3 9	3 10	4 3	4 4	4 7	3 9	3 4	3 7	3 7	3 10
Less Receipts for Services rendered Imperial and Commonwealth Governments	...	...	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 3	0 2	0 1	0 1
Net cost of Government.	4 9	4 4	3 8	3 9	4 2	4 3	4 6	3 8	3 1	3 5	3 6	3 9
Law and Protection	9 2	7 2	5 9	5 11	6 6	9 4	11 0	8 0	6 11	6 9	6 9	6 3
Less Revenue from Gaols	0 11	0 1	...	0 1	...	0 1	0 1	0 1	...	0 1	0 2	0 1
Net Law and Protection .	8 3	7 1	5 9	5 10	6 6	9 3	10 11	7 11	6 11	6 8	6 7	6 2
Science and Education	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8 1	7 11	7 11	7 6
Less School Fees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 3	1 6	1 4	1 6
Total Science and Education	4 5	5 5	4 11	5 2	5 4	5 7	6 1	6 9	6 10*	6 5	6 7	6 0
Charities & Medical Institutions.	9 1	5 11	5 1	5 2	6 2	5 3	5 9	5 10	5 11	7 6	5 3	5 0
Less Fees, &c.	0 9	0 11	0 7	0 7	0 6	0 6	0 6	0 7	0 8	0 7	0 8	0 8
Net Charities and Medical Institutions	8 4	5 0	4 6	4 7	5 8	4 9	5 3	5 3	5 3	6 11	4 7	4 4
Service Departments—												
Railways	8 7	16 1	15 6	15 10	17 0	17 11	18 7	20 0	19 8	18 9	19 2	19 3
Post and Telegraph	8 11	9 5	7 10	8 1	8 10	9 2	9 9	0 10	...	...	...	...
Other Service Departments and Miscellaneous Services	15 10	6 6	5 9	5 9	6 10	6 11	7 5	9 2	7 8	9 0	6 4	7 0
Total	33 4	32 0	29 1	29 8	32 8	34 0	35 9	30 0	27 4	27 9	25 6	26 3
Less Revenue—												
Railways	4 7	19 6	20 5	20 11	21 0	22 7	23 5	23 10	26 6	27 11	27 4	27 0
Post and Telegraph	5 8	7 2	9 5	9 4	10 1	10 8	11 1	2 2	...	...	...	...
Other Service Departments, &c.	2 6	1 4	2 3	2 5	2 8	2 5	2 3	2 6	2 8	5 2	2 9	3 4
Total	12 9	27 0	32 1	32 8	33 9	35 8	36 9	28 6	29 1	33 1	30 1	30 4
Net Expenditure—												
Railways	4 0	−2 5	−4 11	−5 1	−4 0	−4 8	−4 10	−3 10	− 6 10	−9 2	−8 2	−7 9
Post and Telegraph	3 3	2 3	−1 7	−1 3	−1 3	−1 6	−1 4	−1 4	...	...	...	...
Other Service Departments, &c.	13 4	5 2	3 6	3 4	4 2	4 6	5 2	6 8	5 0	5 10	3 7	3 8
Total Net Expenditure	20 7	5 0	−3 0	−3 0	−1 1	−1 8	−1 0	1 6	− 1 10	−5 4	−4 7	−4 1
Aid to Local Bodies	4 2	1 6	1 0	0 11	1 6	1 8	1 11	2 5	2 2	0 11	0 11	1 0
Sinking Fund, Pensions, &c.	5 3	2 11	4 0	4 1	4 2	4 5	4 3	4 6	4 10	4 11	4 10	5 2
Miscellaneous General	...	0 10	0 2	2 4	0 8	0 5	0 7	1 10	0 7	1 5	0 5	0 10
Total Net Expenditure less Interest	55 9	32 1	21 0	23 8	26 11	28 8	32 6	33 10	27 10	25 4	22 10	23 2
Interest	22 0	43 8	41 6	39 10	38 5	37 2	37 1	37 3	37 9	38 4	38 9—	39 4
Less Interest on Balance at Deposit, &c.	7 0	1 11	1 0	0 9	1 0	1 2	1 2	1 0	1 6	1 6	1 6	2 1
Net Interest	15 0	41 9	40 6	39 1	37 5	36 0	35 11	36 3	36 3	36 10	37 3	37 3
TOTAL NET EXPENDITURE	70 9	73 10	61 6	62 9	64 4	64 8	68 5	70 1	64 1	62 2	60 1	60 5

* Prior to the Year 1902 Revenue from School Fees, &c., was credited to the Votes, the Net Expenditure only appearing in published statements of Expenditure.

STATE REVENUE—NET REVENUE, YEARS 1884, 1894–1904–5.

	1884.	1894.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5.	1905-6.
TAXATION.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs	254,946	281,945	329,006	351,849	406,782	425,574	466,218	*	*	*	*	*
Excise	13,843	17,717	18,919	19,366	21,181	22,546	24,698	*	*	*	*	*
Taxation Act, 1904	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	*	*	*	24,396	28,051
Land Tax	21,599	68,092	39,353	37,541	38,481	15,106	61,123	42,209	41,862	50,881	54,151	54,776
Income, Dividend and Companies Tax	8626	8814	36,812	35,776	24,718	23,473	31,034	20,203	14,943	37,529	59,487	70,270
Police Rate	5930	9922	10,419	10,502	11,158	15,895	16,341	1411	73	3	..	1
Other Taxes	39,248	32,452	32,545	41,438	38,683	45,030	45,561	47,692	48,524	61,678	78,919	95,701
Total Taxation	344,192	418,942	467,054	496,472	541,003	547,624	644,975	111,515	105,402	150,091	216,953	248,799
BUILDINGS, LAND, &c.												
Rents, &c.	18,706	22,005	33,092	33,847	35,632	37,899	37,629	32,235	30,767	31,354	29,490	33,836
Sales of Crown Lands, &c.	50,996	26,951	29,954	35,576	34,882	35,454	35,411	35,698	41,161	41,232	39,919	44,801
Total Buildings, Land, &c.	69,702	48,956	63,046	69,423	70,514	73,353	73,040	67,933	71,928	72,586	69,409	78,637
Commonwealth Surplus returned to State	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	377,782	264,702	304,857	259,099	256,391
All other Receipts, less Receipts from Railways, Post and Telegraphs, Fees of Departments, and Interest on Deposits, &c.	1279	1093	2258	2396	2247	3395	4155	6841	4822	2698	4722	5194
Total Net Revenue	415,173	468,991	532,358	568,291	613,764	624,372	722,170	564,071	446,852	530,232	550,183	589,021
Total Net Expenditure	443,436	562,001	484,626	508,298	535,709	551,856	590,921	608,350	562,874	551,920	537,687	541,511
Revenue Surplus	..	..	47,732	59,993	78,055	72,516	131,249	.	..	..	12,496	47,510
Revenue Deficits	28,263	93,010	..	..	..	..	..	44,279	116,022	21,688	..	..

PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	1884.	1894.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5.	1905-6.
TAXATION.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Customs	40 8	37 0	41 9	43 5	48 10	49 11	54 0	*	*	*	*	*
Excise	2 2	2 4	2 5	2 5	2 6	2 8	2 10	*	*	*	*	*
Land Tax	3 5	8 11	5 0	4 8	4 8	1 9	7 1	4 10	4 9	5 9	6 1	6 1
Taxation Act, 1894	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3 2
Income, Dividend, and Companies Tax	1 5	1 2	4 8	4 5	3 0	2 9	3 7	2 4	1 9	4 3	6 8	7 10
Police Rate	0 11	1 4	1 4	1 3	1 4	1 10	1 11	0 2	..	..	..	..
Other Taxes	6 4	4 3	4 1	5 1	4 8	5 3	5 3	5 6	5 6	6 11	11 6	10 8
Total Taxation	54 11	55 0	59 3	61 3	65 0	64 2	74 8	12 10	12 0	16 11	24 3	27 9
BUILDINGS, LANDS, &c.												
Rents	3 0	2 11	4 2	4 2	4 3	4 5	4 4	3 8	3 6	3 6	3 3	3 9
Sales of Crown Lands	8 2	3 6	3 10	4 5	4 2	4 2	4 1	4 2	4 8	4 8	4 6	5 0
Total Buildings, Lands, &c.	1 12	6 5	8 0	8 7	8 5	8 7	8 5	7 10	8 2	8 2	7 9	8 9
Commonwealth Surplus returned to State	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43 6	30 2	34 4	28 11	28 8
All other Receipts, less Receipts from Railways, Post and Telegraphs, Fees of Departments, and Interest on Deposits, &c.	0 2	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 3	0 5	0 6	0 10	0 7	0 4	0 6	0 7
Total Net Revenue	66 3	61 7	67 6	70 2	73 8	73 2	83 7	65 0	50 11	59 9	61 5	65 9
Total Net Expenditure	70 9	73 10	61 6	62 9	64 4	64 8	68 5	70 1	64 1	62 2	60 1	60 5
Revenue Surplus	..	..	6 0	7 5	9 4	8 6	15 2	..	..	..	1 4	5 4
Revenue Deficit	4 6	12 3	..	..	..	..	..	5 1	13 2	2 5	..	..

* Transferred to Commonwealth Government 1st January, 1901. (See Table Page 226.)

NET STATE EXPENDITURE, 1894, 1900, 1902, 1904, & 1905-6.

Net Expenditure.	Net Cost. (Amount.)					Net Cost. (Per Head.)				
	1894.	1900.	1902.	1904-5.	1906.	1894.	1900.	1902.	1904-5	1905-6
STATE (DIRECT) A.	£	£	£	£	£	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
Interest, Sinking Funds, and Pensions	339,825	347,116	360,922	376,860	380,577	43·8	40·2	41·1	42·1	42·5
COST OF GOVERNMENT B.										
General Administration*	14,441	15,359	13,970	16,436	17,723	1·11	1·9	1·7	1·10	2·0
Governor's Establishment	4522	4127	4601	3647	3503	0·7	0·6	0·6	0·5	0·5
Legislature—										
Payment of Members	2350	4957	4771	4477	4290	0·4	0·7	0·7	0·6	0·6
Other Expenses	4111	4882	3740	6528	8282	0·6	0·7	0·5	0·9	0·10
Total cost of Government B.	25,424	29,325	27,082	31,088	33,798	3·4	3·5	3·1	3·6	3·9
GROUP C.										
Police, Gaols, Law	41,704	‡76,646	‡60,420	‡59,103	‡55,158	5·6	‡8·10	‡6·11	‡6·7	‡6·2
Education	41,290	52,198	60,243	58,680	53,518	5·5	6·1	6·10	6·7	6·0
Hospitals, Charities	37,785	45,162	46,134	41,163	38,582	5·0	5·3	5·3	4·7	4·4
Total Group C.	120,779	174,006	166,797	158,946	147,258	15·11	20·2	19·0	17·9	16·6
SERVICE DEPARTMENTS D.										
Railways	—18,465	—41,501	—59,593	—73,429	—69,088	—2·5	—4·10	—6·10	—8·2	—7·9
Other Service Departments	+38,988	+44,475	+43,630	+32,583	+32,441	+5·2	+5·2	+5·0	+3·7	+3·8
	+20,523	+2974	—15,963	—40,846	—36,647	+2·9	+0·4	—1·10	—4·7	—4·1
Aids to Local Bodies	11,644	16,765	18,870	7895	8664	1·6	1·11	2·2	0·11	1·0
Miscellaneous	6220	5133	5167	3744	7560	0·10	0·7	0·7	0·5	0·11
Total State Element (Direct)	524,415	575,319	562,875	537,687	541,511	68·11	66·7	64·1	60·1	60·5
STATE (INDIRECT) E. State Net Cost in respect of Departments transferred in 1901 to Commonwealth, and Tasmania's share of *New Federal Expenditure*, £13,234 in 1902, £20,873 in 1904-5, (*Indirect* since 1900)	35,441	14,059	72,492	71,967	70,866	4·8	1·8	8·3	8·0	7·11
Total Net Expenditure†	559,856	589,378	635,367	609,654	612,377	73·7	68·3	72·4	68·1	68·4

— Revenue over working expenses = gain. + Working expenses in excess of receipts = net expense.

* General Administration includes Premier's Office, Executive Council, Departments of Chief Secretary, Treasurer, Attorney-General, Audit Department, Office of Taxes, Minister of Lands, and Miscellaneous General.

† Differs from Net Expenditure shown in ordinary Statistical Tables by the amount of Revenue from *Bond Rents*, which in this Table is merged, and thereby lessens State Net Cost of transferred Departments.

‡ Municipal Police—new charge upon General Government.

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STATE FINANCES (CONSOLIDATED REVENUE).

SUMMARY of Treasury Balances for the Financial Years 1903 *to* 1905-6.

		Surplus.	Deficiency.
	£	£	£
Aggregate Deficiency, 1st January, 1903	...	...	212,856
Year ending 31st December, 1903.			
Revenue	857,668	...	...
Expenditure	879,356	...	21,689
Aggregate Deficiency, 1st January, 1904	...	...	234,545
Half-year ending 30th June, 1904.			
Revenue	426,139	...	...
Expenditure	421,037	5102	...
Deficiency, 1st July, 1904	...	...	229,443
Year 1904-5.			
Revenue Actual	852,681	...	...
Expenditure Actual	840,185	12,496	...
Deficiency, 30 June, 1905	...	...	216,947
Year, 1905-6.			
Revenue Actual	900,657	...	...
Expenditure	853,147	47,510	...
Deficiency, 30 June, 1906	...	...	169,437

(Compiled from Financial Statements.)

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE.

SURPLUSES and DEFICIENCIES, 1891 *to* 1906

Year.	The particular Years. Surplus.	Deficiency.	Aggregate Deficiency at Date.
	£	£	£
1891 (beginning)	...	...	132,768
1891 (ending)	31,261	...	101,507
1892 ,,	...	132,378	233,885
1893 ,,	...	128,233	362,118
1894 ,,	...	93,010	455,128
1895 ,,	13,025	...	442,103
1896 ,,	47,732	...	394,371
1897 ,,	59,994	...	334,377
1898 ,,	78,055	...	256,322
1899 ,,	72,517	...	183,805
1900 ,,	131,249	...	52,556
1901 ,,	...	44,279	96,835
1902 ,,	...	116,021	212,856
1903 ,,	...	21,689	234,545
1904, 6 months	5102	...	229,443
1904-5	12,496	...	216,947
1905-6	47,510	...	169,437
TOTAL FOR PERIOD...	498,941	535,610	4,109,003
Yearly Average	49,894	89,269	241,706

TAXATION SINCE YEAR 1893

in respect of all Functions and Obligations now imposed on the State General Government of Tasmania; also Treasury Surpluses and Deficits.

Taxation.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.]	1899.	1900.	1901.*	1902.*	1903.*	1904-5.	1905-6.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ [d]	£ [d]	£	£*	£*
INDIRECT.													
Customs and Excise	303,682	299,662	322,755	347,925	371,215	427,963	448,120	490,916	424,443	337,941	366,898	330,651	326,395
DIRECT.													
Real Estate :—													
Land Tax	37,375	[d]68,092	49,883	39,353	37,541	38,481	[e]38,114	[e]38.115	42,209	41,682	50,881	54,151	54,776
Police Rate[a]	9994	9922	10,191	10,419	10,502	11,158	15,895	16,341	[a]1411	[a]73	[a]3	...	1
Municipal Police[b]	20,888	22,182	20,956	20,252	19,777	20,002	1674	[b]	[b]	[b]	...	...	...
Total Real Estate[a b]	68,257	99,826	81,030	70,024	67,820	69,641	55,683	54,456	43,620	41,935	50,884	54,151	54,777
Incomes & Dividends	11,280	8814	[c]48,815	[c]36,812	[c]35,776	24,718	23,473	31,034	20,203	14,943	37,529	59,487	70,270
Ability Tax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,396	28,051
Other Direct Taxes	37,369	32,452	32,733	32,545	41,438	38,683	45,030	45,561	47,692	48,524	61,678	78,919	95,701
Total Direct Taxes	116,906	141,092	162,578	139,381	145,034	133,042	124,186	131,051	111,515	105,402	150,091	216,953	248,799
All Taxation (General Government)	420,588	440,754	485,333	487,306	516,249	561,005	[e] 572,306	[e] 621,967	535,950	443,343	516,989	547,604	575,194
Treasury Surplus	...	...	13,025	47,732	59,994	78,055	72,517	131,249	...	...	...	12,496	47,510
Treasury Deficit	128,233	93,010	...	...	...	...	...	...	*44,279	*116,021	*21,689	...	...

PER HEAD.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
INDIRECT.													
Customs & Excise[d]	40 2	39 4	41 10	44 2	45 10	51 4	52 7	56 10	48 11[d]	38 6[d]	41 4	36 11	36 5
DIRECT.													
Real Estate :—													
Land Tax	4 11	8 11[d]	6 5	5 0	4 8	4 8	4 6[a]	4 5[e]	4 10	4 9	5 9	6 0	6 1
Police Rate[a]	1 4	1 4	1 4	1 4	1 3	1 4	1 10	1 11	0 2[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]	[a]
Municipal Police[b]	2 9	2 10	2 9	2 7	2 5	2 5	0 2[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]	[b]
Total Real Estate	9 0	13 1	10 6	8 11	8 4	8 5	6 6	6 4	5 0	4 9	5 9	6 0	6 1
Incomes & Dividends	1 6	1 2	6 4[c]	4 8[c]	4 5[c]	3 0	2 9	3 7	2 4	1 9	4 3	6 8	7 10
Ability Tax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 9	3 2
Other Direct Taxes	4 11	4 3	4 3	4 1	5 1	4 8	5 3	5 3	5 6	5 6	6 11	8 10	10 8
Total Direct Taxes	15 5	18 6	20 1	17 8	17 10	16 1	14 6	15 2	12 10	12 0	16 11	24 3	27 9
All Taxation—(General Government)	55 7	57 10	61 11	61 10	63 8	67 5	67 1[e] 64 6[f]	72 0[e] 74 8[f]	61 9	50 6	58 3	61 2	64 2
Treasury Surplus	...	...	1 8	6 6	7 5	9 4	8 6	15 2	...	...	...	1 4	5 4
Treasury Deficit	17 1	12 3	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 1[d]	13 2[d]	2 5	...	...

* Includes State and Commonwealth Taxes. ([a]) Police Tax abolished 1901. ([b]) Municipal Police Tax levied by Local Government up to year 1898; thence expense borne by General Government, and special rate therefore abolished. ([c]) Special Income Tax on "Personal Exertion" levied in these years. ([d]) Double rate (1*d.*) on Real Estate levied in this year. ([e]) A large portion of Land Tax of 1899 was actually collected, and formed an additional Tax burden in year 1900; the true Tax, making allowance for the distribution of the Tax on Land for three years, per head, is shown by the indexes marked [f].

R. M. JOHNSTON, *Government Statistician.*

LAND TAX.

RETURN showing in respect of the various Districts in Tasmania for the Years 1902, 1903, 1904, *and* 1905, *the Number of Properties in Assessment Rolls, the Valuation of Property, and Tax paid in respect of same up to the* 31*st December*, 1905.

DISTRICT.	1902.			1903.			1904.			1905.		
	No. of Properties on Roll.	Capital Value of Property.	Tax, ½*d.* in £, collected.	No. of Properties on Roll.	Capital Value of Property.	Tax collected.	No. of Properties on Roll.	Capital Value of Property.	Tax collected.	No. of Properties on Roll.	Capital Value o Property.	Tax collected.
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—		£ *s. d.*	£ *s. d.*		£ *s. d.*	£ *s. d.*		£ *s. d.*	£ *s. d.*		£ *s. d.*	£ *s. d.*
Evandale	402	594,583 0 0	1193 1 11	398	609,925 0 0	1802 14 9	402	611,640 0 0	1814 17 1	397	611,653 0 0	1691 1 2
Fingal	718	496,300 0 0	953 17 2	733	500,763 0 0	1386 19 5	746	500,396 0 0	1368 6 10	783	503,076 0 0	1315 4 2
George Town	953	163,793 0 0	325 17 8	990	180,427 0 0	387 0 2	1037	197,612 0 0	410 6 6	1065	194,410 0 0	340 4 9
Launceston	4401	2,287,432 0 0	4595 18 6	4478	2,344,340 0 0	5563 8 0	4494	2,424,080 0 0	5766 12 10	4642	2,508,188 0 0	5252 11 9
Portland	390	69,591 0 0	136 15 11	421	66,888 0 0	140 1 0	507	69,072 0 0	150 10 1	473	70,228 0 0	123 4 1
Ringarooma	1405	386,588 0 0	751 15 6	1344	453,413 0 0	1014 2 4	1619	471,442 0 0	1033 14 8	1691	469,078 0 0	858 7 6
Selby	1928	835,548 0 0	1654 12 10	1943	878,167 0 0	2020 6 1	1992	908,659 0 0	2091 15 9	2134	933,423 0 0	1964 7 6
Westbury	1192	793,963 0 0	1550 17 4	1204	801,285 0 0	2035 2 0	1217	805,410 0 0	1990 8 10	1282	806,198 0 0	1671 5 5
Total North-Eastern Division	11,389	5,627,798 0 0	11,162 16 10	11,511	5,835,208 0 0	14,349 13 9	12,014	5,988,311 0 0	14,626 12 7	12,467	6,096,254 0 0	13,216 6 4
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION—												
Deloraine	1392	766,968 0 0	1526 0 6	1457	822,344 0 0	2296 14 1	1384	824,143 0 0	2203 12 11	1449	824,187 0 0	1984 6 11
Emu Bay	2164	863,256 0 0	1611 8 6	2501	1,060,000 0 0	2717 1 7	2841	1,149,012 0 0	2870 4 10	3059	1,136,186 0 0	2514 6 9
Latrobe	940	311,153 0 0	604 18 4	949	350,477 0 0	782 19 11	974	359,125 0 0	797 18 11	995	359,074 0 0	698 9 0
King Island	111	27,395 0 0	25 2 9*	43	10,435 0 0	18 15 8	630	21,655 0 0	40 7 5	667	28,385 0 0	44 0 3
Mersey	2676	812,752 0 0	1561 12 8	2895	979,252 0 0	2162 1 7	2998	1,050,885 0 0	2268 4 7	2987	1,073,901 0 0	2003 13 6
Russell	947	279,293 0 0	547 12 10	1002	360,691 0 0	897 19 5	1163	380,428 0 0	928 0 10	1430	410,451 0 0	835 10 3
West Devon	2173	692,543 0 0	1300 1 0	2302	857,084 0 0	1741 3 4	2251	922,521 0 0	1837 11 5	2475	914,580 0 0	1538 1 5
Total North-Western Division	10,403	3,753,360 0 0	7176 16 7	11,149	4,440,283 0 0	10,616 15 7	12,241	4,707,769 0 0	10,946 0 11	13,062	4,746,764 0 0	9618 8 1
MIDLAND DIVISION—												
Bothwell	324	413,671 0 0	757 15 6	331	426,332 0 0	1166 18 1	323	428,268 0 0	1171 0 1	332	427,860 0 0	1160 4 8
Campbell Town	448	489,462 0 0	961 19 4	445	513,716 0 0	1550 10 9	446	514,927 0 0	1503 18 11	447	515,174 0 0	1387 10 10
Green Ponds	301	192,635 0 0	366 1 2	296	198,207 0 0	497 11 5	313	204,791 0 0	519 12 10	300	207,016 0 0	456 6 8
Hamilton	548	444,330 0 0	872 12 11	549	481,244 0 0	1507 9 7	562	479,399 0 0	1544 9 10	583	490,937 0 0	1097 5 9
Longford	1022	947,863 0 0	1827 16 7	1026	986,254 0 0	2698 2 9	1044	991,532 0 0	2733 17 10	1054	999,891 0 0	2556 5 6
Oatlands	925	737,175 0 0	1344 13 9	927	739,974 0 0	1957 18 5	924	760,459 0 0	2044 19 4	929	759,106 0 0	1621 8 1
Ross	175	294,385 0 0	524 17 10	175	304,235 0 0	869 16 4	183	297,664 0 0	845 5 1	187	305,429 0 0	848 19 4
South Longford	47	139,806 0 0	263 14 11	47	144,429 0 0	420 6 10	45	143,207 0 0	427 9 2	54	141,761 0 0	365 15 11
Total Midland Division	3790	3,659,327 0 0	6919 12 0	3796	3,794,391 0 0	10,668 14 2	3840	3,820,247 0 0	10,790 13 1	3886	3,847,174 0 0	9493 16 9

SOUTH-EASTERN DIVISION—																						
Bellerive and Beltana	469	121,579	0	0	237	9	7	482	127,361	0	0	276	13	6	497	132,403	0	0	290	16	3	511	137,918	0	0	260	19	2
Brighton	447	280,393	0	0	539	13	10	470	302,230	0	0	664	15	3	474	316,574	0	0	710	14	2	475	318,733	0	0	659	6	3
Carnarvon	337	58,097	0	0	112	8	0	358	64,949	0	0	121	6	4	391	67,151	0	0	130	13	0	413	69,332	0	0	122	11	11
Clarence	193	156,270	0	0	298	17	8	198	163,855	0	0	344	8	6	195	168,994	0	0	361	14	1	200	171,390	0	0	302	15	6
Glamorgan	279	136,625	0	0	254	13	10	294	137,106	0	0	299	5	6	295	138,096	0	0	293	14	1	300	139,642	0	0	267	15	8
Glenorchy	669	303,634	0	0	583	2	9	682	313,928	0	0	676	8	5	703	351,586	0	0	732	18	10	718	373,503	0	0	574	8	7
Hobart	5552	3,083,988	0	0	6054	18	8	5703	3,349,809	0	0	7979	18	8	5788	3,406,323	0	0	8132	6	3	5821	3,435,067	0	0	6960	4	7
Kingborough	943	212,009	0	0	429	11	10	969	256,240	0	0	527	9	9	1052	277,859	0	0	568	12	10	1155	283,847	0	0	485	19	6
New Norfolk	889	329,891	0	0	644	14	11	1006	351,894	0	0	816	12	8	1012	369,393	0	0	832	11	10	953	374,489	0	0	712	9	0
New Town	1131	567,366	0	0	1088	6	9	1172	598,713	0	0	1308	18	9	1279	632,761	0	0	1384	15	3	1362	664,676	0	0	1188	14	3
Queenborough	660	327,979	0	0	634	7	9	681	332,931	0	0	726	5	8	713	350,234	0	0	748	3	5	695	379,790	0	0	679	17	11
Richmond	442	233,731	0	0	453	10	7	435	246,938	0	0	574	15	7	446	255,674	0	0	599	9	2	446	260,154	0	0	564	6	6
Sorell	515	266,330	0	0	512	17	1	516	277,302	0	0	595	7	0	565	282,967	0	0	616	16	7	568	289,095	0	0	538	11	0
Spring Bay	241	119,611	0	0	234	2	2	250	122,878	0	0	277	1	11	260	125,270	0	0	281	9	11	277	127,366	0	0	224	8	9
Total South-Eastern Division	12,767	6,197,503	0	0	12,078	15	5	13,216	6,646,134	0	0	15,189	7	6	13,670	6,875,285	0	0	15,684	15	8	13,894	7,025,002	0	0	13,542	8	7
SOUTH-WESTERN & WESTERN DIVISION—																												
Franklin	2185	598,114	0	0	1150	17	0	2281	623,739	0	0	1266	3	6	2302	636,848	0	0	1283	14	8	2394	671,369	0	0	1147	18	6
Macquarie	778	126,516	0	0	216	7	5	730	95,310	0	0	195	18	1	554	62,539	0	0	143	19	10	528	57,374	0	0	93	18	1
Queenstown	2129	308,348	0	0	569	18	3	2306	247,757	0	0	463	12	2	1734	197,935	0	0	412	0	11	1432	178,130	0	0	214	16	10
Zeehan	1447	193,128	0	0	368	7	3	1703	149,655	0	0	304	17	5	1667	145,895	0	0	309	10	9	1425	129,905	0	0	221	0	10
Total South-Western & Western Division	6539	1,226,106	0	0	2305	9	11	7020	1,116,461	0	0	2230	11	2	6257	1,043,217	0	0	2149	6	2	5779	1,036,778	0	0	1677	14	3
TOTAL FOR TASMANIA	44,888	20,464,094	0	0	39,643	10	9	46,692	21,832,477	0	0	53,055	2	2	48,022	22,434,829	0	0	54,197	8	5	49,088	22,751,972	0	0	47,548	14	0

NOTE.—Land Tax Amendment Act, 1902.—Land Tax, 1903 and succeeding years, graduated as under :—

Where assessed value is under £5000 ..... ½*d.* in the £.
„ £5000 and under £15,000 ..... ⅝*d.* „
„ £15,000 „ £40,000 ..... ¾*d.* „
„ £40,000 „ £80,000 ..... ⅞*d.* „
„ £80,000 and over ..... 1*d.* „

* Includes exemptions, viz., land purchased on credit from the Crown on which one-half the purchase-money has not yet become due.

H. E. DOWNIE, *Commissioner of Taxes.*

INCOME TAX.

RETURN showing Number of Mining Companies, Companies, &c., other than Mining, Licensees of Lotteries authorised by Law in Tasmania, and Amount of Income Tax paid by them from 1*st January to the* 31*st December*, 1905.

	No.	Taxable Amount. £ *s.* *d.*	Amount of Tax. £ *s.* *d.*
Mining Companies	15	297,348 15 0	14,867 11 6
Companies other than Mining and Licensees of Lotteries	95	714,532 12 8	35,726 12 9
	110	£1,011,881 7 8	£50,594 4 3

H. E. DOWNIE, *Commissioner of Taxes.*

(I.) INCOME AND ABILITY TAXES (TASMANIA), YEAR 1905-6.

Description.			Total Gross Taxable.		Total Net Taxable.*		Total Taxation.				Relative Tax.				Voting Power.	Taxpayers (Individuals.)	
							Payable.*		Collected.								
Form of Tax.	Rental.	Taxable Amount.	Total Amount.	Per cent.	Total.	Per cent.	Total Amount.	Per cent.	Total Amount.	Per cent.	Per Taxpayer or Company.	Per £1 of Gross Income.	Per £1 of Taxable Income.	Tax per cent. to Total Tax.	Percentage of Direct Voting Power.	No.	Per cent. to Total.
A.—INCOME TAX.			£		£		£		£		£ s. d.	d.	d.				
Mining Companies	..	..	462,620	8·98	462,620	11·99	23,131	23·37	23,131	..	1446 0 0	12	12	23·37	*l*	16	*Nil*
Other ditto (local)	..	..	618,760	12·00	618,760	16·04	30,938	31·26	30,938	..	884 0 0	12	12	31·26	*Nil*	35	*Nil*
Ditto (foreign)	..	..	114,500	2·22	114,500	2·97	5725	5·79	5725	..	100 8 7	12	12	5·79	*i l*	57	*Nil*
Total Companies	..	..	1,195,880	23·20	1,195,880	31·00	59,794	60·42	59,794	..	533 12 0	12	12	60·42	*Nil*	108	*Nil*
Individuals	..	..	184,740	3·58	184,740	4·79	9237	9·33	7936	..	11 10 11	12	12	9·33	0·90	800	1·82
Interest on Debentures, Companies, and Local Bodies	..	..	36,980	·72	36,980	·96	1849	1·87	1849	..	..	12	12	1·87	*Nil*	*	*Nil*
Total Income Tax (A.)	..	..	1,417,600	27·50	1,417,600	36·75	70,880	71·62	69,579	..	78 1 2	12	12	71·62	0.90	800	1·82
B.—"TAXATION ACT, 1904." (ABILITY TAX.)																	
(*a*) Occupiers and Sub-occupiers of Dwellings	Under £12	Under £60	501,810	9·74	214,920	5·57	1194	1·20	†	..	0 2 6	0·57	(min.2/6)	1·20	10·74	9563	21·72
	£12 to £20	£60 to £100	460,350	8·93	272,640	7·07	1136	1·15	†	..	0 5 8	0·59	1	1·15	7·03	6257	14·21
	£20 „ £23	£100 „ £115	185,430	3·60	131,520	3·41	1096	1·11	†	..	0 12 3	1·42	2	1·11	2·02	1797	4·08
	£23 „ £30	£115 „ £150	175,060	3·40	134,080	3·48	1676	1·69	†	..	1 4 7	2·30	3	1·69	1·53	1366	3·10
	£30 „ £58	£150 „ £400	312,570	6·06	274,140	7·11	4569	4·62	†	..	3 11 4	3·51	4	4·62	1·44	1281	2·91
	£58 & over	£400 & over	162,220	3·15	155,890	4·04	2923	2·95	†	..	13 17 0	4·32	(4 & 6) (5)	2·95	·24	211	·48
Total (*a*)	..	..	1,797,440	34·88	1,183,190	30·68	12,594	12·72	†	..	0 12 4	1·68	2·55	12·72	23·00	20,473	46·50
(*b*) Occupiers and Sub-occupiers (Business and Dwelling combined)	Under £20	Under £50	315,480	6·12	135,540	3·51	753	·76	†	..	0 2 6	0·57	(min.2/6)	·76	6·74	5998	13·62
	£20 to £40	£50 to £100	239,070	4·64	133,800	3·47	1115	1·13	†	..	0 6 4	1·12	2	1·13	3·94	3509	7·97
	£40 „ £69	£100 „ £153	249,070	4·83	187,840	4·87	2348	2·37	†	..	1 3 1	2·26	3	2·37	2·29	2041	4·64
	£69 „ £90	£153 „ £185	92,850	1·80	75,540	1·96	1309	1·32	†	..	2 5 4	3·38	4	1·32	·65	577	1·31
	£90 „ £151	£185 „ £238	153,060	2·97	131,130	3·40	2459	2·48	†	..	3 7 3	3·86	4½	2·48	·82	731	1·66
	£151 and over	£238 „ £2375 / £2375 & over	249,690	4·85	230,850	5·98	5290	5·34	†	..	8 8 6	5·08	5 & 6 (5·5)	5·34	·70	628	1·43
Total (*b*)	..	..	1,299,220	25·21	894,700	23·19	13,274	13·41	†	..	0 19 8	2·45	3·56	13·41	15·14	13,484	30·63
	(Board and Lodging).																
(*c*) Lodgers	Under £30	Under £60	230,190	4·47	98,640	2·56	548	·55	†	..	0 2 6	0·57	(min.2/6)	·55	4·93	4385	9·96
	£30 to £50	£60 to £100	278,910	5·41	167,040	4·33	696	·70	†	..	0 3 9	0·60	1	·70	4·19	3729	8·47
	£50 „ £57·5	£100 „ £115	101,820	1·98	72,480	1·88	604	·61	†	..	0 12 4	1·42	2	·61	1·10	978	2·22
	£57·5 „ £65	£115 „ £150	8700	·17	6480	·17	81	·09	†	..	1 1 11	2·23	3	·09	·08	74	·17

	£65 „ £104	£150 „ £400	17,106	·33	14,280	·37	238	·24	†	..	2 10 8	3·34	4	·24	·11	94	·21
	£104 & over	£400 & over	3060	·05	2880	·07	60	·06	†	..	10 0 0	4·71	4 & 6 (5)	·06	..	6	·02
Total (c)	..	..	639,786	12·41	361,800	9·38	2227	2·25	†	..	0 4 10	0·84	1·48	2·25	10·41	9266	21·05
Total "Taxation Act, 1904."	..	..	3,736,440	72·50	2,439,690	63·25	28,095	28·38	†	..	0 13 0	1·80	2·76	28·38	48·55	43,225	98·18
GRAND TOTAL (A.) & (B.)	..	..	5,154,040	100·00	3,857,290	100·00	98,975	100·00	†	..	2 4 10	4·61	6·16	100·00	49·45	44,025	100·00
3,225 Abatements at £30	.	..	..	..	1,296,750	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	44,133	..
					5,154,040												
Voters H. of A. subject to State B Tax.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100·00	49·45	44,025	100·00
Ditto not subject to State B Tax.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	*Nil*	50·55	45,104	*Nil*
Total Voters	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100·00	10·000	89,029	..

* Excluding £881 collected in respect of previous years, and exclusive of appeal cases. † Not ascertained.

(II.) SYNOPSIS OF INCOME AND ABILITY TAXES, YEAR 1905-6.

SUMMARY.

	Voters (H. of A.)	Tax.					Per cent. of Direct Voting Power.
	No.	Amount.	Per cent.	Per Head.	Per £1 of Gross Income.*	Per £1 of Taxable Income.	
I.—VOTERS SUBJECT TO STATE TAXES (A.) and (B.)		£		£ s. d.	d.	d.	
(A.) Income Tax Division—							
Companies, &c. (108)	Nil	61,643	62·29	569 0 0	12	12	*Nil*
Individuals	800	9237	9·33	11 10 11	12	12	0·90
Total (A.), (908)	800	70,880	71·62	78 1 2	12	12	0·90
(B.) "Taxation Act, 1904" Ability Tax—							
Incomes under £100	33,441	5442	5·49	0 3 3	·65	1·28	37·57
Ditto £100 and over	9784	22,653	22·89	2 6 4	3·17	3·84	10·98
Total (B.)	43,225	28,095	28·38	0 13 0	1·80	2·76	48·55
Total (A.) and (B.)	44,025	98,975	100	2 4 10	4·61	6·16	49·45
II.—VOTERS NON-TAXPAYERS	45,004	*Nil*	*Nil*	*Nil*	*Nil*	*Nil*	50·55
All Voters under £100 Income	78,445	5442	5·49	0 1 5	·27	1·28	88·12
Ditto £100 and over	10,584	93,533	94·51	8 16 9	7·18	7·92	11·88
Total Voters (H of A.)	89,029	98,975	100·00	..	..	..	100·00

* Gross annual income of all persons estimated at £8,010,000.

NOTE.—Figures relating to Gross and Taxable Income (Table II.) have been calculated in the office of the Government Statistician on the basis of estimate prepared by Commissioner of Taxes relating to amount of Tax payable by the different groups of Taxpayers for year 1905-6.

CUSTOMS REVENUE.

COMPARATIVE Return for Five Years ending 31st December, 1905, showing the Amount and Percentage of Customs Duties collected under each classified Order of imported Goods.*

	Value of Imports, 1905.§	Duties collected during Year 1905.			Duties collected, 1901-1904.			
		Amount.†	Per cent. to Total.	‡Per cent. on Import value.	1904.†	1903.†	1902.†	1901.
Class I.—*Food, Drink, Narcotics, and Stimulants.*								
Order.	£	£			£	£	£	£
1. Animal Food	103,401	4470	1·40	4·44	4190	4987	6943	8610
2. Vegetable Food	398,861	45,876	14·35	11·51	52,494	74,477	55,852	58,837
3. Drinks (*a*) Alcoholic	56,787	72,918	22·81	128·45	73,685	70,091	73,635	74,213
„ (*b*) Non-Alcoholic	2577	100	·04	3·88	77	105	82	20
4. Tobacco and other narcotics	59,004	60,010	18·78	101·54	60,342	60,974	61,060	64,508
5. Tea and other Stimulants	91,892	4595	1·44	5·00	4858	4117	6092	22,693
TOTAL CLASS I.	712,522	187,969	58·82	26·38	195,646	214,751	203,664	228,882
Class II.—*Live Animals and Plants.*								
6. Animals of all kinds	86,373	...	...	...	...	...	...	132
7. Plants	10,378	...	...	...	...	156	...	361
TOTAL CLASS II.	96,751	...	...	...	...	156	...	493
Class III.—*Textile Fabrics, Dress, and Manufactured Fibrous Materials.*								
8. Silk Manufactures 9. Woollen and Worsted Manufactures 10. Cotton and Flax Manufactures. 11. Manufactures of mixed Materials (Silk, Wool, Cotton, or Flax) 12. Dress	583,578	57,856	18·11	9·92	61,576	64,844	63,046	72,997
13. Manufactures of Fibrous Materials (Sacking, Matting, Cordage, &c.)	67,825	772	·24	1·14	859	920	834	1052
TOTAL CLASS III.	651,403	58,628	18·35	...	62,435	65,764	63,880	74,049
Class IV.—*Products of Arts and Manufactures (not otherwise classed).*								
14. Books and Stationery	59,134	3135	·98	5·30	3042	2427	2604	3509
15. Musical Instruments	20,106	2031	·63	10·15	2221	2307	2456	2389
16. Works of Art, and Art Materials	8430	213	·07	2·52	225	185	118	37
17. Fancy Goods	26,489	4118	1·29	15·55	3987	4757	5054	4452
18. Timepieces, Jewellery, and Platedware	78,165	9364	2·93	11·98	9512	5785	4978	2929
19. Surgical and Scientific Instruments	10,553	380	·12	3·60	774	564	...	88
20. Machines, Tools, and Implements	314,723	18,929	5·92	6·01	22,811	19,948	25,832	30,316

21 Harness, Vehicles, and Equipment	40,225	4632	1·45	11·52	3856	3493	1984	1324
22. Ships, Boats, and Equipment	1988	13	...	...	46	99	8	80
23. Building Materials	24,138	3310	1·04	13·72	4452	4420	2068	5066
24. Furniture	23,653	1611	·51	6·81	1454	1157	806	2863
25. Arms and Explosives	38,450	1991	·62	5·18	1422	1439	2860	4010
26. Drugs, Chemicals, and Bye Products	43,039	1559	·49	3·62	2152	1993	2787	5127
27. Glass and Earthenware Manufactures	40,491	4794	1·50	11·84	4236	5067	5097	5150
28. Soap, Candles, Paints, and Sundry Manufactures not otherwise classed	68,085	5201	1·63	7·64	4441	4651	3400	4020
TOTAL CLASS IV	797,669	61,281	19·18	7·68	64,631	58,292	60,052	71,361
Class V.—*Staple Animal and Vegetable Substances, including Mineral Oils.*								
29. Animal Substances	77,131	2064	·64	2·67	2508	2737	1644	350
30. Vegetable Substances	57,028	3039	·95	5·33	5177	4530	6198	4324
31. Oils	35,058	2209	·69	6·30	2371	4032	2379	10,169
TOTAL CLASS V.	169,217	7312	2·28	4·32	10,056	11,299	10,221	14,843
Class VI.—*Staple Minerals and Metals, including Bullion and Specie.*								
32. Bullion and Specie	26,582	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33. Iron and Steel	96,999	3724	1·16	3·84	3698	3008	2085	5685
34. Other Metals	22,174	...	...	...	...	...	...	230
35. Coal, Shale, and Coke	39,783	120	0·4	...	10	39	...	5107
36. Stone, Clay, and other Minerals	4107	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS VI.	189,645	3844	1·20	2·02	3708	3047	2085	11,021
Class VII.—*Miscellaneous Articles imperfectly defined.*								
37. Indefinite Articles	34,547	550	·17	1·59	672	836	817	11,453
TOTAL CLASS VII.	34,547	550	·17	1·59	672	836	817	11,453
TOTAL IMPORTS AND DUTIES COLLECTED THEREON	2,651,754	319,584	100·00	12·06	337,148	354,145	340,719	412,102
Net Customs Revenue after deducting Drawbacks, &c.	...	318,149	...	...	332,111	349,652	335,795	402,732
Net Excise Duty on Tasmanan Beer	...	20,867	...	...	24,383	21,035	19,244	22,549
Total Net Customs and Excise Duties Collected		339,016	...	...	356,494	370,687	355,039	425,281
Customs and Excise Duty Debited to Tasmania on account of Goods transferred to other States	...	20,190	...	...	19,280	14,076	11,252	1,090
Net Customs and Excise Duty Credited to Tasmania	...	318,826	...	...	337,214	356,611	343,787	424,191
Miscellaneous Customs and Excise Revenue	...	2346	...	...	1,750	2,375	2,598	2,764
Total Customs and Excise Revenue	...	321,172	...	...	338,964	358,986	346,385	426,955

* See Imports, pp. 151 to 156 for fuller detail respecting each Order.
quantity and value of goods entered for Home consumption.
of the Duty for these years can be taken only as roughly approximate.
States has in this return been taken as an Import Duty.

‡ This relative percentage is subject to modification in all cases where the quantity and value of Imports differ from the
† Owing to a very large proportion of Tasmanian Duties being recorded only under very wide revenue heads, the apportionment
§ Includes Australian produce transferred to Tasmania ‖ Excise duties on goods being the produce of other Commonwealth

COMPARATIVE Table showing Duty per Head of Population during Years 1900 *to* 1905.

Classes.	1905.	1904.	1903.	1902.	1901.	1900.
Class—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1. Foods, Drinks, and Stimulants—						
Animal Food	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 7	0 0 10	0 1 0	0 1 0
Vegetable Food—Sugar	0 2 11	0 4 7	0 5 0	0 4 9	0 5 5	0 5 5
Other Vegetable Food	0 2 2	0 1 4	*0 3 4	0 1 11	0 1 4	0 2 3
Drinks and Stimulants—Drink	0 8 2	0 8 3	0 7 11	0 8 4	0 8 7	0 9 3
Drinks and Stimulants—Tobacco	0 6 8	0 6 9	0 6 10	0 6 11	0 7 5	0 7 10
Drinks and Stimulants—Tea	...	...	...	0 0 3	0 1 5	0 1 7
Drinks and Stimulants—Other Stimulants	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 6	0 0 4	0 1 2	0 1 2
Total Foods, Drinks, and Stimulants	1 0 11	1 1 11	1 4 2	1 3 2	1 6 4	1 8 6
2. Live Animals and Plants	...	...	...	...	...	0 0 9
3. Textile Fabrics and Dress	0 6 7	0 7 0	0 7 5	0 7 3	0 8 6	0 11 3
4. Products of Arts and Manufactures	0 6 10	0 7 3	0 6 7	0 6 10	0 8 3	0 8 6
5. Staple Animal and Vegetable Substances, including Mineral Oils	0 0 10	0 1 1	0 1 3	0 1 2	0 1 9	0 1 11
6. Staple Minerals and Metals, including Bullion and Specie	0 0 5	0 0 5	0 0 4	0 0 3	0 1 3	0 2 5
7. Miscellaneous Articles imperfectly defined	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 1 4	0 1 4
Grand Total	1 15 8	1 17 9	1 19 10	1 18 9	2 7 5	2 14 8

* Includes £11,000 duty from importations of wheat.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the State Collector of Customs; computations also made in the Office of the Government Statistician.]

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE, 1905.

STATEMENT showing the Net Customs and Excise Revenue, under the several classes of goods, credited to the State of Tasmania during the year 1905.

Class of Goods.[a]	Net Collections in Tasmania.[b]	Interstate Credits.[c]	Interstate Debits.[d]	Total Net Revenue credited to Tasmania.
Customs Revenue.	£	£	£	£
Stimulants	56,689	11,790	54	68,425
Narcotics	21,041	23,299	77	44,263
Sugar and Molasses	6533	1405	5172	2766
Agricultural Produce and Groceries	13,973	11,741	380	25,334
Apparel and Attire	33,932	20,696	3913	50,715
Metals and Machinery	16,671	5824	938	21,557
Oils, Paints, and Varnish	2118	2044	25	4137
Earthenware and Glassware	4224	2307	112	6419
Drugs and Chemicals	1318	974	22	2270
Wood, Wicker, and Cane	2962	1660	52	4570
Jewellery and Fancy Goods	3633	7636	3986	7283
Leather and Rubber	3004	2788	400	5392
Paper and Stationery	2939	1730	178	4491
Vehicles	2341	2003	109	4235
Musical Instruments	1273	757	67	1963
Miscellaneous Duties	1681	1334	229	2786
Miscellaneous Customs Revenue	2071	...	...	2071
Total Customs Revenue	176,403	97,988	15,714	258,677
Excise.				
Beer	20,867	571	3212	18,226
Spirits	2265	1593	18	3840
Starch	4	735	...	739
Sugar	18,282	6720	1204	23,798
Tobacco, Cigars, &c	1118	14,541	42	15,617
Miscellaneous Excise Revenue	275	...	...	275
Total Excise Revenue	42,811	24,160	4476	62,495
Total Customs and Excise Revenue	219,214	122,148	20,190	321,172

[a] The classification of goods in this table differs somewhat from that shown in preceding tables. [b] Excluding Drawbacks and Repayments. [c] Amounts credited to Tasmania on account of goods transferred from other Commonwealth States. [d] Amounts debited to Tasmania on account of goods transferred to other States.

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE, 1905.

STATEMENT of the Customs and Excise Revenue credited to Tasmania during each month and each successive period of months during the year 1905.

	Absolute amount received each month.	Proportion each month per cent. to Total.	Amount received to end of each successive month.	Proportion per cent. to Total.
	£		£	
January	27,481	8·55	27,481	8·55
February	24,368	7·58	51,849	16·13
March	31,256	9·73	83,105	25·86
April	21,714	6·76	104,819	32·62
May	28,472	8·86	133,291	41·48
June	23,240	7·24	156,531	48·72
July	22,406	6·97	178,937	55·69
August	29,600	9·22	208,537	64·91
September	26,828	8·35	235,365	73·26
October	25,279	7·87	260,644	81·13
November	29,777	9·27	290,421	90·40
December	30,824	9·60	321,245	100·00
	321,245	100·00	321,245	100·00

STATE OF TASMANIA.

CUSTOMS and Excise Revenue Summary, Year 1905.

	£	£	£
Customs.			
Duties collected in Tasmania	175,767		
Less drawbacks and refunds	1435		
		174,332	
Credits	97,988		
Debits	15,714		
Excess of Credits	...	82,274	
Total net Customs Duties	...	256,606	
Miscellaneous Customs Revenue	2075		
Less Repayments	4		
		2071	
Total net Customs Revenue	...	...	258,677
Excise.			
Duties collected in Tasmania on transferred goods	21,669		
Less refunds	...		
		21,669	
Duties collected in Tasmania on local Beer	21,075		
Less drawbacks and repayments	208		
		20,867	
Total net duties collected in Tasmania	...	41,416	
Credits	24,160		
Debits	4476		
Excess of Credits	...	19,684	
Miscellaneous Excise Revenue	...	275	
Total Net Excise Revenue	...	...	62,495
Total Net Customs and Excise Revenue ...	...	...	£321,172

[Compiled from information supplied by Customs Department and State Treasury.]

GOVERNMENT STORES.

RETURN showing the Nature and Value of Stores (except Railway Stores) supplied to the State Government Departments during the Year ending 30th June, 1906.

Class.	Charitable.	Hospitals.*	Insane.	Penal.	Lands, Works, and Mines.	Printing.	Police and Sundry Departments.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Provisions	3110 1 1	38 12 3	5165 11 4	2114 2 3	...	...	...	10,428 6 11
Fuel, Light, and Water	575 8 8	14 4 8	960 15 10	372 12 10	...	202 13 2	1128 14 3	3255 9 5
Stationery and Miscellaneous Stores	1306 18 4	2 19 11	2462 12 3	1003 5 4	264 15 6	2860 3 1	2076 10 9	9977 5 2
Total	4992 8 1	55 16 10	8588 19 5	3490 0 5	264 15 6	3063 16 3	3205 5 0	23,661 1 6

* C.D. Hospital at Launceston only.

HUGH HULL, *Inspector of Stores.*

TASMANIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

Dr. *GENERAL BALANCE-SHEET at 30th June, 1906.* Cr.

	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To original Debenture Capital (Launceston and Western Railway)	400,000 0 0	By Construction Expenditure	...	3,926,713 10 5
Purchase of Launceston and Western Railway Company's interest in the Launceston and Western Railway	25,000 0 0	Unexpended Balances	...	84,821 19 8
Accrued Interest, Premiums, &c. (Launceston and Western Railway Company)	12,015 4 1	Revenue Expenditure	...	2,892,886 5 1
Amount raised for Construction purposes by Debentures, Stock, &c.	3,608,701 8 3	Net Revenue	...	785,160 18 5
Re-appropriation from Consolidated Revenue	130 18 10	Discount on Loans Bill, 46 Vict. No. 45	...	2378 11 3
Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for Construction purposes	14,303 14 11	Interest paid prior to transfer of Launceston and Western Railway	...	48,000 0 0
Ditto for payment of Interest	3,062,220 13 10	Interest paid on Debentures, Inscribed Stock, and Treasury Bills, since transfer to 30th June, 1905	2,913,957 7 2	
Railway Income	3,678,047 3 6	Interest paid on Debentures and Inscribed Stock during twelve months ended 30th June, 1906	148,263 6 8	
Stores transferred from Launceston and Western Railway Company	1762 15 3			3,062,220 13 10
Total	£10,802,181 18 8	Total	...	£10,802,181 18 8

(Compiled from information supplied by the Under-Treasurer.)

MAIN ROADS—DETAIL OF EXPENDITURE.

1st JULY, 1905, to 30th JUNE, 1906.

OFFICIAL LIST of Roads, and Amounts available in the respective Districts under the provisions of "The Roads Act," 48 Vict. No. 28, and "The Main Roads Maintenance Act, 1905," 5 Ed. VII. No. 22.

District.	Road or Portion of Road to be maintained.	Approximate Length.	Rate per Mile	Amount paid by Treasury.
		mls. c. l.	£ s.	£ s. d.
Beulah	Beulah Road (from junction with Railton-Sheffield Road), near Dodds'	3 0 0	10 0	30 0 0
Boobyalla	Moorina to Lottah	4 0 0	10 0	
	Derby to Moorina	7 0 0	16 0	260 0 0
	Gladstone Road	18 0 0	6 0	
Bothwell	Apsley to Bothwell	9 0 0	12 0	108 0 0
Breadalbane	Launceston towards Perth	4 0 0	15 0	...
Bream Creek	Sorell to Dunalley and Carnarvon	14 0 0	7 0	...
Carrick	Launceston to Carrick	10 0 0	15 0	150 0 0
Cam	Burnie to Wynyard	2 0 0	17 0	74 0 0
	Cam Road West	4 0 0	10 0	
Cambridge	Cambridge to Richmond	4 60 0	10 0	47 10 0
Don	Forth to Leith	3 0 0	15 0	45 0 0
Dorset	Launceston to George Town	14 40 0	7 0	101 10 0
East Mersey	Latrobe (Railway Station) to Sassafras	6 40 0	10 0	65 0 0
Emu Bay	Burnie to Wynyard	3 40 0	30 0	180 0 0
	Burnie (Town Boundary) to Stowport	7 40 0	10 0	
Esperance	Surges Bay to Dover	4 0 0	15 0	100 0 0
	Dover to Southport	5 0 0	8 0	
Fingal	Fingal to Mathinna	16 0 0	8 0	128 0 0
Franklin	Huon Bridge to Geeveston	10 0 0	20 0	200 0 0
George Town	Launceston to George Town	13 40 0	5 0	67 10 0
Gordon	Oyster Cove to Gordon	7 40 0	10 0	75 0 0
Glamorgan	Sorell to Swansea	18 0 0	7 0	126 0 0
Gormanston	Queenstown to Gormanston	1 0 0	18 0	18 0 0
Gould's Country	Lottah to St. Helens	13 40 0	10 0	255 0 0
	Moorina to Lottah	12 0 0	10 0	
Hamilton	Gretna Green to Hamilton	13 0 0	10 0	175 0 0
	Hamilton to Ouse	9 0 0	5 0	
Harford & Templeton	East Devonport towards Northdown	4 0 0	7 0	28 0 0
Horton	Wynyard to Stanley (East End)	16 40 0	10 0	
	Wynyard to Stanley (West End)	7 40 0	20 0	427 10 0
	South Road	8 0 0	10 0	
	Wynyard-Stanley Road to Smithton	6 40 0	5 0	
Kentish Plains	Railton to Sheffield	7 0 0	20 0	168 0 0
	Sheffield to Promised Land	4 0 0	7 0	
Kingston	Kingston to Oyster Cove	5 0 0	10 0	50 0 0
Latrobe	Mersey Bridge to Sassafras	...	...	14 16 6
Leslie	Hobart to Huon Bridge	8 60 0	25 0	280 15 0
Leven	Ulverstone to Junction North Motton Road	3 0 0	12 0	
	Ulverstone to Castra	11 40 0	10 0	191 0 0
	Junction to Preston	8 0 0	5 0	
Liverpool	Huon Bridge to Geeveston	3 40 0	20 0	100 0 0
	Geeveston to Surges Bay	2 40 0	12 0	
Longford	Longford to Cressy	7 0 0	12 0	...
Longley	Hobart to Huon Bridge	4 40 0	20 0	84 0 0
Lower Derwent	Glenora Road to Gretna Green	3 40 0	15 0	...
Margate	Kingston to Oyster Cove	9 0 0	10 0	90 0 0
	Oyster Cove to Gordon	3 40 0	10 0	125 0 0
Moonah	Risdon Road	3 0 0	10 0	
Mowbray	Wynyard-Stanley Road to Smithton	3 40 0	5 0	17 10 0
Penguin	Penguin to Junction of East and West Pine Road	3 0 0	10 0	30 0 0
Port Cygnet	Huon Bridge to Port Cygnet	0 60 0	10 0	97 10 0
	Huon Bridge to Port Cygnet (South end)	4 40 0	20 0	
Portland	St. Helens to St. Marys	12 0 0	7 0	151 10 0
	Lottah to St. Helens	4 40 0	15 0	
Queenstown	Queenstown to Gormanston	3 0 0	18 0	54 0 0
Queenborough—No. 2	Hobart to Kingston	8 0 0	15 0	120 0 0
Railton	Railton to Sheffield	3 0 0	30 0	115 0 0
	Beulah Road (from Junction with Railton-Sheffield Road	2 40 0	10 0	
Richmond	Cambridge to Richmond	4 20 0	10 0	128 10 0
	Richmond to Searle's Corner's Bridge and Campania	6 0 0	7 0	
	Sorell to Swansea	5 40 0	8 0	
Ringarooma	Kay to Ringarooma	6 0 0	10 0	645 0 0
	Scottsdale to Derby	19 40 0	30 0	
Saltwood	Launceston to George Town	8 0 0	5 0	...
Scottsdale	Scottsdale to Derby	1 40 0	30 0	40 0 0
	Scottsdale towards Sideling	4 0 0	12 0	93 0 0
Sorell	Sorell to Dunalley and Carnarvon	20 0 0	7 0	180 0 0
	Sorell to Swansea	5 0 0	8 0	
Southport	Dover to Southport	9 0 0	8 0	72 0 0
Spring Bay	Sorell to Swansea	37 40 0	7 0	...
St. Marys.	St. Helens to St. Marys	11 0 0	10 0	110 0 0
Surges Bay	Geeveston to Surges Bay	3 40 0	12 0	51 0 0
	Surges Bay to Dover	4 0 0	15 0	
Table Cape	Burnie to Wynyard	6 40 0	10 0	
	Mt. Hicks Road	5 0 0	10 0	277 10 0
	Flowerdale Road	4 0 0	10 0	
	Wynyard to Stanley	12 20 0	10 0	

MAIN ROADS—*continued.*

District.	Road or Portion of Road to be maintained.	Approximate Length.	Rate per Mile.	Amount paid by Treasury.
		mls. c. l.	£ s.	£ s. d.
Tarleton	Don Bridge to Devonport	1 0 0	20 0	
	West Devonport to Barrington	10 0 0	30 0	400 0 0
	West Devonport to Barrington (South end)	4 0 0	20 0	
Tasman Peninsula	Sorell to Dunalley and Carnarvon	14 0 0	7 0	...
Tunnack	Parattah to Tunnack	9 0 0	5 0	
	Stonor Railway Station to Tunnack, *via* Rumney Huts	7 40 0	10 0	120 0 0
Victoria	Hobart to Huon Bridge	10 0 0	18 0	
	Huon Bridge to Port Cygnet	1 0 0	10 0	190 0 0
Wellington	Hobart to Huon Bridge	1 20 0	25 0	31 5 0
Westbury	Carrick to Westbury	9 0 0	5 0	45 0 0
West Tamar	Launceston to Beaconsfield (South end)	7 0 0	14 0	
	Launceston to Beaconsfield (Middle)	11 0 0	6 0	294 0 0
	Launceston to Beaconsfield (North end)	5 0 0	20 0	
	Beaconsfield to Beauty Point Jetty	2 0 0	15 0	
Woodstock	Huon Bridge to Port Cygnet	6 20 0	10 0	62 10 0
	TOTAL	678 60 0	...	7027 16 6

[Compiled by Government Statistician from particulars furnished by the Audit and Public Works Department.]

EXPENDITURE ON SPECIAL PUBLIC WORKS.

RETURN showing Expenditure of a special character, &c., since 1856, *up to* 30*th June*, 1906.

	EXPENDED.			Balance of authorised Expenditure still available.
	Year ending 30th June, 1906.	Prior to Year ending 30th June, 1906.	Aggregate to 30th June, 1906.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Under Public Works Act.				
Roads and streets	20,214 0 2	1,576,992 15 11	1,597,206 16 1	23,959 1 6
Bridges	3791 0 4	274,519 6 6	278,310 6 10	13,559 8 9
Jetties	659 18 9	127,901 19 6	128,561 18 3	1023 7 10
Buildings	17,076 8 11	712,438 16 10	729,515 5 9	13,181 6 8
Tracks	2160 0 3	169,696 6 5	171,856 6 8	1525 15 8
Miscellaneous and Harbour Works	7891 9 7	515,073 9 7	522,964 19 2	9806 1 6
Tramways	...	2832 17 10	2832 17 10	...
Defences	...	128,179 7 4	128,179 7 4	...
Telegraphs and Telephones	...	142,409 11 6	142,409 11 6	...
State Schools	1461 3 8	189,798 3 4	191,259 7 0	2691 0 0
Sorell Causeway	...	28,077 14 0	28,077 14 0	...
TOTAL	53,254 1 8	3,867,920 8 9	3,921,174 10 5	65,746 1 11
Under Crown Lands Acts.				
Roads, Bridges, &c.	31,478 7 2	379,037 16 10	410,516 4 0	...
Under Residence Areas Acts.				
Towns, Streets, &c.	23 0 0	16,002 7 6	16,025 7 6	...
Under Main Roads Acts.				
Maintenance Main Roads	7978 18 4	261,373 1 9	269,352 0 1	...
Railways.				
Main Line Railway	1697 1 8	1,208,531 7 11	1,210,228 9 7	10,670 3 6
Western Railway	401 2 3	942,812 19 10	943,214 2 1	9008 3 10
Parattah and Oatlands Railway	...	11,715 3 6	11,715 3 6	...
Derwent Valley Railway	63 3 7	216,054 18 9	216,118 2 4	...
Fingal Railway	12 0 0	195,912 0 1	195,924 0 1	588 0 0
Scottsdale Railway	78 5 2	400,184 0 11	400,262 6 1	622 7 10
Apsley Railway	...	158,541 9 2	158,541 9 2	...
Sorell Railway	...	130,718 2 1	130,718 2 1	400 0 0
Chudleigh Railway	...	67,379 8 9	67,379 8 9	...
Strahan-Zeehan Railway	...	270,517 0 6	270,517 0 6	239 18 7
General Railway purposes	3953 13 5	227,902 3 3	231,855 16 8	18,963 15 4
North-East Dundas Tramway	...	76,229 1 10	76,229 1 10	...
Comstock Tramway	...	14,387 11 5	14,387 11 5	...
TOTAL £	6205 6 1	3,920,885 8 0	3,927,090 14 1	40,492 9 1
GRAND TOTAL £	98,939 13 3	8,445,219 2 10	8,544,158 16 1	106,238 11 0
RAILWAY SURVEYS	0 5 0	72,100 5 4	72,100 10 4	...

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Treasury, Public Works, and Railway Departments.]

Section II.—Relating to Local Government.

ROAD TRUSTS.

RETURN of Receipts and Expenditure of the several Road Trusts for the Year ending 28th February, 1906.

Name of Trust.	Number of properties liable to Assessment.	Number of Miles of Road under control of Trust.*		Amount of Rates in the £ on private Property.†	Ratable Property: Annual value.	Month Rate levied, 1905.	Receipts.				Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of Year.	Balance at end of Year.
							Rates.	From Government.	From other sources.	TOTAL.			
		Macadamised or gravelled.	Otherwise.	s. d.	£		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Augusta	36	5	1	1 0	1403	November	72 1 0	...	0 17 11	72 18 11	141 6 0	125 8 8	57 1 7
Beulah	140	14	13	1 0	1902	May	95 12 0	7 0 0	15 17 9	118 9 9	111 9 7	12 10 3	19 10 5
Bothwell	340	93	77	0 9	17,299	April	641 15 2	...	...	641 15 2	635 16 5	45 1 8	51 0 5
Boobyalla	542	18	110	1 0	6248	May	247 5 10	23 0 0	3 0 0	273 5 10	363 4 6	196 0 11	106 2 3
Breadalbane	304	15	4	1 0	7927	April	422 1 6	...	...	422 1 6	387 14 8	5 0 6	39 7 4
Bream Creek	203	30	8	1 0	3718	December	178 9 0	...	...	178 9 0	161 15 9	76 14 0	93 7 3
Bridgewater, North	110	13	19	1 0	2185	August	105 19 0	...	...	105 19 0	137 17 4	91 8 2	59 9 10
Bridgewater, South	97	11	4	0 6	2491	June	68 16 6	...	1 7 6	70 4 0	70 18 3	62 15 1	62 0 10
Broadmarsh	251	40	19	0 6	7650	May	192 2 9	...	...	192 2 9	167 18 8	77 16 1	102 0 2
Cam	234	9	23	1 3	3068	April	186 16 3	36 14 9	3 10 0	227 1 0	273 14 10	—8 2 6	—54 16 4
Cambridge	81	18	7	1 0	3672	May	182 7 0	45 13 6	...	228 0 6	132 9 8	—46 17 5	48 13 5
Carrick	197	13	6	0 9	5290	April	220 12 3	...	...	220 12 3	202 15 4	8 18 10	26 15 9
Chudleigh	281	39	39	1 0	6767	April	322 17 0	...	0 3 0	323 0 0	312 0 3	54 16 3	65 16 0
Clarence	89	22	25	0 6	3127	June	75 13 6	...	5 0 0	80 13 6	55 8 10	19 5 1	44 9 9
Colebrook	166	28	39	1 0	3495	July	157 6 10	...	0 2 0	157 8 10	169 2 5	20 1 0	8 7 5
Deloraine	636	75	35	0 9	17,514	May	671 4 3	...	11 16 2	683 0 5	617 4 10	109 16 0	175 11 7
Don	229	18	11	1 0	4603	May	229 4 0	...	...	229 4 0	145 19 7	37 8 4	120 12 9
Dorset	157	19	1	1 0	5606	October	263 6 9	...	...	263 6 9	289 7 1	49 18 8	23 18 4
East Mersey	157	25	69	1 3	4913	May	273 13 9	102 3 1	6 0 0	381 16 10	424 19 11	156 0 1	112 17 0
Emu Bay	579	32	46	1 3	13,388	May	825 15 0	251 19 0	9 1 0	1086 15 0	887 7 7	—63 19 4	135 8 1
Esperance	198	6	10	1 0	2042	June	88 15 0	...	...	88 15 0	114 15 2	75 17 9	49 17 7
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25 13 5	25 13 5	6 17 0	3 10 4	22 6 9
Evandale	401	55	138	0 5	22,568	April	472 10 5	...	0 16 9	473 7 2	375 9 2	107 17 6	205 15 6
Exton	152	26	5	0 6	7704	May	205 13 0	...	...	205 13 0	108 5 7	27 15 4	125 2 9
Fingal	692	25	26	0 9	13,253	May	375 13 4	...	10 10 0	386 3 4	445 7 6	52 17 9	—6 6 5
Flinders	123	...	3	1 3	432	February	24 15 6	50 0 0	...	74 15 6	64 12 4	3 5 5	13 8 7
Frankford	169	30	22	1 0	1939	April	87 10 3	29 19 9	29 19 9	147 9 9	146 3 11	1 9 0	2 14 10
Franklin	395	33	22	1 0	5951	September	256 17 6	...	3 10 0	260 7 6	301 4 10	231 11 8	190 14 4
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 15 0	10 15 0	26 17 8	54 19 9	38 17 1
George Town	413	14	11	1 0	3983	May	158 17 7	...	...	158 17 7	106 10 0	22 2 11	74 10 6
Glamorgan	343	66	17	1 0	6812	April	346 0 10	...	0 4 9	346 5 7	226 3 9	39 17 1	159 18 11
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8 0	19 8 0	12 10 5	—13 9 10	—6 12 3
Glen Fern	84	6	21	1 0	1656	July	84 11 6	...	...	84 11 6	101 10 2	114 18 8	98 0 0
Gordon	266	6	34	1 3	2553	April	149 16 9	...	23 1 10	172 18 7	187 15 5	22 0 7	7 3 9
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12 0	15 12 0	21 12 0	22 2 4	16 2 4
Gould's Country	548	14	58	1 0	5242	May	212 8 0	...	1 18 6	214 6 6	196 17 5	84 9 7	101 18 8
Great Lake	120	60	50	0 9	7351	November	236 1 8	...	39 19 10	276 1 6	223 10 5	103 1 9	155 12 10
Green Ponds	310	42	38	0 3	9729	May	121 5 3	...	0 5 0	121 10 3	152 3 10	104 12 10	73 19 3
Hamilton	571	190	108	0 9	19,520	April	719 16 6	...	...	719 16 6	700 4 9	237 7 4	256 19 1
Harford and Templeton	376	60	17	1 0	8138	April	439 19 0	15 0 0	0 14 0	455 13 0	410 9 3	181 1 8	226 5 5
Horton	681	25	41	1 0	7372	April	389 2 6	...	215 19 8	605 2 2	497 3 4	135 4 1	243 2 11
Kensington	255	14	10	1 0	6100	May	309 15 6	...	7 0 0	316 15 6	314 9 7	—6 14 3	—4 8 4
Kentish Plains	410	44	80	1 0	8500	May	414 2 0	50 10 0	32 10 0	497 2 0	380 5 7	202 1 4	318 17 9
King Island	678	2	115	1 0	6155	June	311 3 9	...	26 7 4	337 11 1	195 6 7	173 7 6	314 12 0
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20 7 0	20 7 0	30 17 3	27 9 0	16 19 0

Kingston	214	13	12	1	0	3052	July	153	2	6	45	0	0	0	10	0	198	12	6	208	1	5	— 29	4	7	— 38	13	6
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	..			...			47	3	0	47	3	0	27	8	7	59	18	3	79	12	8
Lake River	17	16	1	0	3	7004	August	85	10	0	...			...			85	10	0	47	11	7	61	10	6	99	8	11
Latrobe §	...	...	...	...		...	..	...			...			...			...			...			...			...		
Leslie	95	8	2	1	0	1177	August	60	9	0	...			...			60	9	0	73	15	9	34	11	7	21	4	10
Leven	999	100	87	1	0	19,337	April	965	12	6	247	10	1	11	5	3	1224	7	10	1414	13	1	225	19	9	35	14	6
Lisle	180	48	43	1	0	1465	April	51	10	6	...			6	6	0	51	16	6	56	5	10	30	15	1	26	5	9
Liverpool	293	16	9	1	0	3082	June	176	16	0	...			1	2	0	177	18	0	91	3	8	41	1	1	127	15	5
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			7	0	0	7	0	0	12	18	10	11	7	6	5	8	8
Longford	807	136	..	0	10	35,798	February	1494	2	11	...			27	9	0	1521	11	11	1173	17	6	—278	3	0	69	11	5
Longley	131	13	22	1	0	1349	May	55	4	3	...			...			55	4	3	49	13	7	17	2	4	22	13	0
Lower Derwent	217	26	32	0	9	6057	May	246	19	9	...			0	8	0	247	7	9	214	4	8	19	7	5	52	10	6
Lower Sorell	118	34	10	1	0	3400	July	114	5	6	5	4	10	...			119	10	4	133	4	0	— 17	1	6	— 30	15	2
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			2	0	0	2	0	0	3	6	8	4	13	3	3	6	7
Margate	292	21	47	1	0	2580	April	108	5	0	...			...			108	5	0	134	3	10	17	12	5	— 8	6	5
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			19	0	0	19	0	0	10	9	10	23	9	5	31	19	7
Marrawah	217	8	92	1	0	3300	April	140	8	0	25	0	0	...			165	8	0	178	15	0	111	19	5	98	12	5
Midhurst	316	47	23	0	9	9413	May	338	11	0	130	0	0	10	4	0	478	15	0	460	19	11	— 83	13	7	— 65	18	6
Montagu	442	39	84	1	0	8645	May	244	11	6	...			4	8	9	249	0	3	292	3	6	139	18	11	96	15	8
Mowbray	553	14	50	1	3	4569	May	286	0	8	...			5	3	6	291	4	2	233	19	2	12	16	4	70	1	4
Mount Farrell	116	1	10	1	0	1341	July	26	16	0	...			...			26	16	0	4	11	6	...			23	4	6
New Norfolk	267	45	15	1	0	3738	May	177	18	6	...			...			177	18	6	211	4	5	96	4	9	62	18	10
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			...			...			8	5	0	2	10	6	— 5	14	6
North Bruni	49	4	16	0	6	748	August	20	2	9	...			...			20	2	9	19	7	6	3	17	8	4	12	11
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			3	17	6	3	17	6	2	10	0	9	3	3	10	10	9
North Esk	30	8	9	1	0	3511	July	163	9	6	...			...			163	9	6	182	4	8	228	5	3	209	13	1
Northern Macquarie	467	102	85	0	9	22,758	May	847	4	3	...			5	15	0	852	19	3	652	3	7	58	3	2	258	18	10
Oatlands	360	65	15	0	6	11,823	June	302	16	11	...			13	13	0	316	9	11	335	7	9	109	6	8	90	8	10
Old Beach	92	22	12	1	0	2906	April	141	10	0	...			0	5	0	141	15	0	180	2	11	158	10	9	120	2	10
Patersonia	298	33	69	1	0	4348	May	209	7	0	47	14	1	19	9	0	276	10	1	271	5	6	93	5	6	98	10	1
Penguin	589	57	78	1	0	13,036	April	634	19	6	...			0	2	3	635	1	9	438	4	8	— 64	16	1	132	1	0
Perth	252	71	...	0	4	6626	May	105	7	8	...			...			105	7	8	113	17	11	29	17	11	21	7	8
Port Cygnet	410	49	90	1	0	5390	May	261	19	0	...			...			261	19	0	346	10	8	150	15	1	66	3	5
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			12	6	0	12	6	0	12	6	4	13	6	8	13	6	4
Portland	262	13	12	1	0	2716	April	108	7	9	...			1	3	0	109	10	9	119	13	6	0	14	2	— 9	8	7
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			2	0	3	2	0	3	2	5	6	20	12	3	20	7	0
Queenborough	125	3	...	1	0	4600	August	241	12	6	...			...			241	12	6	303	7	11	169	17	7	108	2	2
Railton	350	42	31	1	0	3492	April	170	15	0	10	7	9	10	10	0	191	12	9	180	9	1	— 0	9	0	10	14	8
Richmond	304	88	21	0	9	8098	May	293	9	1	...			...			293	9	1	284	6	6	74	11	2	83	13	9
Ridgeway	53	7	3	1	0	660	October	41	16	0	...			...			41	16	0	28	12	1	23	14	3	37	18	2
Ringarooma	654	21	69	1	0	10,991	May	538	6	0	...			66	10	10	604	16	10	788	14	9	266	8	5	82	10	6
Saltwood	263	15	90	1	0	3261	June	154	18	11	...			...			154	18	11	146	11	3	44	7	8	52	15	4
Scottsdale	496	44	97	1	0	8414	May	361	0	3	...			...			361	0	3	361	5	3	139	7	5	139	2	5
Sorell Creek	170	31	6	1	0	2468	July	106	16	0	29	3	0	...			135	19	0	166	8	4	108	12	11	78	3	7
South Arm	27	14	10	0	6	700	October	17	10	0	...			...			17	10	0	8	10	0	27	16	1	36	16	1
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			3	10	0	3	10	0	18	10	9	27	6	0	12	6	0
South Bruni	87	6	13	1	0	868	May	25	4	6	...			...			25	4	6	29	6	0	10	3	5	6	1	11
South Macquarie	185	22	84	0	6	13,548	April	338	9	4	...			1	0	0	339	9	4	289	0	4	76	12	8	127	1	8
Southport	129	14	18	1	0	1250	May	57	10	0	154	0	0	...			211	10	0	225	13	8	7	15	11	— 6	7	9
Spring Bay	317	80	170	0	6	6923	October	75	12	9	...			23	6	0	98	18	9	138	4	3	34	2	5	— 5	3	1
St. Leonards	71	9	7	1	3	3143	March	191	13	2	...			...			191	13	2	182	4	9	— 21	12	1	— 12	3	8
St. Marys	440	60	17	1	0	9378	May	432	19	0	...			...			432	19	0	498	1	11	12	1	7	53	1	4
St. Pauls	97	58	...	0	6	6162	April	141	18	10	...			...			141	18	10	92	16	3	— 3	19	6	45	3	1
Surges Bay	112	9	18	1	0	955	July	46	15	0	...			...			46	15	0	47	18	10	27	10	1	26	6	3
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...			...			5	0	0	5	0	0	0	17	0	10	12	2	14	15	2
Table Cape	1108	62	75	1	3	17,065	May	1094	7	8	...			26	19	9	1121	7	5	961	12	8	— 37	15	3	121	19	6
Tankerville	265	23	26	1	0	3820	May	176	17	9	...			...			176	17	9	131	10	2	12	13	8	58	1	3
Tarleton	479	45	6	1	0	8021	April	388	12	0	...			45	6	0	433	18	0	468	3	9	52	14	7	19	8	10

ROAD TRUSTS—*RETURN of Receipts and Expenditure.*—continued.

Name of Trust.	Number of properties liable to Assessment	Number of Miles of Road under control of Trust.*		Amount of Rates in the £ on private Property.†	Ratable Property: Annual value.	Month Rate levied, 1905.	Receipts.				Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of Year.	Balance at end of Year.
							Rates.	From Government.	From other sources.	Total.			
		Macadamised or gravelled.	Otherwise.	s. d.	£		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Tasman's Peninsula	367	49	35	1 0	2885	May	129 17 8	...	...	129 17 8	177 1 2	81 16 0	34 12 6
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 5 0	5 5 0	3 2 0	13 7 10	15 10 10
Tea Tree	23	11	2	0 6	1918	July	59 11 0	...	...	59 11 0	58 17 0	13 11 0	14 5 0
Tunbridge	113	33	19	0 5	6554	July	150 15 10	...	...	150 15 10	122 5 7	27 2 3	55 12 6
Tunnack	442	130	20	1 0	11,701	September	575 15 3	...	0 1 0	575 16 3	476 2 11	536 12 0	636 5 4
Turner's Marsh	228	26	22	1 0	1966	May	99 16 0	10 0 0	...	109 16 0	88 7 3	60 12 8	82 1 5
Upper Derwent	274	21	49	0 9	3658	May	135 13 1	...	0 11 0	136 4 1	224 4 5	71 3 1	—16 17 3
Upper Huon	151	14	10	1 3	2255	April	112 4 6	20 16 7	...	133 1 1	49 2 5	25 4 3	109 2 11
Upper Sorell	277	35	10	0 6	7584	December	369 8 6	...	...	369 8 6	269 15 3	131 18 4	231 11 7
Uxbridge	120	30	5	1 0	2791	April	136 16 6	...	...	136 16 6	154 0 7	49 0 5	31 16 4
Victoria	534	26	39	1 0	5260	July	280 13 0	...	...	280 13 0	274 0 1	171 12 7	178 5 6
Waratah	594	6	57	1 0	10,672	May	408 4 5	...	...	408 4 5	495 2 5	274 4 3	187 6 3
Welsh	189	34	38	1 0	1531	April	75 4 0	...	0 17 0	76 1 0	71 9 3	6 17 10	11 9 7
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5 12 6	5 12 6	2 17 0	16 15 10	19 11 4
Westbury	680	100	80	1 0	22,584	April	1103 5 0	...	8 3 2	1111 8 2	1240 7 10	— 28 17 5	— 157 17 1
West Tamar	652	72	37	1 0	9371	May	488 19 6	63 16 0	1 14 6	554 10 0	419 10 0	92 18 10	227 18 10
Westwood	97	36	4	0 6	4900	May	128 6 6	...	1 10 0	129 16 6	135 6 4	15 15 8	10 5 10
Wilmot	282	15	46	1 0	3386	May	160 4 0	...	0 6 6	160 10 6	158 7 3	37 1 1	39 4 4
Woodstock	60	12	16	1 0	1105	June	50 16 6	...	...	50 16 6	40 11 10	83 14 7	93 19 3
TOTAL	30,912	3567	3557	...	672,577	...	27,721 18 1	1400 12 5	942 2 2	30,064 12 8	28,566 7 7	7096 18 9	8595 3 10
		7124											

* The exact particulars as to mileage in some cases cannot be ascertained, as the responsible officers in many instances do not exercise sufficient care in supplying information under this head. † By Act 48 Vict. No. 28, Section 64, the amount of Rates in the £ on Crown land is fixed at one-half of that on private property. Blanks indicate that no transactions took place this year. § Taken over by Latrobe Town Board.
The sign *minus* (—) shows that the Balances were against the Trusts.)

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the respective Trusts, and from the audited accounts as published in the *Gazette*.]

ROAD TRUSTS.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	No. of Trusts.	No. of Miles of Roads under control of Trusts.	Receipts.				Expenditure.
			From Rates.	From Government.	From other sources.	Total.	
			£	£	£	£	£
1896	98	5687	16,639	3270	193	20,102	19,414
1897	100	5562	16,317	3176	207	19,700	19,001
1898	100	5760	16,749	5045	362	22,156	22,129
1899	101	5840	17,208	4524	247	21,979	23,025
1900	102	6368	19,609	5097	708	25,414	24,663
1901	102	6539	21,096	7323	468	28,887	26,263
1902	102	6762	21,882	7150	912	29,944	27,579
1903	105	6855	24,577	235	547	25,359	30,368
1904	104	7045	28,017	756	865	29,638	29,459
1905	104	7124	27,721	1400	942	30,063	28,566

[Compiled by Government Statistician from official records.]

MUNICIPALITIES.

RETURN showing the Area, Revenue and Expenditure, the Ratable Property, and the Rates levied, in the several Municipalities in the State, in the Year 1905.

NAME OF MUNICIPALITY.	When proclaimed.	Area.	Amount of Rates in the £ on Private Property.*	Month Rate levied.	No. of Properties rated.		Annual Value of Ratable Property.	Receipts.				Expenditure.	Balance from last Year.	Balance to next Year.
					Dwelling Houses.	Other Properties.		Rates.	From Government.	From other sources.[a]	TOTAL.			
		Acres.		1905.			£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bothwell	22 Dec. 1862	316,800	3¼d., ¾d.	Feb.	191	169	18,666	249 17 1	—	243 0 11	492 18 0	366 7 8	36 17 5	163 7 9
Brighton	5 Oct. 1863	108,160	—	—	359	116	14,067	7 3 4	—	131 8 9	138 12 1	154 7 8	85 15 10	70 0 3
Campbell Town	6 Aug. 1866	398,080	1½d., 2d.[m]	Feb.	192	290	22,813	141 6 8	—	188 2 5	329 9 1	351 14 1	95 6 2	73 1 2
Clarence	9 Oct. 1860	52,360	1d.	Mar.	165	38	7489	31 15 0	—	53 9 0	85 4 0	100 2 0	29 6 4	14 8 4
Deloraine	3 Nov. 1863	402,560	1d.	July	1127	494	39,186	161 15 10	—	473 7 10	635 3 8	1076 11 6	489 17 0	48 9 2
Evandale	9 Oct. 1865	243,520	1d., 2s.[c]	Jan.	307	93	28,035	116 13 9	—	222 8 2	339 1 11	332 18 3	—17 12 6	—11 8 10
Fingal	5 Jan. 1863	718,080	6d.[c]	Nov.	843	447	32,008	—	—	463 0 8	463 0 8	419 1 3	280 17 11	324 17 4
Glamorgan	23 Jan. 1860	411,680	2d., 2s.[c]	April	160	136	6839	52 4 2	—	228 5 2	280 9 4	211 2 7	67 0 0	136 6 9
Glenorchy	4 Oct. 1864	24,960	2s., 1s.[c]	—	613	105	15,635	0 0 3	—	114 9 9	114 10 0	114 11 1	0 8 9	0 7 8
Green Ponds	7 Mar. 1862	91,200	2d.	Mar.	225	102	9754	81 4 11	—	101 17 0	183 1 11	153 15 11	35 8 7	64 14 7
Hamilton	24 Aug. 1863	2,063,520	2d.	April	315	422	20,922	167 8 2	—	224 14 3	392 2 5	342 18 1	— 8 17 3	40 7 1
Hobart	30 Oct. 1852	1273	1s. 4d.[d]	Feb.	5567	254	197,000	38,118 14 8	—	10,192 8 8	48,311 3 4	50,413 0 1	9202 7 9	7100 11 0
Launceston	1 Nov. 1858	3343	1s., 8d., 8d.[c] 2d.[e], 4d.[j]	Feb.	4212	365	142,642	20,031 5 5	—	75,208 12 6	95,239 17 11	96,451 5 6	2253 16 9	1042 9 2
Longford	27 Jan. 1862	228,800	1s[c]. 1d., 1d.[h]	Feb.	462	589	45,534	189 0 1	—	364 12 5	553 12 6	475 15 5	887 0 6	964 17 7
New Norfolk	13 Feb. 1863	246,560	1s.[b f]	Jan.	690	383	20,606	9 13 6	—	271 14 8	281 8 2	291 10 4	105 17 5	95 15 3
Oatlands	29 Nov. 1861	433,920	1½d.	Mar.	540	415	32,774	205 12 1	—	345 8 7	551 0 8	557 7 6	142 0 5	135 13 7
Richmond	10 June, 1861	151,840	2d.	Mar.	392	78	11,729	96 8 9	—	125 6 4	221 15 1	184 10 4	42 13 3	79 18 0
Ross	26 Dec. 1862	173,120	3d.	April	97	96	12,683	105 13 8	—	97 4 0	202 17 8	212 11 7	82 5 10	72 11 11
Sorell	26 May, 1862	181,280	1d.	May	364	287	14,233	56 7 8	—	143 0 4	199 8 0	242 0 11	82 4 1	39 11 2
Spring Bay	10 Sept. 1860	244,160	4d	Jan.	132	185	6923	111 9 9	—	97 19 0	209 8 9	172 19 6	15 8 4	51 17 7
Westbury	2 Nov. 1863	298,560	1d.	Jan.	954	323	39,467	163 14 8		254 16 0	418 10 8	518 7 7	157 7 5	57 10 6
TOTAL	—	6,893,778	—	—	17,907	5387	739,005	60,097 9 5	—	89,555 6 5	149,642 15 10	153,142 18 10	14,065 10 0	10,565 7 0

Outstanding Loans—Hobart, £233,500[k]; Launceston, £342,651 14*s.* 1*d.*[l]; Ross, £1300[m]; Bothwell, £1000[n]; Richmond, £237[p]; Glamorgan, £1000. Fingal, £1200.

[a] Including the following amounts derived from Loans:—Launceston, £50,885. [b] Street Rate. [c] Water Rate. [d] Also Water Rate—£10 and under, 15*s.* each house; over £10 and not exceeding £40, 1*s.* 5*d.* in the £; over £40, 1*s.* 5*d.* in the £ on £40, and 1*s.* 2*d.* in the £ on the remainder. Sanitary Rate—Properties valued at £24 and under, 12*s.*; over £24, 6*d.* in the £. [e] Sanitary Rate. [f] Water Rate, 3*s.* 0*d.*, 6*s.* 3*d.*, 9*s.* 4*d.*; 12*s.* 6*d.* per quarter on Town Properties. [g] Town Hall Rate. [h] Rabbit Rate. [j] Electric Light. [k] Sinking Fund, Cr. £12,434 19*s.* 3*d.* [l] Sinking and Reserves, Cr £52,865 10*s.* 10*d.* [m] Government Local Bodies Loan, Sinking Fund, Cr. £169 12*s.* 1*d.* [n] Sinking Fund, Cr. £36 16*s.* 8*d.* [o] Special Rate. [p] Sinking Fund, £9 6*s.* 1*d.*

* By Act 48 Vict. No. 28, Sect. 64, the amount of rates in the £ on Crown Land is fixed at one-half that on Private Property.

The sign *minus* (—) shows that the balances were against the Municipalities.

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Wardens of the respective Municipalities, and from the audited accounts as published in the *Gazette*.]

MUNICIPALITIES.—SPECIAL FUNDS.

TOWN HALL LOANS ACCOUNT, &c.

RETURN showing the Revenue and Expenditure in connection with the Special Funds relating to Town Hall Loan Accounts, &c., of the undermentioned Municipalities, for the Year 1905.

Name of Municipality.	Receipts.			Expenditure.	Balance from last year.	Balance to next year.
	From Special Rates*	From other sources.	Total.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Deloraine—						
Recreation Ground Account	...	58 15 9	58 15 9	32 19 2	—124 19 4	—99 2 9
Glenorchy Health Account	...	8 0 0	8 0 0	0 10 0	...	7 10 0
Ross, Special Rate and Town Hall Account	52 14 5	...	52 14 5	50 0 0	18 4 0	20 18 5
„ Special Rate Account, Police Buildings	...	...	...	...	9 16 10	9 16 10
New Norfolk, Sanitary Account	39 13 0	...	39 13 0	12 9 0	4 13 0	31 17 0
Street Rate	196 19 0	0 8 0	196 7 0	241 8 6	37 19 3	—6 2 3
Bothwell, Special Rate Account	57 13 1	...	57 13 1	50 10 6	30 14 5	37 17 6
Fingal Board of Health Account	...	11 0 0	11 0 0	...	...	11 0 0
Total	346 19 6	28 3 9	425 3 3	387 16 8	—23 11 10	13 14 9

Note.—The sign *minus* (—) indicates that the balance was against the Municipality.

* Supplementary to Rates stated in preceding Return.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from audited accounts published in *Gazette*.]

FRUIT AND RABBIT RATES, &c.

RETURN showing the Revenue and Expenditure in connection with Rabbit and Fruit Rates of the undermentioned Municipalities, for the Year 1905.

Name of Municipality.	Receipts.			Expenditure.	Balance from last year.	Balance to next year.
	From Rates.	From other sources.	Total.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Campbell Town Rabbit Rate	160 8 0	...	160 8 0	161 3 9	12 9 8	11 13 11
Fingal Fruit District	...	...	...	1 11 11	9 11 6	7 19 7
Ross Rabbit Rate	35 12 3	...	35 12 3	40 0 0	8 2 10	3 15 1
Evandale Rabbit Rate	...	24 7 9	24 7 9	75 10 0	51 2 3	...
Longford Rabbit Rate	2 19 4	7 4 8	10 4 0	134 9 10	148 4 0	23 18 2
New Norfolk Rabbit Rate	...	1 15 5	1 15 5	...	58 19 9	60 15 2
Oatlands Rabbit Rate	...	...	...	0 10 0	23 4 7	22 14 7
Westbury Fruit District	...	...	...	...	2 6 11	2 6 11
„ Poor Account	...	...	...	1 17 6	16 4 6	14 7 0
Total	198 19 7	33 7 10	232 7 5	415 3 0	330 6 0	147 10 5

MUNICIPALITIES.*—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	No. of Municipalities.	Annual Value of Ratable Property.	Receipts.*				Expenditure.*[b]
			From Rates.	From Government.	From other sources.[a]	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£
1896	21	683,044	67,033	1000	49,262	117,295	112,763
1897		673,449	68,230	214	30,141	98,586	105,758
1898		598,868	65,248	231	40,908	106,387	108,512
1899		676,673	51,453	509	33,308	85,270	85,049
1900		680,200	61,609	7905[c]	32,947	102,461	104,208
1901		683,039	55,953	3798[d]	47,880	107,631	109,811
1902		688,745	57,526	4498	51,870	113,895	107,932
1903		702,067	56,367	500	50,890	107,849	110,162
1904		718,635	61,107	...	85,045	146,152	141,202
1905		739,005	60,644	...	89,657	150,291	153,937

* Embracing accounts in connection with special Funds, &c., in cases where they have not been included in general detailed accounts given on preceding page.

[a] Including sums derived from Loans and other amounts which cannot be specifically ascertained.

[b] Including repayment of Loans.

[c] Includes £5539 for purchase of Police Buildings.

[d] Includes £1000 do. do. do.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from official returns and audited accounts published in *Gazette*.]

MARINE BOARDS.

RETURN of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Marine Boards in Tasmania for the Year 1905.

Name of Board.	Receipts.												Expenditure.[a]			Balance from last Year			Balance to next Year.		
	Wharfage.			Pilotage.			Harbour Dues.			Other Receipts.			Total.											
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Hobart	10,891	11	0	1546	1	6	1482	3	10	1195	3	1	15,114	19	5	9388	13	6	6458	1	1	12,184	7	0
Launceston	8413	13	0	249	17	3	2328	6	6	10,584	18	10[c]	21,576	15	7	22,661	3	1	— 1695	13	1	— 2780	0	7
Mersey	2255	9	4	39	14	0	1724	3	8	528	7	7	4547	14	7	3795	13	11	297	0	6	1049	1	2
Victoria Ferry Accounts		...			...			...		15	0	0	15	0	0	13	11	8	83	8	4	84	16	8
Loan Account		...			...			...		3000	0	0[b]	3000	0	0	2589	5	1		...		410	14	11
Circular Head	323	11	4	22	6	0	419	19	4	198	18	6[d]	964	15	2	837	14	10	3914	2	1	4041	2	5
Table Cape	1842	16	2		...		857	2	0	67	9	0	2767	7	2	2540	18	6	2391	11	8	2618	0	4
Leven General Accounts	27	11	9		...		21	9	1		...		49	0	10	19	2	4	— 81	7	4	— 51	8	10
Leven Harbour Trust	251	18	7		...		71	19	5	7	13	4	331	11	4	341	3	9	677	4	9	667	12	4
Loan Account		...			...			...		2800	0	0	2800	0	0	2857	9	5	— 749	7	0	806	16	5
Strahan Removal Accounts		...			...			...		849	9	0	849	9	0	660	17	6	48	13	3	237	4	9
Dredging Accounts		...			...			...		5	12	6	5	12	6	2039	16	4	164	3	3	— 1870	0	7
General Accounts	4415	4	1	47	17	8	579	3	0	18	12	0	5060	16	9	3331	1	0	1174	5	6	2904	1	3
Total	28,421	15	3	1905	16	5	7484	6	10	19,271	3	10	57,083	2	4	51,076	10	11	12,682	3	0	18,688	14	5

[a] Includes Wardens' Salaries. [b] Government Loan, £3000. [c] Local Debentures, £7300. [d] Government, £44 4s 6d., for Breakwater. [e] Government Loan, £2800.

Note.—The sign *minus* (—) indicates that the balance was against the Board.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Accounts checked by Auditor-General.]

LIGHTHOUSES.

RETURN relative to Lighthouses for the Year 1905.

Particulars.	Nature of Light exhibited.	No. of Officers.	Receipts.					Expenditure.	Balance from last Year.	Balance to next Year.
			Amount received from Light Dues.	Proportion of Expenses contributed by other Governments.	Advances by Treasury on account of Buildings.	Other Receipts.	Total.			
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Derwent Lighthouse	Fixed	3						480 17 11		
South Bruni ditto	Revolving	3						547 8 7		
Low Head ditto	Ditto	3						534 13 4		
Tamar Heads ditto	Fixed (Leading)	3						531 6 10		
Swan Island ditto	Revolving	3						639 6 4		
Goose Island ditto	Fixed	3						585 8 10		
Kent's Group ditto	Revolving	4						803 12 8		
Cape Wickham ditto	Fixed	3						605 11 0		
Currie Harbour ditto	Revolving	3						574 1 9		
Table Cape ditto	Fixed	3						542 16 7		
Eddystone Point Light	Revolving	3	6677 9 6	2627 6 0	16,500 0 0	128 6 7	25,933 2 1	639 9 6	5846 7 0	5645 15 4
Mersey Bluff & Leading Lights	Fixed	3						556 11 6		
Maatsuyker Island Light	Revolving	3						785 0 2		
Macquarie Leading Lights	Fixed	4						604 8 10		
Cape Sorell Light	Revolving	3						554 11 3		
One Tree Point Light	Ditto	1						62 4 11		
Wynyard Leading Lights	Fixed	1						63 18 6		
Emu Bay Light	Ditto	1						261 13 2		
Tasman Island Light (construction)	...	...						16,594 11 1		
Oil Butts Lights	...	...						1 19 6		
Other expenses	...	...						164 1 6		
Total	18	50	6677 9 6	2627 6 0	16,500 0 0	128 6 7	25,933 2 1	26,133 13 9	5846 7 0	5645 15 4

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns checked by Auditor-General.

MARINE BOARDS.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

	No. of Marine Boards.	Receipts.						Expenditure.
		Wharfage.	Pilotage.	Harbour Dues.	Government.*	Other Receipts.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1896	7	11,180	1350	2909	1346	2716	19,501	20,167
1897	7	12,570	1528	3795	2000	3112	23,005	22,737
1898	7	16,759	1587	4211	12,361	4613	39,531	33,114
1899	7	16,860	1695	4803	1818	5303	30,578	30,928
1900	7	19,468	1450	4868	34,700	4782	65,268	63,927
1901	7	18,208	1707	5228	61,800	9600	96,543	95,579
1902	7	19,908	2375	6150	44,534	5294	78,261	76,598
1903	7	24,363	2126	6462	4539	3876†	41,366	40,545
1904	7	27,724	2174	6316	1500	4380	42,094	46,475
1905	7	28,422	1906	7484	5844	13,427‡	57,083	51,077

* Including Loans. † Less cross entries. ‡ Including Debentures issued.

LIGHTHOUSES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

	No. of Light-houses.	Receipts.					Expenditure.
		Receipts from Light Dues & other sources.	Contributions of other Governments.	Advances by Treasury.	Other Receipts.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£
1896	14	4625	4009	...	1009	9643	7615
1897	15	5215	4215	...	56	9486	7429
1898	15	5444	1284	2000	113	8841	10,605
1899	15	6294	3597	8550	148	18,589	16,772
1900	16	6195	1239	585	150	8169	8410
1901	17	6595	2570	...	206	9371	9378
1902	17	7396	2808	...	164	10,368	10,461
1903	17	7315	3928	...	204	11,447	11,270
1904	17	7634	1482	1300	303	10,719	11,129
1905	18	6677	2627	16,500	129	25,933	26,134

WATER TRUSTS.

RETURN showing Receipts and Expenditure of Water Trusts in Tasmania for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

	Receipts.				Expenditure.	Balance from last Account.	Balance to next Account.
	Rates.	From Government.	Other Sources.	Total.			
Burnie—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Construction Account	...	...	899 8 8	899 8 8	1327 12 7	299 12 4	— 128 11 7
Revenue Account	668 16 0	...	1283 6 5	1952 2 5	1518 6 2	...	433 16 3
Campbell Town—							
General Account	60 10 2	...	...	60 10 2	70 4 3	97 18 6	88 4 5
Special Rate Account	483 19 0	...	...	483 19 0	564 8 2	320 10 9	240 1 7
Carrick	41 18 8	...	...	41 18 8	43 0 0	5 2 6	4 1 2
Clyde	152 3 9	...	...	152 3 9	20 11 7	2 11 3	134 3 5
Cressy	89 17 0	...	17 13 9	107 10 9	124 2 8	69 17 8	53 5 9
Deloraine	...	...	10 1 3	10 1 3	609 0 5	201 18 8	— 397 0 6
Devonport—							
Water Account	...	...	...	...	0 5 0	590 1 7	589 16 7
General Account	1516 0 1	...	512 1 0	2028 1 1	2352 6 10	910 13 10	586 8 1
Evandale—							
General Account	175 3 0	...	28 19 3	204 2 3	166 11 6	— 14 6 9	23 4 0
Fingal—							
General Account	...	1200 0 0	158 7 7	1358 7 7	1376 6 10	...	— 17 19 3
Maintenance Account	26 8 6	...	..	26 8 6	49 2 8	...	— 22 14 2
Glenorchy	1024 1 2	550 0 0	62 13 4	1636 14 6	1603 12 6	— 1 6 1	31 15 11
Gormanston	418 17 0	...	28 11 4	447 8 4	468 1 10	64 12 0	43 18 6
Latrobe	718 12 6	...	23 8 0	742 0 6	656 12 6	205 14 6	291 2 6
Longford	262 2 6	...	89 13 5	351 15 11	321 17 0	35 5 3	65 4 2
Macquarie	22 15 7	...	3 3 0	25 18 7	15 4 6	99 10 5	110 4 6
Midland	...	...	...	...	0 10 0	3 6 1	2 16 1
New Norfolk	167 19 7	...	112 6 3	280 5 10	536 13 8	95 12 3	— 160 15 7
Perth— Mt. Cameron							
Construction Account	...	...	243 18 9	243 18 9	404 14 8	132 2 2	— 28 13 9
Revenue Account	103 18 10	...	14 10 6	118 9 4	117 8 10	...	1 0 6
Queenstown	257 4 1	...	77 0 3	334 4 4	266 19 11	—23 14 2	43 10 3
Swansea—							
Loan Account	...	1000 0 0	41 6 6	1041 6 6	1001 17 11	...	39 8 7
Rate Account	22 10 0	...	6 0 0	28 10 0	12 8 9	...	16 1 3
Westbury-Hagley—							
Loan Account	...	...	35 17 7	35 17 7	24 15 1	7 3 0	18 5 6
Rate Account	236 10 6	...	....	236 10 6	242 8 9	7 3 0	1 4 9
Total	6449 7 11	2750 0 0	3648 6 10	12,847 14 9	13,895 4 5	3109 8 9	2061 18 11

Mt. Cameron Water Trust cost £34,282. Receipts, year 30 June, 1905, £2505 0*s.* 1*d.* Expenditure, £1448 4*s.* 1*d.* Balance to P.D. Sinking Fund, £956 16*s.* and £21 17*s.* 6*d.* moiety of Rates of Lands served by Race. (Total paid to Sinking Fund, £9869 5*s.* 5*d.*)

CEMETERIES.

RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure of Public Cemeteries in Tasmania for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

Public Cemetery where situated.	Receipts.			Expenditure.	Balance from last Account.	Balance to next Account.
	From Government.	Various Receipts.	Total.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Alford	...	3 17 5	3 17 5	4 2 8	26 12 0	26 6 9
Beaconsfield	..	61 2 0	61 2 0	58 4 9	37 16 10	40 14 1
Bothwell	...	12 2 6	12 2 6	12 8 10	27 7 9	27 1 5
Branxholm (Derby)	...	5 10 0	5 10 0	5 13 0	1 14 11	1 11 11
Bridport †	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carnarvon	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 13 8	2 13 8
Coppington	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	0 15 0	0 18 3	1 13 3
Devonport	...	6 3 6	6 3 6	4 8 0	17 8 7	19 4 1
Emu Bay	...	29 0 0	29 0 0	9 5 3	— 77 18 4	— 58 3 7
Fingal	...	2 11 10	2 11 10	0 2 6	— 2 9 4	...
Frankford*	...	...	...	...	3 3 1	3 3 1
Glenora	...	7 8 0	7 8 0	5 1 6	0 5 7	2 12 1
Gormanston	...	6 15 0	6 15 0	10 1 11	66 13 6	63 6 7
Hobart	...	630 1 2	630 1 2	630 12 8	153 6 9	152 15 3
Latrobe	...	30 8 6	30 8 6	23 2 1	39 15 10	47 2 3
Lefroy	...	1 15 0	1 15 0	7 5 6	6 2 6	0 12 0
Long Bay	...	2 1 10	2 1 10	0 16 0	50 2 1	51 7 11
Montagu*	...	...	...	...	0 17 4	0 17 4
Moorina*	...	...	...	...	0 10 0	0 10 0
New Norfolk	...	35 15 0	35 15 0	42 9 6	109 12 6	102 18 0
North West Bay	...	...	...	0 10 0	7 8 8	6 18 8
Penguin	...	9 9 6	9 9 6	3 13 0	2 4 3	8 0 9
Pillinger	...	1 5 0	1 5 0	0 15 0	2 17 7	3 7 7
Premaydena	...	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 5 0	0 15 0	0 17 0
Queenstown	100 0 0	60 5 6	160 5 6	116 13 4	— 48 1 1	— 4 8 11
Scottsdale	...	49 0 10	49 0 10	14 16 3	...	34 4 7
Sheffield	...	7 7 0	7 7 0	3 18 6	5 2 10	8 11 4
Stanley	...	13 9 0	13 9 0	11 5 6	73 1 10	75 5 4
Strahan	...	7 2 0	7 2 0	3 3 6	9 16 7	13 15 1
St. Marys	...	5 11 0	5 11 0	0 10 0	2 18 6	7 19 6
St. Helens	...	7 18 0	7 18 0	5 18 6	24 2 0	26 1 6
Surges Bay	...	...	...	...	3 7 3	3 7 3
Ulverstone	...	14 0 0	14 0 0	11 11 10	28 11 7	30 19 9
Upper Piper	...	8 5 8	8 5 8	3 19 8	17 19 6	22 5 6
Waratah	...	8 2 0	8 2 0	9 3 6	0 8 9	— 0 12 9
Wilmot	.	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 4 10	— 0 1 2	...
Winkleigh (Ullapool)	...	1 18 0	1 18 0	12 1 0	16 1 6	5 18 6
Wivenhoe	...	26 18 6	26 18 6	10 2 2	39 3 0	55 19 4
Wynyard	...	21 14 6	21 14 6	22 15 0	35 0 7	34 0 1
Zeehan	...	95 19 0	95 19 0	110 3 0	16 4 0	2 0 0
Total	100 0 0	1177 10 3	1277 10 3	1158 8 9	701 14 8	820 16 2

† No transactions.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns checked by the Auditor-General.]

TOWN BOARDS.

RETURN of Receipts and Expenditure, Rates levied, &c., in Town Boards during the Year 1905.

Name of Town Board.	Number of Properties rated.		Amount of Rates in the £ on Private Property.*			Month Rate was levied.	Annual Value of Ratable Property.	Receipts.					Expenditure.	Balance from last Year.	Balance to next Year.
								Rates.		From Government.	Other Sources.	Total.			
	Houses.	Other Properties.	Special.	Road.	General.			Road.	General.						
			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Beaconsfield	502	102	...	1 0	...	Feb.	9240	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	426 0 6	...	...	8 17 0	434 17 6	581 10 7	27 14 11	—118 18 2
Health Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	415 3 0	415 3 0	378 3 1	27 13 6	64 13 5
Library Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 10 0	— 47 8 6	— 48 18 6
Recreation Ground Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9 10 0	9 10 0	8 18 3	— 4 16 0	— 4 4 3
General Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53 5 0	53 5 0	34 0 5	— 6 19 2	12 5 5
Bellerive	172	138	...	1 0	0 3	June	5206	...	113 15 5	...	32 12 0	146 7 5	123 10 5	— 38 1 10	— 15 4 10
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	256 13 6	...	...	26 2 4	282 15 10	314 16 6	148 18 7	116 17 11
Deposit Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0
Burnie—General Account	314	226	0 3	1 0	0 3	Feb.	12,417	...	162 5 9	...	32 3 0	194 8 9	159 17 3	— 54 0 4	—19 8 10
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	1 0[b]	...	...	648 3 0	...	...	122 7 9	770 10 9	742 10 6	194 17 5	222 17 8
Board of Health Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	293 3 8	793 3 8	299 5 7	— 0 1 10	— 6 3 9
Loan Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	162 19 3	...	...	162 19 3	183 17 6	111 8 6	90 10 3
Special Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6 4 3	6 4 3
Loan Account (2)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32 19 9	32 19 9	32 19 9	...	...
Carnarvon	28	31	...	1 0	1 0	Aug.	300	...	...	...	28 0 2	28 0 2	38 9 5	17 2 1	6 12 10
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18 5 3	...	...	0 5 0	18 10 3	15 3 11	5 8 7	8 14 11
Wharfage Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 0 0	1 0 0	...	11 7 6	12 7 6
Devonport	653	737	1/6[b] 3d.[a]	1 0	0 3[l]	June	20,530	...	256 8 2	...	131 7 7	387 15 9	401 17 1	69 18 8	55 17 4
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1027 1 1	...	...	748 18 2	1775 19 3	1438 8 3	314 2 8	651 13 8
Private Streets Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1000 0 0	1000 0 0	1000 0 0	...	...
Quarry Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37 10 0	37 10 0	12 17 0	—219 0 0	—194 7 0
Loan Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76 10 0	55 14 5	— 20 15 7
Light Construction Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3000 0 0	890 16 3	3890 16 3	2498 19 8	-1463 9 2	— 71 12 7
Light Maintenance Account	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1454 10 11	1454 10 11	1281 12 10	150 11 10	323 9 11
Health Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	614 14 1	614 14 1	660 11 8	— 83 2 9	—129 0 4
Town Hall Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	294 0 2	294 0 2	242 13 2	—248 6 10	—195 19 10
Glebe Town	141	5	...	0 9	1/5[b] 3d. 6d.[j]	Aug.	4148	...	51 8 0	...	187 19 6	239 7 6	221 17 11	122 12 11	140 2 6
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	154 4 0	...	...	...	154 4 0	214 10 9	66 15 8	6 8 11
Gormanston	517	212	...	1 0	1[a] 3	June	9914	...	115 15 10	...	38 8 6	154 4 4	170 1 4	— 41 11 8	— 57 8 8
Health Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	761 15 9	761 15 9	782 14 3	300 17 0	279 18 6
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	462 17 10	...	...	...	462 17 10	337 12 9	— 0 4 9	125 0 4
Loan Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Deposit Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	30 0 0	30 0 0	20 0 0	10 0 0	20 0 0
Invermay	227	79	...	0 9	1/3[b] 3d.	June	7031	...	84 18 9	..	22 15 0	107 13 9	51 13 1	— 17 9 8	— 38 11 0
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	256 3 0	...	...	0 19 0	257 2 0	271 12 8	113 7 0	98 16 4
Latrobe	289	247	...	1 0	2/6[b] 4d.	May	5812	...	95 17 2	...	57 3 6	153 0 8	148 2 3	2 5 0	7 3 5
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	303 1 0	...	...	70 0 6	373 1 6	393 6 2	— 41 16 5	— 62 1 1
Lindisfarne	82	129	...	1 4[d]	0 1[d]	June	2166	...	188 0 2	...	35 12 9	223 12 11	162 15 4	—103 14 6	— 42 16 11
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47 5 1	...	...	...	47 5 1	142 6 7	149 7 5	54 5 11
Moonah	173	63	...	1 0	1 4[b]	May	5264	...	...	...	24 1 6	24 1 6	57 15 0	34 14 9	1 1 3
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	244 19 0	...	...	1 6 3	246 5 3	308 9 11	112 19 7	50 14 11
Loan Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	311 12 3	...	311 12 3	311 12 3	...	...
Sinking Fund Account	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23 16 10	23 16 10	...	...	23 16 10

Mount Stuart	130	57	...	1	0	7d.[j] 3d.	Sept.	4454		...		55	3	3		...		11	15	0	66	18	3	96	2	5		96	0	2		66	16	1
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	220	13	0	...				...		14	15	6	235	8	6	115	2	4		84	17	5		205	3	7
Deposit Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		22	0	0	22	0	0	14	0	0		...				8	0	0
Sanitary	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		108	18	2	108	18	2	112	14	4	—	29	16	2	—	33	12	4
Loan Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...			825	0	0		...		825	0	0	912	10	6		...			—	87	10	6
New Town	483	191	...	0	0⅝	5d.[j] 0¼d.	August	16,956		...		325	9	4		...		148	10	9	474	0	1	300	5	3	—	259	7	2	—	85	12	4
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	813	13	2	...				...		35	2	10	848	16	0	975	10	8		216	4	11		89	10	3
Maypole Creek Extension	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		104	8	7	104	8	7	212	18	9	—	35	0	4	—	143	10	6
Sanitary Service Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		482	10	11	482	10	11	434	5	9		112	7	5		160	12	7
Deposit Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		23	0	0	23	0	0	29	0	0		20	0	0		14	0	0
Queenborough	458	76	...	1	1	6½d. 2d.	May	13,845		...		169	7	4		...		54	10	6	223	17	10	176	13	4		64	6	3		111	10	9
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	677	9	3	...				...		258	0	8	935	9	11	1011	12	7	—	44	11	0	—	129	13	8
Health Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		630	15	11	630	15	11	566	16	5		...				63	19	6
Queenstown	1211	277	...	1	0	6d.,6d.,[b] 3d.	July	22,021		...		482	13	6		...		66	11	0	549	4	6	316	14	11	—	149	13	0		82	16	7
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	964	14	7	...				...		152	8	11	1117	3	6	1010	4	7		27	18	4		134	17	3
Abattoirs Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		292	19	6	292	19	6	180	13	0	—	243	19	7	—	131	13	1
Health Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		1499	0	0	1499	0	0	1542	11	3		673	18	0		630	6	9
Loan Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		99	14	10		...			...		99	14	10	76	5	0		0	2	10		23	12	8
Library Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...			...		...			29	1	0	—	45	19	11	—	75	0	11
Light Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		538	0	6	538	0	6	777	3	9		243	4	10		4	1	7
Deposit Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...			...		...			2	0	0		17	0	0		15	0	0
Recreation Ground Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		83	2	8	83	2	8	114	10	6	—	163	7	11	—	194	15	9
Gormanston Road Account[d]	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...			1000	0	0	5	12	9	1005	12	9	852	19	2		...				152	13	7
Loan Account — Water	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...			141	2	8		...		141	2	8	183	8	6		...			—	42	5	10
Lighting Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...			...		811	4	2	914	11	6		...			—	103	7	4
Scottsdale	159	65	...	...		1 6	July	3393		...		65	14	0		...		19	15	0	85	9	0	112	14	10		63	19	1		36	13	3
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	126	3	6	...				...		13	11	0	139	14	6	196	4	11		52	6	6		4	3	11
Health Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		114	14	0	114	14	0	136	17	3		...			—	22	3	3
Sheffield	81	58	...	1	0	0 6	May	1660		...		22	10	9		...		11	15	0	34	5	9	22	9	8	—	59	0	4	—	47	4	3
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	106	4	3	...				...		0	10	0	106	14	3	107	1	7		87	16	0		87	8	8
Stanley	116	125	...	...		9d., 3d.	April	5533		...		59	5	3		...		13	10	0	72	15	3	71	11	7		47	17	7		49	1	3
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	172	7	0	...				...		108	19	5	281	6	5	292	2	3	—	54	17	2	—	65	13	0
Strahan	362	144	0	3	0	9 6d.[j] 3d.	April	5805		...		83	8	4		...		24	17	6	108	5	10	115	15	6	—	89	0	2		81	10	6
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	255	1	2	...				...		8	2	0	263	3	2	347	13	10	—	10	14	8	—	95	5	4
Loan Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		67	10	10		...			...		67	10	10	50	5	0		72	18	5		90	4	3
Board of Health	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		266	5	9	266	5	9	184	15	1	—	106	3	10	—	24	13	2
Abattoirs Loan Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...			...		...			...				3	7	10		3	7	10
Revenue Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		27	0	0	27	0	0	41	2	0	—	14	16	5	—	28	18	5
Trevallyn	117	43	...	1	0	0 3	May	3989		...		48	16	6		...		14	7	6	63	4	0	73	17	0	—	64	2	1	—	74	15	1
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	195	9	6	...				...		6	17	9	202	7	3	195	14	5	—	4	9	4		2	3	6
Ulverstone	249	264	...	1	0	0 6	April	7293		...		184	17	0		...		102	7	6	287	4	6	346	0	6		175	13	4		116	17	4
Road Rate Account	..	...	...	...		...	...	...	369	14	0	...				...		115	5	8	484	19	8	626	18	4		33	18	6	—	108	0	2
Health Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		195	13	2	195	13	2	184	3	1	—	83	5	1	—	71	15	0
Wellington	184	103	...	1	0	7½d.[j]	July	5786		...		0	11	3		...		140	15	2	141	6	5	121	19	6		93	17	6		113	4	5
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	286	7	9	...				...		0	7	0	286	14	9	288	8	5		121	18	2		120	4	6
Zeehan	1204	280	0	6	1	0 9d.[j] 9d.	May	21,615		...		799	11	7		...		59	15	0	859	6	7	1166	4	10		787	15	1		480	16	10
Road Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	1068	0	6	...				...		33	4	0	1101	4	6	1083	12	4		24	7	6		41	19	8
Board of Health	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		...				...		668	8	9	668	8	9	685	6	7		124	3	0		107	5	2
Loan Rate Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...		532	6	6		...			...		532	6	6	435	0	0		364	6	7		461	13	1
Abbatoirs Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...			...			...		255	19	9	255	19	9	288	6	10	—	216	15	7	—	249	2	8
Deposit Account	...	...	...	...		...	...	...		...			...			...		16	0	0	16	0	0	11	0	0		2	0	0		7	0	0
TOTALS	7952	3652	...	...		...	...	194,378	9100	10	11	4228	8	9	5277	14	1	15,042	14	2	33,649	8	9	32,273	13	11		1826	14	8		3176	9	6

* Approximate, many of the Town Boards having fixed the rate on Capital instead of Annual Value. [a] Loan. [b] Water Rate. [c] To City Council, 1s. 3d. for Water. [d] On Capital Value.
[e] On Capital Value of W. Devonport only. [g] Not fully established. [h] Sanitary per pan. [i] Lighting Rate. [j] Sanitary Rate. NOTE.—Outstanding Loans. See Page 349.

TOWN BOARDS.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year	No. of Town Boards.	Annual Value of Ratable Property.	Receipts.				Expenditure.
			From Rates.	From Government.*	From other sources.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£
1896	15	79,996	4765	1323	882	6970	6551
1897	17	81,696	5133	1289	1309	7731	8895
1898	19	115,738	7228	7005	4016	18,249	16,371
1899	19	120,762	7259	9540	5580	22,379	23,897
1900	19	156,880	10,697	10,535	7075	28,308	28,328
1901	20	154,101	16,014	9073	3847	28,934	28,851
1902	20	165,937	10,171	6645	8691	25,507†	25,015†
1903	22	172,905	10,321	4758	10,077	25,156†	24,302†
1904	23	192,572	13,320	6599	10,468	30,388†	29.735†
1905	23	194,878	13,328	5278	14,962	33,568†	32,193†

* Including Loans. † Deducting Cross Entries, £918, 1902; £129, 1903; £282, 1904; £81, 1905.

LOCAL BODIES LOANS AND SINKING FUNDS, YEAR 1905.

	Purpose of Loan.	Loans.			Sinking Fund			
							Balance.	
		Government.	Other.	Total.	Receipts.	Expenses.	1st January.	31st December.
Municipalities.		£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hobart	See Table page 277...	...	233,500	233,500	2409 15 0	3132 12 0	13,157 16 3	12,434 19 3
„ Metropolitan Drainage	...	68,000	...	68,000	734 18 10	...	142 0 8	876 19 6
Launceston	See Table page 277...	...	150,000	150,000	1884 10 2	...	34,705 7 11	36,589 18 1
Ditto	Electric Light	...	122,465	122,465	7322 19 7	...	3939 16 1	11,262 15 8
Ditto	Ditto and Water	35,000	...	35,000	523 1 9	...	4067 16 8	4590 18 5
Ditto	Sewerage	...	25,000	25,000	...	...	...	...
Ditto	Private Streets	...	1386	1386	60 12 10	...	364 5 10	424 18 8
Ditto	Cataract Cliff Grounds	...	2600	2600	...	...	...	...
Ditto	City Improvements and Water, 64 Vict. Nos. 50 and 51	...	3700	3700	...	...	...	...
Ditto	Carr Villa Cemetery	...	2500	2500	...	...	...	...
Total Launceston	...	35,000	307,651	342,651	9791 4 4	...	43,077 6 6	52,868 10 10
Bothwell	Buildings	1000	...	1000	11 6 3	...	25 10 5	36 16 8
Richmond	Buildings	237	...	237	2 13 6	...	6 12 7	9 6 1
Ross	Town Hall and Police	1300	...	1300	16 8 4	...	153 3 9	169 12 1
Westbury (Carrick)	Water ... [Buildings	...	400	400	8 5 2	...	36 9 2	44 14 4
Westbury and Hagley	Water	4000	...	4000	45 12 7	...	111 6 2	156 18 9
Total Municipalities	...	109,537	541,551	651,088	13,020 4 0	3132 12 0	56,710 5 6	66,597 17 6
Town Boards.								
Devonport	Redemption	1600	...	1600	37 19 11	...	153 10 2	191 10 1
Ditto	Town Hall	1500	...	1500				
Ditto	Water	23,000	...	23,000	343 0 4	...	2714 14 3	3057 14 7
Ditto	Light	10.000	...	10,000	78 5 7	...	55 6 6	133 12 1
Beaconsfield	Water	150	...	150	2 12 2	...	7 5 3	9 17 5
Ulverstone	...	...	550	550	14 13 8	...	62 9 7	77 3 3
	Drainage	2834	...	2834	28 8 2	...	3 15 11	32 4 1
New Town	Redemption of Mortgage on buildings ...	...	500	500	...	...	...	...
Burnie	Streets	3000	...	3000	30 14 2	...	9 5 8	39 19 10
Glebe Town	...	...	1500	1500	39 19 7	...	756 12 9	796 12 4
Queenborough	...	...	750	750	40 0 3	...	173 10 0	213 10 3
Zeehan	Streets & Redemption	9000	...	9000	122 5 8	...	744 5 0	866 10 8
School of Mines	Buildings	150	...	150	...	...	...	...
Strahan	Streets	1000	..	1000	12 13 4	...	62 13 7	75 6 11
Ditto	Buildings [Water	750	...	750	8 7 11	...	19 7 10	27 15 9
Queenstown	Light, Recreation, and	2200	...	2200	12 16 8	...	1 0 1	13 16 9
Ditto	Building, Water, and Abattoirs	3000	...	3000	37 13 5	...	170 6 3	207 19 8
Ditto	Drainage and Water.	4000	...	4000	44 9 4	...	82 19 5	127 8 9

LOCAL BODIES LOANS AND SINKING FUNDS—*continued.*

	Purpose of Loan.	Loans.			Sinking Fund.			
		Government.	Other.	Total.	Receipts.	Expenses.	Balance.	
							1st January	31st December.
Town Boards—continued.		£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d
Gormanston	Streets	2000	...	2000	23 12 10	...	77 5 11	100 18 9
Ditto	Water	4400	...	4400	50 10 2	...	132 10 10	183 1 0
Lindisfarne	Recreation Ground	1000	...	1000	10 18 5	...	15 7 4	26 5 9
Moonah	Streets	625	...	625	...	..	...	...
Mt. Stuart	Ditto	825	...	825	0 4 8	...	...	0 4 8
Total Town Boards	...	71,034	3300	74,344	939 6 3	...	5242 6 4	6181 12 7
Water Trusts.								
Perth	...	1700	...	1700	9 14 8	...	...	9 14 8
Longford	...	2600	...	2600	39 19 7	...	347 5 11	387 5 6
Ditto	...	1500	...	1500	17 15 2	...	67 11 10	85 7 0
Evandale	...	1500	...	1500	22 8 2	...	174 5 5	196 13 7
Cressy	...	1300	...	1300	18 5 5	...	122 15 1	141 0 6
Latrobe	...	7800	...	7800	117 5 4	...	925 11 2	1042 16 6
Glenorchy	...	10,250	...	10,250	1 7 8	...	16 18 6	18 6 2
Ditto	...	...	6000	6000	...	...	...	...
St. Helens	...	100	...	100	0 1 8	...	2 3 2	2 4 10
Burnie	...	10,000	...	10,000	108 15 4	...	156 4 11	265 0 3
Deloraine	...	4000	...	4000	32 18 11	...	2 9 9	35 8 8
Swansea	...	1000	...	1000	2 0 11	...	...	2 0 11
Fingal	...	1200	...	1200	2 14 10	...	...	2 14 10
Total Water Trusts	...	42,950	6000	48,950	373 7 8	...	1815 5 9	2188 13 5
Road Trusts.								
Latrobe	...	...	800	800	11 10 3	...	470 19 3	482 9 6
Tarleton	...	400	...	400	20 0 0	...	140 0 0	160 0 0
Total Road Trusts	...	400	800	1200	31 10 3	...	610 19 3	642 9 6
Cemetery Trusts*	...	389	...	389	...	...	...	...
Marine Boards.								
Hobart	...	16,000 5639	...	16,000 5639	182 9 9 109 6 3	.. ...	445 5 1 1282 3 0	627 14 10 1391 9 3
Launceston	...	12,500	...	12,500	148 12 2	...	522 3 1	670 15 3
Ditto	...	...	20 000	20,000	215 13 1	...	9296 16 0	9512 9 1
Mersey	...	38,000	...	38,000	455 6 9	...	2373 2 5	2828 9 2
Table Cape	...	10,000	...	10,000	117 6 4	...	361 10 3	478 16 7
Strahan	...	70,037	...	70,037	...	...	...	...
Leven Harbour Trust	...	3800	...	3800	...	...	...	...
Total Marine Boards	...	155,976	20,000	175,976	1228 14 4	...	14,280 19 10	15,509 14 2
All Local Bodies	...	380,286	571,651	951,937	15,593 2 6	3132 12 0	78,659 16 8	91,120 7 2

* Zeehan Cemetery, £105; Queenstown, £110; Wilmot, £24; Fingal, £35; St. Marys, £40; Gormanston, £75.

STATEMENT showing in detail the Purposes for which the Debts of the Municipalities of Hobart and Launceston were incurred.

HOBART—	£
Water Supply	162,000
Town Hall	23,000
Streets, Improvements	47,500
Private Streets	1000
	£233,500

LAUNCESTON*—	£	£
Water Supply—		
Proportion Consolidated Loan	64,440	
Loss in floating (Consol. Loan, proportion)	4016	
Under Act 64 Vict. No. 50	1800	
		70,256
General Purposes—		
Sewerage (proportion Consol. Loan)	36,656	
„ 52 Vict. No. 22	25,000	
Buildings and Streets	30,480	
„ „ (under 64 Vict. No. 51	1900	
Town Hall	7015	
Baths	2000	
Loss in floating Consol. Loan (proportion)	5393	
		108,444
Carr Villa Cemetery	...	2500
Electric Lighting	...	157,465
Private Streets	...	1386
Cataract Cliff Grounds	...	2600
		£342,651

* £9409 2*s.* 6*d.*, the difference between the Amount raised, £140,590 17*s.* 6*d.*, and the nominal value of the Loan, £150,000, under the Launceston Loans Consolidation Act (50 Vic. No. 2), has been distributed in proportion as the money raised was actually spent.

[Compiled from Returns and information furnished by Treasury and Audit Departments.]

Section III.—Relating to Government—Commonwealth, State, Local, and Imperial.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, GENERAL AND LOCAL.

DECENNIAL RETURN.

REVENUE.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5[d]	1905 6.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT.	...	...	...	...	...	§505,930	§426,632	§ 471,626	§ 445,621	448,955
GENERAL GOVERNMENT†	797,976	845,019	908,223	943,970	1,054,980	448,381	469,961	552,810	593,481	644,267
LOCAL GOVERNMENT—‡										
Marine Boards[a]	27,798	30,491	34,011	38,799	38,152	44,114	44,095	36,827	50,016	60,672
Municipalities	116,295	98,372	106,156	84,761	94,556	103,833	109,397	107,349	146,152	150,291
Road and Bridge Trusts	16,832	16,524	17,111	17,454	20,317	21,564	22,794	25,124	28,879	28,663
Cemetery Trusts	817	962	991	1083	998	1093	1062	1087	1227	2078
Town Boards	5638	6442	11,244	12,839	17,773	19,861	18,862	19,506	24,304	28,290
Water Trusts and special Accounts for supply of Water...	[c]4877	[c]5245	[c]5338	[c]6060	[c]7286	6794	8378	8427	9318	12,623
	970,233	1,003,055	1,083,074	1,104,966	1,234,062	1,151,571	1,101,181	1,222,756	1,248,998	1,375,839

EXPENDITURE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT.	...	...	...	...	...	§128,148	§160,538	166,769	186,522	193,426
GENERAL GOVERNMENT†	750,244	785,026	830,168	871,453	923,731	870,442	850,685	§ 879,356	840,184	853,147
LOCAL GOVERNMENT—										
Marine Boards[a].....	26,436	28,166	29,358	37,322	37,052	43,157	42,525	36,006	57,804	54,867
Municipalities	111,752	105,544	108,281	84,540	96,303	106,013	103,434	109,662	141,202	153,937
Road and Bridge Trusts	16,144	15,825	17,084	18,501	24,538	18,941	20,429	30,133	28,703	27,166
Cemeteries Trusts.....	709	881	807	1075	1112	1036	1134	1062	1204	1152
Town Boards	5219	7606	9366	14,357	17,783	19,778	18,370	19,752	23,351	26,815
Water Trusts and special Accounts for supply of Water ...	[c]4417	[c]5515	[c]4673	[c] 5823	[c]5386	6391	8451	8967	6697	12,593
	914,921	948,563	999,737	1,033,081	1,105,905	1,173,907	1,251,707	1,251,707	1,345,667	1,323,103

NOTE.—The amount contributed by the General Government is excluded from both the Revenue and Expenditure of Local Government. Allowance has also been made for cross-entries.

* Subject to revision in next year's Statement. † Does not include amounts raised or expended from Loans. ‡ Includes amounts raised and expended from Loans—other than from General Government—in connection with extraordinary works of construction. § The difference between Receipts and Expenditure is the surplus Receipts over Expenditure returned to State.

[a] Including Light-houses. [b] Excess of Government Grants over total Expenditure. [c] Including Mount Cameron Water Trust.
[d] Last Financial year.

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TAXATION.*

RETURN showing the Amount of Taxation under General and Local Government.

TAXATION, YEAR **1905-6.**

DESCRIPTION.	TAXATION. Amount.		Per Head of Mean Population, 1905–6.	Per Head of Mean Population, 1904-5.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s.	s.
I.—COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT. (Twelve months ended 30 June, 1906.)				
Customs Duties (excluding Bond Rents and Drawbacks) ..... Excise—Duty on Beer	326,394 16 11	326,394 16 11	36·44	36·94
II.—GENERAL GOVERNMENT. (Twelve months ended 30 June, 1906.)				
Real and Personal Estates Duties—				
Land Tax	54,776 2 1	...	6·11	6·04
Income Tax	70,269 12 2	...	7·83	6·65
Taxation Act	28,050 19 9	...	3·12	2·73
		153,096 14 0	17·06	15·42
Licences—				
Dog Licences	810 15 0	...	·09	·16
Publicans' ditto	9996 15 0	...	1·13	1·13
Licences, various	3127 18 4	...	·34	·37
		13,935 8 4	1·56	1·66
Note Duty	2924 10 0	...	·33	·32
Stamp Duty	51,155 9 9	...	5·70	4·82
Probate (Deceased Persons' Estate) Duty	26,335 10 1	...	2·94	1·19
		80,415 9 10	8·97	7·01
Police Rate	...	0 19 8	...	...
Totalisator Tax	1350 2 1	1350 2 1	·15	·15
*Total Taxation, Commonwealth General Government**	..	575,193 10 10	64·18	61·18
III.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT. (Twelve months ended 31 December, 1905.)				
MUNICIPALITIES—				
General Rates	21,848 8 4	...	2·43	3·02
Dog Tax	2519 7 6	...	·28	·27
Licences, &c.	1100 12 6	...	·13	·08
		25,468 8 6	2·84	3·37
MARINE BOARDS—				
Wharfage	28,421 15 3	...	3·17	3·09
Exemptions from Pilotage	76 5 0	...	·01	·01
Harbour Dues	7484 6 10	...	·83	·71
Boat and Watermen's Licences, &c.	28 8 0	...	·01	·01
		36,010 15 1	4·02	3·82
ROAD TRUSTS—				
Rates	27,721 18 1	27,721 18 1	3·09	3·11
TOWN BOARDS—				
Rates	13,328 19 8	...	1·48	1·48
Dog Tax	470 10 6	...	·06	·06
Other Licences	218 0 6	...	·03	·02
		14,017 10 8	1·57	1·56
*Total Taxation, Local Government** ...	...	103,218 12 4	11·52	11·86
*Total Taxation, General and Local** ...	...	678,412 3 2	75·70	73·04

* Excluding all rates or charges such as gas, water, and light rates—which, though levied in the form of a tax, directly confer upon the person charged an express benefit or service estimated to be equal in monetary value to the rate levied.

ROBT. M. JOHNSTON, *Government Statistician.*

TAXATION.*

RETURN showing the Amount of Taxation under General and Local Government.

TAXATION, YEARS **1901-02-03-04-05-06.**

DESCRIPTION.	AMOUNTS.					PER HEAD.				
	1901.	**1902.**	**1903.**	**1904-5.**	**1905-6.**	**1901.**	**1902.**	**1903.**	**1904-5.**	**1905-6**
I.—COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT.	£	£	£	£	£	*s.*	*s.*	*s.*	*s.*	*s.*
Customs Duties (excluding Bond Rents and Drawbacks)	401,894	337,941	366,898	330,651	326,395	46·30	38·50	41·33	36·94	36·44
Excise—Duty on Beer	22,549					2·60				
II.—GENERAL GOVERNMENT.										
Customs Duties (excluding Bond Rents and Drawbacks)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Excise—Duty on Beer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Real and Personal Estates Duties—										
Land Tax	42,209	41,862	50,881	54,151	54,776	4·86	4·76	5·75	6·04	6·11
Companies' Tax	2665	3081	...	...	...	0·31	0·35	...	...	...
Income Tax	17,538	11,862	37,529	59,487	70,270	2·02	1·35	4·25	6·65	7·83
Police Rate	1411	73	3	...	1	0·16	0·01	...	...	...
Taxation Acts	...	...	...	24,396	28,051	...	...	...	2·73	3·12
Licences—										
Dog Licences	1107	1267	1170	1438	811	0·13	0·14	0·17	0·16	·09
Publicans' ditto	10,176	9487	9813	10,062	9997	1·17	1·07	1·08	1·13	1·13
Licences, various	2733	2929	3287	3382	3128	0·31	0·33	0·33	0·37	·34
Note Duty	...	...	...	2891	2924	...	...	...	0·32	·33
Stamp Duty	23,455	27,364	42,093	43,157	51,155	2·70	3·12	4·68	4·82	5·70
Probate Duty	8629	6980	4750	6060	26,336	1·00	0·79	0·58	0·68	2·94
Poll Tax	1140	...	...	...	...	0·13	...	...	...	...
Totalisator Tax	452	496	565	1331	1350	0·05	0·08	0·08	0·15	·15
Deceased Persons' Estate Duty	...	...	...	10,598	...	...	...	...	1·19	...
*Total Taxation, General Government**	535,958	443,342	516,989	547,604	571,194	61·74	50·50	58·25	61·18	64·18
III.—LOCAL GOVERNMENT.										
MUNICIPALITIES—										
General Rates	24,978	25,853	20,878	27,012	21,848	2·88	2·95	2·35	3·02	2·43
Dog Tax	2365	2521	2489	2446	2519	0·27	0·29	0·28	0·27	·28
Licences	791	1172	746	746	1101	0·09	0·13	0·09	0·08	·13
	28,134	29,546	24,113	30,204	25,468	3·24	3·37	2·79	3·37	2·84
MARINE BOARDS—										
Wharfage	18,208	19,908	24,363	27,724	28,422	2·11	2·26	2·74	3·09	3·17
Exemptions from Pilotage	86	282	72	94	76	0·01	0·03	0·01	0·01	·01
Harbour Dues	3228	6150	6462	6316	7484	0·60	0·70	0·73	0·71	·83
Boat and Watermen's Licences, &c.	112	27	87	117	28	0·01	0·01	0·01	0·01	·01
	23,634	26,367	30,984	34,251	36,010	2·79	3·00	3·49	3·82	4·02
ROAD TRUSTS—										
Rates	21,162	21,882	24,577	27,815	27,722	2·44	2·49	2·76	3·11	3·09
TOWN BOARDS—										
Rates	11,453	10,066	10,321	13,220	13,329	1·32	1·14	1·16	1·48	1·48
Dog Tax	395	420	402	448	471	0·04	0·05	0·05	0·06	·06
Licences	169	186	184	233	218	0·02	0·02	0·02	0·02	·03
	12,017	10,672	10,907	13,901	14,018	1·38	1·21	1·23	1·56	1·57
*Total Taxation, Local Government**	84,947	88,467	90,581	106,171	103,218	9·79	10·07	10·20	11·86	11·52
*Total Taxation, General and Local**	620,905	531,809	607,570	653,775	678,412	71·53	60·57	68·45	73·04	75·70

* Excluding all rates or charges such as gas, water, and light rates—which, though levied in the form of a tax, directly confer upon the person charged an express benefit or service estimated to be equal in monetary value to the rate levied.

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TAXATION*—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

AMOUNT.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904-5.	1906-7.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth Government	...	...	...	...	...	424,443	337,941	366,898	330,651	326,395
General Government	467,054	496,472	541,003	547,528	644,510	111,515	105,401	150,091	216,953	248,799
Local Government	88,488	90,375	94,070	80,472	83,557	84,947	88,467	90,581	106,171	103,218
TOTAL.....	555,542	586,847	635,073	628,000	728,067	620,905	531,809	607,570	653,775	678,412

PER HEAD.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Commonwealth Government	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 11	1 18 6	2 1 4	1 16 11	1 16 6
General Government	2 19 3	3 1 3	3 4 11	3 4 2	3 14 7	0 12 10	0 12 0	0 16 11	1 4 3	1 7 8
Local Government.....	0 11 3	0 11 2	0 11 4	0 9 5	0 9 8	0 9 9	0 10 1	0 10 2	0 11 10	0 11 6
TOTAL.....	3 10 6	3 12 5	3 16 3	3 13 7	4 4 3	3 11 6	3 0 7	3 8 5	3 13 0	3 15 8

* Excluding all rates or charges such as gas, water, and light rates—which, though levied in the form of a tax, directly confer upon the person charged an express benefit or service estimated to be equal in monetary value to the rate levied.

EXPENDITURE in Tasmania, during the Year 1905, *on Account of Imperial Pensions, Pay, and Allowances.*

	£	s.	d.
Army Services	3372	5	6
Navy „	531	3	0
Admiralty „	145	11	6
Civil Service	348	11	4
Secretary of State for India	11,929	9	11
	£16,327	1	3

FRANK LOVETT, *Paymaster Imperial Pensions.*

GOVERNMENT TAXES, 1905.

LICENCES.

	£	s.	d.
Hotel	25	0	0
Public House	25	0	0
Packet	10	0	0
Railway Refreshment Room	5	0	0
Wholesale Licence	25	0	0
Importer's Licence	10	0	0
Transfer Public House Licence	5	0	0
Transfer Packet Licence	2	0	0
Transfer Railway Room Licence	10	0	0
Certificate of Registration of a Club	5	0	0
Auctioneer's Licence—			
Town	50	0	0
Country	20	0	0
Pawnbroker's Licence—			
Town	20	0	0
Country	5	0	0
Carrier's Licence	1	0	0
Hawker's Licence	1	0	0
Tanner's Licence	0	5	0
Totalisators, 1 per cent. of total sum placed on totalisators.			
Hunting Licence, for Six Months	2	0	0
Hunting Licence, for Twelve months	4	0	0
Stage Coach Licence	1	0	0
Driver's Licence	0	5	0
Billiard-table Licence	5	0	0
Billiard-table Licence—every Table after first	1	0	0
Bagatelle-table Licence	2	0	0
Bagatelle-table Licence—every Table after first	0	10	0

DEATH DUTIES.

The Deceased Person's Estates Duties Act, 1904, imposes the following duties on the property (real and personal) of any deceased person, settler, or donor:—

Estate of £500 and under £1000	2 per cent.
Estate of £1000 and under £2000	2½ per cent.
Estate of £2000 and under £5000	3 per cent.
Estate of £5000 and under £20,000	4 per cent.
Estate of £20,000 and under £100,000	5 per cent.
Exceeds £100,000	10 per cent.

When the property is derived by or given, or accrues to any brother or sister, or child of a brother or sister, of the deceased person, settler, or donor, double the above rates, but not to exceed 10 per cent.

Property of any value whatever derived by, or given, or accruing to a stranger in blood to the deceased person, settler, or donor, 10 per cent.

No duties payable on sums received from any registered friendly society.

STAMP DUTIES.

Note.—Revenue Stamps only can be used under this Schedule.

	£	s.	d.
Articles of clerkship to barrister, &c.	5	0	0
Ditto to complete articles partially served with another barrister	0	10	0
For every Duplicate	0	5	0
Award of £10 and upwards (with exemptions)	0	5	0
Bill of lading, or receipt from the master, mate, owner, or agent of any vessel for goods to be carried beyond Tasmania	0	0	6
For every copy thereof	0	0	6

Exemptions.—The master's copy of a bill of lading, and any receipt given in anticipation of a bill of lading, and not to be held in lieu thereof.

Note.—Every bill of lading must be filled in on paper, upon which the appropriate stamp has been previously impressed.

	£	s.	d.
Bond or covenant (money) not exceeding £100	0	2	6
For every additional £50 or part thereof	0	2	6
Other bonds	0	5	0
Bonds exempted (see *Exemptions*).			
Deeds (where not subject to *ad valorem* charge)	0	5	0
Certificate or other document of title under Real Property Act (where not subject to *ad valorem* charge)	0	5	0
Cheques and drafts on bankers (except Savings Bank)	0	0	1
Conveyance not exceeding £100	0	7	6
For every additional £50 or part thereof	0	7	6
Denoting stamp or certificate	0	5	0
Inland Bill of Exchange (and foreign if drawn singly) and promissory note not exceeding £5	0	0	3
Not exceeding £25	0	0	6
Note.—Inland Bill of Exchange exceeding £25 must be written only on paper upon which the appropriate stamp has been impressed.			
Every additional £25 or part thereof	0	0	6
Foreign bills, if drawn in sets of two, for each bill, one-half; and if in sets of three or more, for each bill, one-third of same duty as on an inland bill of the like amount.			
Lease (by deed) at a yearly rental not exceeding £50	0	5	0
For every additional £50 or part thereof	0	5	0
Lease (not by deed) or agreement for lease at a yearly rental not exceeding £50	0	2	6
For every additional £50 or part thereof	0	2	6
Exemptions.—Leases, &c., of Crown land.			
Letter or power of Attorney	0	5	0
Letter of credit	0	0	1
Lottery ticket, first 5s.	0	0	2
Every additional 5s. or fraction thereof	0	0	2
Mortgage (or transfer or assignment of mortgage) of £100	0	2	6
For every additional £50 or fraction thereof	0	2	6
If moneys secured or recoverable are unlimited	12	10	0
The duty payable on transfer or assignment of mortgage to be estimated upon the true and real consideration money.			
Exemption.—Transfer of securities held by Friendly Societies.			
If reconveyance, release, discharge, or certificate of satisfaction of mortgage, charge, registered lien, or judgment (including interest) does not exceed £100	0	2	6
Exceeding £100 and under £250	0	5	0
£250 and under £500	0	7	6
£500 and under £1000	0	10	0
£1000 and upwards	1	0	0
Receipt of £2 and not exceeding £5	0	0	1
Receipt over £5 and not exceeding £15	0	0	2
Receipt over £15 and not exceeding £25	0	0	3
Receipt over £25	0	0	4
Exemptions.—Government receipts, Receipts on instruments duly stamped, duplicate receipts stated to be such and certified to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Stamp Duties to be a duplicate receipt, Interim receipts for insurance premiums and expiring at the end of 14 days, Bank deposits, Savings Bank receipts, Friendly Societies receipts, Post Office money orders, rates taxes, &c., by local bodies, Receipts for interest on debenture, inscribed stock or Treasury Bill issued by or guaranteed by the Government, Receipts for wages at a rate not exceeding £150 per annum, Receipts for donations or subscriptions for religious or charitable purposes.			
Settlement or deed of gift or declaration of trust, in writing, not being a will or codicil, not exceeding £100	0	7	6
For every additional £50 or fractional part of £50	0	7	6
Warrant of Attorney, on amount secured by defeasance. (See mortgage.)			

Exemptions.—Apprentices' indentures, Customs bonds, Magisterial recognisances, Bonds given or entered into by any officer of any Friendly or Building Society, Replevin Bonds under Impounding Act, Transfers of shares in any company, Transfers of any mortgage to the trustees of any certified Friendly Society, and all instruments made by or with the Governor or any Minister of the Crown acting on behalf of the State.

Obliteration of Stamps.—Stamps are to be cancelled by writing across each of them the day of the month and year of using the same, and in default thereof such stamps will be of no avail Stamps unnecessarily defaced or rendered unfit for use may be replaced by others on application to the Collector within sixty days after they have been so spoiled.

Unstamped Documents.—Instruments executed in Tasmania delivered unstamped must be stamped in the presence of the Collector within sixty days of date; and instruments executed out of the State within sixty days after arrival in the State. Penalty in default, £5.

Stamp Duty above £1 may be paid in cash. Money paid upon spoiled instruments will be returned.

Companies to pay to Treasurer before registration a sum of one penny for every pound of nominal capital. And also a like sum for every pound of the nominal amount of any increase of capital, when capital increased.

Foreign Companies to pay £50 on registration, but if formed out of Tasmania for immediate purpose of carrying on business in Tasmania, and with power to carry on business elsewhere, stamp duty in the pound on capital to be expended in Tasmania, minimum of £50. (See 1 Edward VII. No. 47).

LAND TAX.

Every owner of land situate in Tasmania, and not included in certain exemptions specified in the Act, must pay by the 1st of October in each year the following tax:—Where the assessed value is under £5000, one halfpenny in the pound of the capital value; where the value is £5000 and under £15,000, five-eighths of a penny in the pound; where the value is £15,000 and under £40,000, three farthings in the pound; where the value is £40,000 and under £80,000, seven-eighths of a penny in the pound; where the value is £80,000 and over, one penny in the pound sterling. Crown lands situate beyond the limits of any town purchased on credit are exempt from taxation until one-half of the purchase money has been paid, or is due. The owner of land under mortgage may claim reduction of one-sixth of 1d. in the pound of amount of mortgage. Such claim must be made within 30 days of demand. The local authority of every district is required to prepare, before the 1st day of October in every year, an assessment roll of the property in such district.

INCOME TAX.

Incomes liable to taxation: (1) Income of every Company carrying on business in Tasmania. Rate 1s. in the pound. (2) Income derived from property of every person which accrues, arises, is received in, or is derived from, Tasmania. Rate, 1s. in the pound.

Exemptions.—No income Tax is payable by persons whose income is under £100.

Where any person's income is less than £400 he shall be entitled to a deduction in accordance with the following scale:—If his total income is less than £110, deduction £80; less than £120, deduction £70; less than £150, deduction £60; less than £200, deduction £50; less than £250, deduction £40; less than £300, deduction £30; less than £350, deduction £20; less than £400, deduction £10.

Incomes derived from any source out of Tasmania are allowed a rebate of the amount of Income Tax paid in England or elsewhere. Penalty for making false returns, &c., not less than £1, nor more than £100. Penalty for failure to furnish returns, not more than £5.

TAX ON OCCUPIERS OF PROPERTY AND LODGERS.

To be paid by—(1) Occupiers or sub-occupiers of property for purposes of residence. (2) Occupiers or sub-occupiers of property partly for purposes of residence and partly for purposes of business. (3) Lodgers not liable as occupiers or sub-occupiers.

(1.) The *Taxable Amount* upon which the Tax is to be paid where the property is occupied for purposes of residence only is:—

Where the assessed annual value is under £30	5 times the value
Where the assessed annual value is £30 and under £40	6 times the value
Where the assessed annual value is £40 and under £60	7 times the value
Where the assessed annual value is £60 and under £80	8 times the value
Where the assessed annual value is £80 and under £100	9 times the value
Where the assessed annual value is £100 or over	10 times the value

and the amount of the tax to be paid is—

Where the *Taxable Amount* is £60	2s. 6d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £100 and under £115	2d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £60 and under £100	1d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £115 and under £150	3d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £150 and under £400	4d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £400 and over	4d. in the £ on the first £400, and 6d. in the £ on the remainder.

Where the taxable amount is £60 or over, a deduction of the first £30 is made, and where the taxable amount is under £100 there is a further reduction of £10 for each child under the age of 17 years residing with and dependent upon the taxpayer.

(2.) The *Taxable amount* for occupiers, &c., who occupy partly for purposes of residence and partly for purposes of business, and who do not practise a profession other than that of a schoolmaster, and for occupiers carrying on any agricultural, pastoral, or horticultural pursuits, is 2½ times the amount of the first £50 of the assessed annual value, 1½ times the second £50, and ¾ times the remainder; and the amount of the tax is—

Where the *Taxable Amount* is under £50	2s. 6d.
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £50 and under £100	2d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £100 and under £153	3d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £153 to £185	4d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £185 and under £238	4½d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £238 and under £2375	5d. in the £
Where the *Taxable Amount* is £2375 and over	6d. in the £

Where the taxable amount is £50 or over, a reduction of the first £30 is made.

(3) The *Taxable Amount* to be paid by lodgers is—

Where the assessed annual value of lodgings is under £65	Twice the amount
Where the assessed annual value of lodgings is £65 and under £78	2½ times the amount
Where the assessed annual value of lodgings is £78 and under £104	3 times the amount
Where the assessed annual value of lodgings is £104 and over	4 times the amount

And the reduction and amount of tax to be paid is the same as in the case of (1) occupiers of property for purposes of residence only. Female lodgers, where the assessed annual value of board and lodging is under £36, are exempted.

Any taxpayer proving that his income is exclusively derived from property shall be exempted from this tax, and any taxpayer appealing within the prescribed time, and proving that his income for the immediately preceding twelve months was less than the *Taxable Amount* by not less than 10 per cent., may have his taxable amount reduced to his actual income, but must also declare his income in each of the two following years.

TAX ON DIVIDENDS AND COMPANIES.

Every Company having its head office or chief place of business in Tasmania must pay 1s. in the £ on all dividends declared or becoming due to the shareholders.

Banking Companies which have not their head office, &c., in Tasmania, and which carry on no other business, must pay 1s. in the £ on so much of the total dividends declared by the Company as is proportionate to the average amount of the average quarterly assets and liabilities of the Company in Tasmania, as compared with the total assets and liabilities.

Life Insurance Companies which have not their head office, &c., in Tasmania, must pay 1s. in the £ on 20 per cent. of the premiums received in Tasmania.

Insurance Companies, other than Life, which have not their chief office, &c., in Tasmania, shall pay 1s. in the £ on 50 per cent. of the net premiums received in Tasmania, exclusive of any portion paid away as re-insurance in Tasmania with any other company.

Shipping Companies which have not their chief office, &c., in Tasmania, must pay 1s. in the £ on 5 per cent. of the receipt for live stock, goods, mails, and passengers, shipped in Tasmania, and carried to any port in or beyond Tasmania.

Mercantile Companies which have not their head office, &c., in Tasmania, must pay 1s. in the £ on the profits of its Tasmanian business, which may be assessed by the Commissioner as 5 per cent. of the turnover of the Company in Tasmania.

Other Companies which have not their head office, &c., in Tasmania, must pay 1s. in the £ on the profits made on Tasmanian business, which may be assessed by the Commissioner as 5 per cent. of the capital employed in Tasmania.

The taxable amount of Income of any company not having its chief office, &c., in Tasmania, shall not in any year be deemed to be less than £1000.

MUNICIPAL LICENCES, 1905.

	£	s.	d.
Butcher's Licence	1	0	0
Cab Licence	0	10	0
Driver's Licence	0	10	0
Carter's Licence	0	5	0
Common Lodging-house	0	10	0
Dog Licence	0	5	0
Noxious Trades	1	0	0
Parcel delivery Cart	0	10	0
Driver's	0	2	6
Purveyor of Milk	0	5	0
Builder's Licence—			
First week	0	5	0
Every succeeding week	0	2	6
Theatre or Public Entertainments	2	0	0

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COURSE OF EXCHANGE, &c.

RETURN showing the Rates of Exchange with London and Australasia, and the Rate of Discount and Interest, in the Year 1905.

EXCHANGE ON LONDON, at 60 days' sight.

	Buy Mercantile Bills at—	*Sell Bank Bills at—*
1 January to 31 December.....	From $\frac{5}{8}$ per cent. discount.	$\frac{1}{8}$ per cent. premium.

EXCHANGE ON THE OTHER STATES. At sight or on demand.

	Purchasing Rate.	*Selling Rate.*
Victoria	$\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. discount.	$\frac{1}{4}$ per cent. premium.
Sydney	$\frac{3}{8}$ „ „	$\frac{3}{8}$ „ „
Other New South Wales towns..	$\frac{1}{2}$ „ „	$\frac{1}{2}$ „ „
South Australia	$\frac{1}{2}$ „ „	$\frac{1}{2}$ „ „
Western Australia	1–1$\frac{3}{4}$ „ „	1–1$\frac{3}{4}$ „ „
Northern portion of Queensland	1 „ „	1 „ „
Brisbane	$\frac{1}{2}$ „ „	$\frac{1}{2}$ „ „
Other Queensland towns	$\frac{3}{4}$ „ „	$\frac{3}{4}$ „ „
New Zealand.....	$\frac{3}{4}$ „ „	$\frac{3}{4}$ „ „

RATES OF DISCOUNT.

	1 *Jan. to* 31 *Dec.*
Bills having a currency of 95 days and under	6 per cent.
„ „ beyond 95 days.....	6$\frac{1}{2}$ „

INTEREST ALLOWED ON FIXED DEPOSITS.

1 January to 31 December— 6 months, 2 per cent. per annum; 12 months, 3 to 3$\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. per annum.

[The information for this Return was furnished by the Manager of the Union Bank of Australia, Limited.]

RATES of Discount and Bank Interest allowed for Period 1870 *to* 1905 *inclusive.*

PERIOD.	Rates of Discount per cent. per annum for Bills.				Per-centage Interest allowed on fixed deposits.		
	Under 65 days.	65–95	95–125	125 & over.	3 Mos.	6 Mos.	12 Mos.
1870 to 1880 Mean Rates	7·4	7·5	8·4	8·8	3·1	4·1	5·1
1881, 1 January to 12 January ...	7	7	8	8	2	3	4
„ 1 January to 28 January....	7	7	8	8	2	3	4
„ 13 January to 31 December...	6	6	7	7	2	3	4
„ 29 January to 14 December...	6	6	7	7	2	2½	3
„ 15 December to 31 December	6	6	7	7	2	3	4
1882, 1 January to 31 December...	6	6	7	7	2	3	4
„ 1 January to 15 August	6	6	7	7	2	3	4
„ 16 August to 31st December...	6	6	7	7	3	4	5
1883, 1 January to 31 December...	7	7	8	8	4	5	6
1884, 1 January to 9 July	7	7	8	8	4	5	6
„ 9 July to 26 July	7	7	8	8	3½	4½	5½
„ 26 July to 31 December	7	7	8	8	3	4	5
1885, 1 January to 31 December...	7	7	8	8	3	4	5
1886, 1 January to 5 July	7	7	8	8	3	4	5
„ 1 January to 30 June	7½	7½	8½	8½	3	4	5
„ 30 June to 31 December.....	7½	7½	8½	8½	4	5	6
1887, 1 January to 30 September...	7½	7½	8½	8½	...	...	...
„ 30 September to 31 December	7	7	8	8	...	...	...
„ 1 January to 17 January.....	...	...	...	...	4	5	6
„ 17 January to 12 August.....	...	...	...	...	3	4	5
„ 12 August to 31 December....	...	...	...	...	2	3	4
1888, 1 January to 24 October	7	7	8	8	2	3	4
„ 24 October to 31 December...	8	8	9	9	3	4	5
1889, 1 January to 31 December...	7½	7½	8½	8½	3	4	5
1890, 1 January to 31 December...	7	7	8	8	3	4	5
1891, 1 January to 31 December...	7½	7½	8	8	3	4	5
1892, 1 January to 20 September	8	8	8½	8½	3	4	5
„ 20 September to 31 December	8	8	8½	8½	2½	3½	4½
1893, 1 January to 6 March					2½	3½	4½
„ 6 March to 8 June	7½	7½	8	8	2	3	4
„ 8 June to 17 August.....					2½	3½	4½
„ 17 August to 31 December ...					3	4	5
1894, 1 January to 6 March					3	4	5
„ 6 March to 7 April					2½	3½	4½
„ 7 April to 6 August	7½	7½	8	8	2	3	4½
„ 6 August to 15 October					*Nil.*	2	3
„ 16 October to 31 December...					*Nil.*	1½	3
1895, 1 January to 31 December .	...	7	7½ & 8	7½ & 8	*Nil.*	1½	3
1896, 1 January to 31 August	7	7	7½ & 8	7½ & 8	*Nil.*	1½	3
„ 1 September to 31 December	6 to 7	6 to 7	7 & 7½	7 & 7½	*Nil.*	1	2½
1897, 1 January to 31 December .	6 to 7½	6to 7½	7½ to 8	7½ to 8	*Nil.*	1	2½
1898, 1 January to 31 December .	7 to 7¼	7to 7½	7 to 7½	7 to 7½	*Nil.*	1	2½
1899, 1 January to 31 December .	6	6	7	7	*Nil.*	1	2½
1900, 1 January to 31 December .	6 to 7	6 to 7	7 to 8	7 to 8	*Nil.*	1	2½
1901, 1 January to 31 December .	6 to 7	6 to 7	7 to 8	7 to 8	*Nil.*	1½	3
1902, 1 January to 31 December .	6	6	6½	6½	*Nil.*	1½	3
1903, 1 January to 31 December .	6	6	7	7	*Nil.*	1½	3
1904, 1 January to 31 December .	6	6	6½	6½	*Nil.*	2	3½
1905, 1 January to 31 December .	6	6	6½	6½	*Nil.*	2	3 to 3½

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BANKS.

RETURN of the Assets and Liabilities of the undermentioned Banks of the State, for the Four Quarters of the Year 1905.

BANKS.	ASSETS.					LIABILITIES.				
	Specie and Bullion.	Landed Property.	Balances due from other Banks.	Debts due to Banks, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, Stock, and Funded Debts, &c.	Total.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
First Quarter.										
Bank of Australasia	216,478 0 0	22,347 18 8	...	310,078 9 0	548,904 7 8	22,663 1 6	2809 17 5	...	940,351 18 5	965,824 17 4
Commercial Bank of Tasmania, Limited	306,455 18 2	30,826 4 7	...	1,482,777 9 0[a]	1,820,059 11 9	54,374 0 0	...	72,511 8 9	1,415,815 12 10	1,542,701 1 7
National Bank of Tasmania, Limited	69,947 2 5	28,337 13 8	36,685 0 7	568,951 18 9[b]	703,921 15 5	52,497 0 0	11,410 13 1	...	452,243 16 0	516,151 9 1
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	153,630 2 11	25,192 0 0	828 3 9	292,585 3 0	472,235 9 8	9963 0 0	1284 5 8	...	722,645 3 5	733,892 9 1
Totals	746,511 3 6	106,703 16 1	37,513 4 4	2,654,392 19 9	3,545,121 4 6	139,497 1 6	15,504 16 2	72,511 8 9	3,531,056 10 8	3,758,569 17 1
Second Quarter.										
Bank of Australasia	216,887 14 0	22,243 3 2	...	311,988 16 7	551,119 13 9	24,531 15 5	1717 19 3	...	977,110 1 10	1,003,359 16 6
Commercial Bank of Tasmania, Limited	245,123 18 7	30,937 15 0	49,391 16 9	1,476,279 19 9[c]	1,801,733 10 1	56,722 0 0	...	202 0 9	1,466,088 16 1	1,523,012 16 10
National Bank of Tasmania, Limited	71,932 14 5	28,331 16 7	65,249 19 8	561,694 16 8[b]	727,209 7 4	55,829 0 0	8162 14 1	...	475,511 8 7	539,503 2 8
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	166,686 9 1	24,500 0 0	699 9 2	300,825 18 4	492,711 16 7	9565 0 0	837 1 9	...	730,670 6 1	741,072 7 10
Totals	700,630 16 1	106,012 14 9	115,341 5 7	2,650,789 11 4	3,572,774 7 9	146,647 15 5	10,717 15 1	202 0 9	3,649,380 12 7	3,806,948 3 10
Third Quarter.										
Bank of Australasia	179,539 10 4	19,616 8 8	...	288,924 18 9	488,080 17 9	23,671 12 4	1768 15 9	...	976,437 7 2	1,001,877 15 3
Commercial Bank of Tasmania, Limited	268,548 1 0	30,935 11 1	82,460 1 3	1,418,388 1 3[d]	1,800,331 14 7	55,499 0 0	...	...	1,465,599 14 2	1,521,098 14 2
National Bank of Tasmania, Limited	79,721 10 4	28,319 7 10	93,579 19 6	524,653 9 0[e]	726,274 6 8	55,774 0 0	9732 8 1	...	469,584 7 11	535,090 16 0
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	168,073 6 4	24,500 0 0	408 9 6	307,893 5 1	500,875 0 11	10,352 0 0	898 0 6	...	730,740 17 2	741,990 17 8
Totals	695,882 8 0	103,371 7 7	176,448 10 3	2,539,859 14 1	3,515,561 19 11	145,296 12 4	12,399 4 4	...	3,642,362 6 5	3,800,058 3 1
Fourth Quarter.										
Bank of Australasia	213,854 16 4	17,493 1 2	...	287,545 2 0	518,892 19 6	22,667 3 1	1984 18 8	...	975,567 8 2	1,000,219 9 11
Commercial Bank of Tasmania, Limited	248,275 16 0	30,942 4 5	198,916 10 8	1,396,896 4 2	1,875,030 15 3	55,670 0 0	...	...	1,535,609 2 9	1,591,279 2 9
National Bank of Tasmania, Limited	86,144 0 6	28,294 0 11	97,583 9 3	536,907 11 4	748,929 2 0	59,600 0 0	7631 7 2	...	491,168 6 4	558,399 13 6
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	146,173 13 11	24,500 0 0	661 11 8	308,641 0 9	479,976 6 4	10,625 0 0	845 9 5	...	711,450 15 8	722,921 5 1
Totals	694,448 6 9	101,229 6 6	297,161 11 7	2,529,989 18 3	3,622,829 3 1	148,562 3 1	10,461 15 3	...	3,713,795 12 11	3,872,819 11 3

[a] Includes £227,812 4*s.* 10*d.*, Government Securities. [b] Includes £25,000 0*s.* 0*d.*, Government Securities. [c] Includes £227,504 11*s.* 0*d.*, Government Securities. [d] Includes £227,719 18*s.* 8*d.*, Government Securities.
[e] Includes £227,407 12*s.* 6*d.*, Government Securities.

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BANKS.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

AVERAGE OF THE FOUR QUARTERS OF THE YEAR.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Banks in Tasmania furnishing Returns pursuant to Act of Parliament	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
LIABILITIES.										
Notes in circulation	£ 103,271 2 8	£ 106,817 4 11	£ 120,176 13 1	£ 137,821 16 9	£ 148,099 1 2	£ 149,379 16 2	£ 160,379 0 4	£ 161,1[illegible] 4 3 5	£ 146,537 16 2	£ 145,000 18 1
Bills in circulation	11,108 9 1	10,311 18 4	12,405 3 6	13,660 17 2	19,125 10 11	16,836 9 1	26,656 16 11	29,69 19 2	18,344 7 6	12,270 17 8
Balances due to other Banks	2997 18 5	16,515 9 6	38,909 0 0	4738 11 6	..	1551 0 8	..	..	14,127 4 11	18,178 7 5
Deposits	3,083,055 11 0	2,969,298 18 8	2,941,307 17 7	3,016,060 0 10	3,194,475 16 7	3,187,831 14 6	3,457,678 1 5	3,34,798 50	3,521,466 17 5	3,884,148 15 8
TOTALS	3,200,433 1 2	3,102,943 11 5	3,112,798 14 2	3,172,281 6 3	3,361,700 8 8	3,355,599 0 5	3,644,713 18 8	3,825,650 8 5	3,700,476 6 0	4,059,598 18 10
ASSETS.										
Specie and Bullion	759,888 11 2	781,520 11 10	781,279 19 8	645,437 5 11	613,607 14 4	578,617 4 11	629,117 1 6	758,299 12 1	746,464 14 4	709,368 3 7
Landed Property	114,614 1 6	114,869 2 11	123,164 19 8	126,354 14 4	118,296 5 3	122,250 5 7	118,818 13 6	114,077 10 3	108,355 11 7	104,329 6 5
Balances due from other Banks	71,691 19 11	50,105 2 3	30,648 17 3	124,807 12 11	249,489 16 7	119,721 11 8	322,622 5 4	180,693 4 4	49,895 0 3	156,616 2 9
Debts due to Banks*	2,300,709 12 1	2,287,834 10 9	2,392,007 5 4	2,418,893 15 11	2,393,878 9 10	2,461,321 10 6	2,368,496 6 8	2,534,818 3 7	2,672,001 10 6	2,593,758 0 10
TOTALS	3,246,904 4 8	3,234,329 7 9	3,327,101 1 11	3,315,493 9 1	3,375,272 6 0	3,281,910 12 8	3,439,054 7 0	3,587,888 10 3	3,576,716 16 8	3,564,071 13 7

* Including Notes, Bills of Exchange, Stock, and Funded Debts.

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SAVINGS BANKS.—Joint Stock Companies.

RETURN showing the Assets *and* Liabilities *of the* Savings Banks *in the State, for the Year* 1905-6.

WHERE SITUATED.	ASSETS.							LIABILITIES.				Total Amount received from Depositors during the Half-year.	Total Amount of Repayments to Depositors during the Half-year.
	Amount lent on Mortgage.	Amount lent on Debentures.	Cash deposited in other Banks, and on hand.*	Interest due on Loans, &c.	Insurance due on Loans, &c.	Bank Premises.	Total.	Amount to Credit of Depositors.	Amount to Credit of Reserve Fund.	Amount to Credit of Profit and Loss and Suspense Account.	Total.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Half-year to 31 August, 1905													
Hobart	130,747 6 3	251,000 0 0	162,777 10 1	4237 15 2	8 3 3	1200 0 0	549,970 14 9	486,481 16 5	51,900 0 0	11,588 18 4	549,970 14 9	133,309 5 2	131,328 10 7
Launceston	213,770 0 0	88,080 0 0	97,987 14 8	5122 17 0	...	6500 0 0	411,460 11 8	372,165 8 11	29,000 0 0	10,295 2 9	411,460 11 8	115,701 12 4	110,108 5 6
Totals	344,517 6 3	339,080 0 0	260,765 4 9	9360 12 2	8 3 3	7700 0 0	961,431 6 5	858,647 5 4	80,900 0 0	21,884 1 1	961,431 6 5	249,010 17 6	241,436 16 1
Half-year to 28 February, 1906.													
Hobart	130,957 6 3	251,000 0 0	172,133 2 5	4055 5 9	16 0 5	1200 0 0	569,361 14 10	495,327 14 8	51,900 0 0	12,134 0 2	559,361 14 10	125,990 10 9	117,144 12 6
Launceston	218,970 0 0	91,080 0 0	99,995 15 8	5752 18 1	...	6500 0 0	422,298 13 9	382,084 3 6	29,500 0 0	10,714 10 3	422,298 13 9	112,766 18 0	102,848 3 5
Totals	349,927 6 3	342,080 0 0	272,128 18 1	9808 3 10	16 0 5	7700 0 0	981,660 8 7	877,411 18 2	81,400 0 0	22,848 10 5	981,660 8 7	238,767 8 9	219,992 15 11

	* Fixed Deposits. £ s. d.	At Call. £ s. d.
Hobart	137,000 0 0	25,777 10 1
Launceston	90,000 0 0	7957 14 8
	£227,000 0 0	£33,765 4 9

	* Fixed Deposits. £ s. d.	At Call. £ s. d.
Hobart	137,000 0 0	25,777 10 11
Launceston	92,400 0 0	7595 15 8
	£229,400 0 0	£33,373 6 7

NUMBER OF ACCOUNTS.

Place and Period.	No. on Books with Balances (not including such as consisted of Interest only) of					Opened During Half-year.	Closed During Half-year.
	Above £100.	From £50 to £100.	From £10 to £50.	Under £10.	Total.		
Half-year to 31 August, 1905.							
Hobart	1895	1469	3606	9106	16,076	1000	837
Launceston	1384	1114	2862	11,845	17,205	879	534
	3279	2583	6468	20,951	33,281	1879	1371
Half-year to 28 Feb., 1906.							
Hobart	1958	1491	3453	9225	16,217	963	822
Launceston	1457	1154	2861	11,997	17,469	676	412
	3415	2645	6404	21,222	33,686	1639	1234

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SAVINGS' BANK.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

DATE.	NUMBER OF ACCOUNTS.				AMOUNT TO CREDIT OF DEPOSITORS.				AVERAGE AMOUNT OF DEPOSITORS' BALANCES.			
	Hobart.[a]	*Launceston.*[a]	*Post Office.*[b]	TOTAL.	*Hobart.*[a]	*Launceston.*[a]	*Post Office.*[b]	TOTAL.	*Hobart.*[a]	*Launceston.*[a]	*Post Office.*[b]	*All.*
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896–7.....	12,685	11,942	8176	32,803	332,713 18 11	224,136 10 1	133,889 8 2	690,739 17 2	26 4 7	18 15 5	16 7 6	21 1 2
1897–8.....	12,883	12,472	9163	34,518	342,025 8 2	233,872 10 1	155,750 6 6	731,648 4 9	26 10 11	18 14 10	16 19 11	21 5 8
1898–9.....	13,079	12,933	10.607	36,619	355,363 3 3	245,784 2 3	186,978 9 8	788,125 15 2	27 3 5	19 0 1	17 12 7	21 10 5
1899–1900	13,653	13,560	12,710	39.923	390.783 11 1	275,902 19 7	248,375 12 10	915,062 3 6	28 13 2	20 6 11	19 10 10	22 18 5
1900–1901	14,307	14,194	14,008	42,509	412,945 6 5	301,849 13 8	294,302 18 2	1,009,097 18 3	28 18 4	21 5 3	21 0 2	23 14 9
1901–2.....	14,729	14,917	14,881	44,527	442,035 19 1	316,424 11 3	333,576 1 10	1,092,036 12 2	30 0 3	21 4 2	22 8 4	24 5 6
1902–3.....	15,047	15,668	15,736	46,451	466,139 13 1	349,522 4 8	378,236 19 1	1,193,898 16 10	30 19 7	22 6 2	24 0 9	25 14 0
1903–4.....	15,491	16,254	16,159	47,904	483,924 16 1	364,222 12 7	401,253 4 2	1,249,400 12 10	31 4 10	22 8 2	24 16 7	26 1 8
1904–5.....	15,913	16,860	16,665	49,438	484,501 1 10	366,572 2 1	412,611 10 0	1,263,684 13 1	30 8 11	21 14 9	24 15 1	25 11 0
1905–6.....	16,217	17,469	17,045	50,731	495,327 14 8	382,084 3 6	455,380 1 1	1,332,791 19 3	30 10 1	21 11 8	26 14 4	26 5 6

[a] Financial year ends on the last day of February. [b] Financial year ends on 31st December.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns published and furnished by Secretary General Post Office.]

STATE SAVINGS' BANKS.

PERIOD.	ACCOUNTS.			DEPOSITS. (Including Interest.)				REPAYMENTS.				Balance to Credit of Depositors.		
	Opened.	Closed.	Remaining open.	No.	Amount.			No.	Amount.					
					£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1896 ...	3302	1911	8176	20,241	86,547	12	3	7339	67,652	15	1	133,889	8	2
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1897 ...	3578	2591	9163	21,151	106,665	16	2	9211	84,804	17	10	155,750	6	6
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1898 ...	4517	3073	10,607	24,853	134,308	6	5	10,736	103,080	3	3	186,978	9	8
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1899 ...	5804	3701	12,710	32,751	185,532	10	5	12,687	124,135	7	3	248,375	12	10
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1900 ...	5748	4450	14,008	36,067	215,918	8	8	15,779	169,991	3	4	294,302	18	2
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1901 ...	5180	4307	14,881	35,079	219,265	5	11	16,087	179,992	2	3	333,576	1	10
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1902 ...	4689	3834	15,736	35,241	232,756	15	2	16,368	188,095	17	11	378,236	19	1
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1903 ...	4466	4041	16,159	34,604	241,309	15	7	17,972	218.293	10	6	401,253	4	2
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1904 ...	4362	3855	16,665	34,539	229,126	15	6	17,743	217,768	9	8	412,611	10	0
1 Jan. to 31 Dec., 1905 ...	4509	4129	17,045	35,908	265,078	6	8	18,467	222,669	15	7	455,380	1	1

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Manager State Savings' Bank.]

PROPERTY VALUATION.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Municipalities, Hobart and Launceston	Rural Municipalities and Town Boards.	Police Districts.	TOTALS.
	£	£	£	£
1896	306,383	376,660	294,343	977,387
1897	301,014	373,435	300,083	974,532
1898	300,983	369,539	316,715	987,237
1899	304,193	493,332†	196,969	994,494
1900	300,035	537,045	257,053	1,088,133
1901	302,247	534,893	175,827	1,012,967
1902	305,401	531,281	186,523	1.023,205
1903	312,000	575,347	204,276	1,091,623
1904	*327,383	*483,736	295,989	1,107,108
1905	*339,642	*593,739	235,717	1,137,098

* For details, *vide* PART : FINANCE—LOCAL GOVERNMENT. † Including from this year Town Boards.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Statements based upon the Municipal and Police Valuation Rolls.]

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

RETURN of Transactions registered at the Registry of Deeds during the Year 1905.

	Number.	Value.
		£
Conveyances	722	429,219
Settlements	1	...
Disentailing Assurance Deeds	1	...
Mortgages	593	307,330
Transfers of Mortgages	69	40,004
Judgments	20	...
Receipts, Reconveyances, Surrenders, and Certificates of Satisfaction	324	150,995
Leases	3	457
Assignments of Leases	5	7130
Appointments of New Trustees	12	...
Certificates of Appointment of Trustee in Bankruptcy	3	...
Orders of Supreme Court	15	...
Declarations of Trust	...	...
Disclaimers by Trustees	9	...
Awards	2	...
Powers of Attorney	174	...
Deposits of Deeds	20	...
Wills	131	...
Letters of Administration	14	...
Office Copies	29	...
Decrees	...	...
Lis Pendens	1	...
Agreements	4	...
Searches	905	...

PHILIP S. SEAGER, *Registrar of Deeds.*

MORTGAGES REGISTERED.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR	UNDER OLD SYSTEM.		UNDER "REAL PROPERTY ACT."		TOTAL.	
	No.	*Amount.*	*No.*	*Amount.*	*No.*	*Amount.*
		£		£		£
1896	400	250,852	540	217,241	940	468,093
1897	339	204,643	617	211,831	956	416,474
1898	446	293,222	694	261,326	1140	554,548
1899	463	256,360	742	294,496	1205	550,856
1900	482	256,360	793	250,630	1275	506,990
1901	559	277,392	919	319,579	1478	596,971
1902	538	382,473	940	395,215	1478	777,688
1903	748	469,972	1069	535,083	1817	1,005,055
1904	672	348,810	1173	493,940	1845	842,750
1905	593	307,330	991	363,566	1584	700,896

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Registrar of Deeds and Recorder of Titles.]

BILLS OF SALE.

RETURN showing the Number of Bills of Sale and Renewals of Bills of Sale registered during the Year 1905, *and the Amount secured.*

Deed.	Number.	Amount secured.
		£ s. d.
Bills of Sale	144	30,030 6 11
Renewals	138	37,475 8 6
Settlements, &c.	4	*
TOTAL	286	£67,505 15 5

* Value of Settlements not determined.

PHILIP S. SEAGER, *Registrar.*

BILLS OF SALE—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Bills of Sale.	Renewals.	Amount secured.
			£
1896	77	137	145,779
1897	102	142	70,232
1898	101	114	170,236
1899	126	120	74,529
1900	119	113	139,821
1901	111	110	62,113
1902	91	115	158,147
1903	148	107	66,544
1904	157	135	117,625
1905	144	138	67,506

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Registrar.]

GRANT DEEDS.

RETURN of the Number of Grant Deeds enrolled in the Supreme Court of Tasmania during the Year 1905.

Number of Deeds 2

The enrolment in the Supreme Court of Grant Deeds under "The Real Property Act" ceased from the 8th December, 1886.

PHILIP S. SEAGER, *Registrar.*

GRANT DEEDS ENROLLED.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	*Number*	*Year.*	*Number.*
1896	6	1901	2
1897	7	1902	2
1898	1	1903	2
1899	1	1904	2
1900	—	1905	2

[Decennial Returns compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Registrar Supreme Court.]

LANDS' TITLES OFFICE.

RETURN of Transactions registered at the Lands' Titles Office during the Year ending 31st Dec., 1905.

DESCRIPTION OF TRANSACTION.	NUMBER.	VALUE.	AREA. *Town and Suburbs.*	AREA. *Country.*
		£	A. R. P.	A. R P.
Applications for Certificates of Title and Grants	51	40,177 0 0	58 1 9	1880 1 9
Grants registered under "Real Property Act, No. 2" (in duplicate)	456	22,824 0 0	960 3 25	14,562 0 2
Transfers	1243	319,778 0 0	1211 3 2	74,481 0 2
Mortgages	991	363,566 0 0	1362 2 20	84,433 2 11
Mortgages transferred	103	27,954 0 0	98 3 28	21,713 3 35
Mortgages extended	13	...	...	...
Mortgages discharged	779	196,102 0 0	1660 1 0	72,705 1 31
Mortgages partially discharged	103	12,231 0 0	95 1 10	5846 1 26
Leases	46	4352 0 0	12 0 16	7104 3 4
Leases transferred	6	...	...	...
Leases surrendered	9	...	...	...
Encumbrances	2	...	...	...
Encumbrances discharged	4	...	...	...
Annuities	1	...	...	...
Annuities discharged	1	...	...	...
Entry of death of Annuitant or Life Tenant	5	...	...	...
Applications on death of Deceased Proprietor	125	141,375 0 0	344 0 21	12,030 0 10
Transmissions by death or bankruptcy	172	...	...	...
Entry of Writs of *Fi. Fa.*, Warrants of Execution, and Caveats	98	...	...	...
Foreclosure Orders	3	..	...	...
Entries of Marriage of Proprietor	15	...	...	...
Powers of Attorney	136	...	...	...
Estates in Remainder	5	...	...	...
Decree or Order of Supreme Court	6	...	...	...
Applications to dispense with the production of Grants, Certificates of Title, and Mortgages	6	...	...	...
Certificates of Title (in duplicate)	1319	...	...	...
Ditto by endorsement (in duplicate)	344	...	...	...
Provisional Certificates	1	...	...	...
Proclamations under Lands Vesting Act, 58 Vict., No. 17	100	...	...	...
Vesting Orders where Vendor absent, &c., from State	1	...	...	...
Transfer of Easement	5	...	...	...
Merger of Easement	1	...	...	...
Application to be registered as Proprietor by Liquidator	2	...	...	...
Surrender of Easement	1	...	...	...
TOTAL	6053	1,128,359 0 0	5804 1 2	294,757 2 10

Number of Memorials registered, 11,608. Number of Searches made (exclusive of those for Government Departments), 626.
Number of Commissioners' Meetings held, 47. Number of Applications dealt with by Commissioners, 213.

JAMES WHYTE, *Recorder of Titles.*

LANDS' TITLES OFFICE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

RETURN of Transactions registered at the Lands' Titles Office.

YEAR.	NUMBER.	VALUE.	AREA. *Town & Suburbs.*	AREA. *Country.*
		£	ACRES.	ACRES.
1896	3485	679,954	2176	223,622
1897	3858	705,475	2855	211,176
1898	4237	758,623	4817	281,494
1899	4570	985,512	4738	239,739
1900	5015	816,362	5641	183,561
1901	5354	907,343	4501	283,581
1902	6176	1,217,700	4880	340,852
1903	6703	1,601,345	6648	372,156
1904	6372	1,195,273	5059	436,965
1905	6053	1,128,359	5804	294,757

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CROWN LANDS (GENERAL).

RETURN of the Number of Acres in the State; also the Number of Acres granted or sold, or held under Pastoral Leases, Occupation Licences and Timber Leases, up to 31st December, 1905.

Number of Acres in the State.	Number of Acres granted or sold up to the end of the Year 1905.	Held under Pastoral Leases, Occupation Licences, and Timber Leases, up to the end of the Year 1905.	Area.	Rental.
			Acres.	£ s. d.
16,778,000	5,338,953	Islands	89,003	880 7 0
		Ordinary Leased Land	1,082,851	5853 19 4
		Land Leased for Timber	87,932	880 0 0
		TOTAL	1,259,786	7614 6 4

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RETURN of the Number of Country Lots of Crown Lands and Town and Suburban Allotments sold during the Year 1905; also the Quantity sold, the amount of Sale, and the Average Price per acre.

COUNTRY LANDS.				TOWN AND SUBURBAN ALLOTMENTS.			
Number of Lots.	Area.	Amount of Sale.	Average Price per Acre.	Number of Lots.	Area.	Amount of Sale.	Average Price per Acre.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		Acres.	£ s	£ s. d.
1273	168,749a. 2r. 2p.	99,932 1 8	0 11 10	200	1383a. 3r. 27p.	5951 10	4 9 10½

E. A. COUNSEL, *Secretary for Lands.*

RETURN of the Number of Acres rented from the Crown during the Year 1905.

Number of Acres—135,791. Amount of Rental—£883 15*s.* 6*d.*

E. A. COUNSEL, *Secretary for Lands.*

RETURN of Town Allotments sold during the Year 1905.

Town.	*No. of Lots.*	*Area.*	*Purchase Money.*	*Town.*	*No. of Lots.*	*Area.*	*Purchase Money.*
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.			A. R. P.	£ s d.
Alberton	5	11 1 26	115 0 0	Marlborough	1	33 3 18	34 0 0
Altamont	5	176 2 32	235 0 0	Molesworth	1	28 0 36	37 6 8
Branxholm	5	20 2 7	149 0 0	New Town	4	1 0 2½	346 13 4
Beaconsfield	9	29 3 35	173 0 0	New Norfolk	1	10 0 0	20 0 0
Bridport	1	52 2 34	137 6 8	Orford	1	1 0 0	4 0 0
Brabazon	1	9 3 15	20 0 0	Oonah	1	29 1 34	86 13 4
Buckland	1	9 2 36	40 0 0	Pioneer	5	1 1 5	69 0 0
Castra	1	30 0 0	100 0 0	Pagunta	2	10 1 1	31 13 4
Crawford	2	15 0 36	62 13 4	Patersonia	1	10 0 22	26 13 4
Cleveland	5	120 1 2	207 0 0	Pillinger	1	0 0 36	13 6 8
Cornwall	2	0 1 38	26 13 4	Premaydena	3	72 2 28	101 0 0
Copping	1	1 2 0	20 0 0	Queenstown	1	0 1 0	26 13 4
Derby	12	44 2 36	155 6 8	Riana	1	18 3 21	56 0 0
Douglas	1	8 3 17	36 0 0	Summerleas	3	62 3 25	88 0 0
Elizabeth Town	1	5 3 39	12 0 0	Swanston	4	73 3 38	61 0 0
Exeter	1	22 0 8	33 0 0	Scottsdale	1	1 3 2	168 0 0
Frankford	1	15 2 33	32 0 0	Strahan	1	0 1 2	10 0 0
Gladstone	5	5 0 4	97 0 0	Smithton	3	1 1 17	37 13 4
Gordon	1	1 0 5	25 0 0	Somerset	3	19 0 25	149 0 0
George Town	1	4 1 20	24 0 0	Tullah	4	0 3 4	88 0 0
Gormanston	1	0 1 0	26 13 4	Tarleton	1	8 0 27	25 6 8
Geeveston	1	11 3 19	49 6 8	Triabunna	3	20 1 12	93 6 8
Heybridge	3	20 1 10	68 0 0	Underwood	1	0 1 0	0 2 10
Hythe	1	0 0 13	3 10 0	Upper Woodstock	2	23 3 11	30 0 0
Hobart	2	0 0 15½	300 0 0	Ulverstone	4	3 1 37	133 6 8
Havelock	1	0 2 12	5 0 0	Victoria	3	22 0 1	170 13 4
Ilfracombe	2	20 0 0	50 0 0	Woodbrigge	1	30 0 20	40 0 0
Kettering	2	15 3 32	46 13 4	Weldborough	14	52 2 33	245 6 8
Lefroy	1	0 1 0	13 6 8	Wiangata	1	0 1 0	13 6 8
Lovett	4	10 2 19	55 0 0	Wellington	14	3 3 38	575 13 4
Leonardsburgh	1	48 2 0	65 6 8	Woodside	2	21 3 34	58 13 4
Lymington	2	49 1 24	72 0 0	Wynyard	2	2 0 0	42 13 4
Launceston	5	25 2 32	284 0 0	Waratah	1	0 1 0	13 6 8
Lottah	8	11 3 15	111 16 8	Williamsford	2	0 2 15	30 13 4
Lienna	1	1 0 5	20 0 0	Welsh	2	10 1 11	25 0 0
Mathinna	8	2 1 32	105 0 0				
Medwin	1	1 0 30	21 6 8	TOTALS	200	1383 3 27	5951 10 0

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CROWN LANDS (GENERAL).—*continued.*

RETURN showing Quantity of Country Land sold in 1903, 1904, 1905.

	1903.		1904.		1905.	
	Area.	Purchase Money.	Area.	Purchase Money.	Area.	Purchase Money.
	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£
First class	63,640	88,368	60,653	81,297	32,272	45,049
Second class	7147	5928	15,238	9966	27,300	18,564
Third class	16,286	7775	56,738	19,806	109,177	36,319
TOTAL	87,073	102,071	132,629	111,069	168,749	99,932

RETURN of Country Lands sold during the Year 1905.

County.	Under 50 Acres.		50 Acres and under 100 Acres.		100 Acres and under 500 Acres.		500 Acres and over.	
	No. of Lots.	Area.	No. of Lots.	Area.	No. of Lots.	Area.	No. of Lots.	Area.
		A. R. P.		A. R. P.		A. R. P.		A. R. P.
Buckingham	70	2054 1 33	56	4214 3 30	34	5690 1 12	3	2254 1 32
Cumberland	1	49 3 18	6	457 3 30	27	4852 3 39	13	10,345 1 25
Cornwall	27	889 0 7	7	566 2 35	9	2497 1 38	...	...
Devon	83	2760 0 19	51	3820 1 28	51	8975 3 21	5	4088 3 35
Dorset	139	3482 0 13	73	5674 2 37	79	14,775 2 32	6	4581 2 14
Flinders	12	343 3 35	3	209 3 10	...	...	...	...
Glamorgan	2	69 1 17	3	254 3 8	5	1505 2 32	3	2789 3 24
Kent	14	491 0 2	22	1518 3 21	8	1120 3 29	...	...
King Island	...	...	2	122 1 16	1	155 1 35	...	...
Lincoln	2	35 0 20	4	275 1 16	9	2351 1 10	2	1305 0 0
Monmouth	10	297 2 4	17	1271 3 4	8	1690 3 7	...	...
Montagu	2	35 0 0	2	100 0 0	2	467 3 21	...	...
Pembroke	22	681 1 37	32	2528 2 0	64	14,689 1 1	22	17,338 3 36
Russell	1	23 1 3	8	893 2 31	2	200 0 0	...	...
Somerset	...	...	...	...	7	1276 1 0	5	3283 1 0
Wellington	73	2822 3 6	63	4450 3 17	65	10,379 1 36	6	5353 0 31
Westmorland	6	253 2 31	5	408 1 28	16	3431 2 31	3	2289 2 23
TOTAL	464	14,288 3 5	354	26,769 0 31	387	74,061 0 24	68	53,630 1 20

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DECENNIAL RETURN.—GENERAL.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Receipts from all sources £	47,209	53,533	60,205	55,860	55,804	57,303	66,140	73,086	57,406	61,248
Receipts from Deposits and Instalments, Crown Lands Acts (Selection) £	21,827	21,335	21,516	20,086	18,115	22,804	25,273	26,537	26,955	27,559
Receipts from other Sales of Crown Lands £	8460	14,508	13,501	15,597	17,530	13,069	16,194	15,078	13,604	14,838
Rent of Crown Land for Pastoral & other purposes £	4365	4787	5295	5725	7328	7041	8868	8325	7514	6863
Rent of Government Property £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1170	1027	1100
Fees for Licences, Grant Deeds, &c. £	1269	1904	1560	2089	2746	4156	4342	4664	4674	4568
Survey Fees £	11,288	10,999	18,333	12,363	10,087	10,233	11,463	17,312	3632	6322
Area of Country Lands sold acres	16,026	24,519	20,071	32,050	39,435	62,073	64,474	87,073	132,629	168,750
Area of Town and Suburban Lots sold acres	384	592	558	840	928	636	663	1577	1225	1384
Area of Land selected under "Immigration Act" ac.	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	180	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*	*Nil.*
Area of Land leased for Pastoral purposes acres	241,587	258,861	242,613	216,634	428,969	285,160	182,339	177,347	124,020	135,791
Number of Applications for Selection and Purchase	1009	2037	1702	1663	1784	1946	2679	2973	4200	3129
Number of Grant Deeds issued	432	606	629	635	748	680	783	627	540	466

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CROWN LANDS (GENERAL)—*continued.*

LAND SALES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	NUMBER OF LOTS.			AREA OF LAND SOLD.			AMOUNT FOR WHICH SOLD.			AVERAGE PRICE PER ACRE.	
	Country.	*Town and Suburban.*	TOTAL.	*Country.*	*Town and Suburban Lots.*	TOTAL.	*Country.*	*Town and Suburban Lots.*	TOTAL.	*Of Country Lots.*	*Of Town and Suburban Lots.*
				acres.	acres.	acres.	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896	325	226	551	16,026	384	16,410	20,997	8227	29,223	1 6 2¼	21 9 6½
1897	432	848	1280	24,518	592	25,110	30,486	22,719	52,205	1 4 8½	38 7 6
1898	363	667	1030	20,071	558	20,629	24,445	26,677	51,122	1 4 5½	47 15 9
1899	558	915	1473	32,050	840	32,890	40,815	27,579	68,394	1 5 5½	32 16 7
1900	669	777	1446	39,615	928	40,543	48,960	29,521	78,481	1 4 9¾	31 16 2¾
1901	743	276	1019	62,073	636	62,709	72,058	8070	80,128	1 3 2½	12 13 9
1902	774	180	954	64,473	666	65,136	73,614	3793	77,317	1 2 10	5 14 1
1903	1169	219	1388	87,073	1576	88,649	102,071	6219	108,290	1 3 5¼	3 18 10¾
1904	1175	241	1416	132,629	1225	133,854	111,069	9846	120,915	0 16 9	8 0 9
1905	1273	200	1473	168,749	1383	170,132	99,932	5951	105,883	0 11 10	4 9 11

CROWN LANDS (AURIFEROUS).

RETURN showing the Number of Gold Leases applied for and granted during the Year 1905, *and in force on the* 31*st December*, 1905.

Number applied for	81
Area	884A.
Number granted	42
Area	543A.
Number in force at the end of the year	195
Area	2087A.
Annual Rental	£2061

RETURN showing the Amount of Rent and Fees, &c., under "The Mining Act,' received during the Year 1905.

	£ s. d.
Survey Fees	5507 19 6
Rents of Auriferous and Mineral Lands	18,404 13 5
Fees, ditto, ditto	1804 3 7
TOTAL	£25,716 16 6

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CROWN LANDS (AURIFEROUS)—*continued.*

DECENNIAL RETURN showing the Amount of Fees, &c., received for the Period 1896 *to* 1905 *inclusive.*

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Miners' Rights	...	*	*	*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Business Licences	...	*	*	*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Claims under Miners' Rights	...	*	*	*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Survey Fees	7789 8 9	746 0 0	1226 6 0	763 1 0	589 19 9	693 7 10	321 16 0	3093 2 4	2854 1 5	5507 19 6
Rents, Leases (Deposits, &c.)	22,089 1 4	5352 15 11	5633 12 1	6714 4 10	5209 14 4	4030 3 3	3612 1 9	16,420 18 11	15,436 12 11	18,404 13 5
Miscellaneous	3341 18 11	605 6 2	810 1 6	625 8 6	513 10 0	284 2 6	189 15 0	1396 12 9	1194 15 3	1804 3 7
TOTAL	33,420 9 0	6704 2 1	7669 19 7	8102 14 4	6313 4 1	5007 13 7	4123 12 9	20,910 14 0	19,485 9 7	25,716 16 6

*Included in Miscellaneous.

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CROWN LANDS (AURIFEROUS)—*continued.*

RETURN of the Number of Leases in force on the 31st December, 1905, for the purpose of Mining for Minerals and Metals other than Gold, of the Area of the Land leased, and of the Amount of Rental.

Description of Mineral.	No. of Leases.	Area.	Rental.
		Acres.	£ s. d.
Silver	158	8157	1843 0 0
Tin	611	16,774	4343 10 0
Copper	37	8157	444 5 0
Coal	32	5142	470 10 0
Shale	4	1040	Reward.
Precious Stones	1	80	Reward.
Limestone	5	386	36 2 6
Asbestos	3	162	40 10 0
Phosphate of Lime	1	3	Reward.
Iron	11	529	112 5 0
Marble	1	317	Reward.
Wolfram	8	387	96 15 0
Slate	1	200	25 0 0
Lithographic Stone	1	97	Reward.
Nickel	6	180	25 0 0
All Minerals	109	6199	2442 5 0
TOTAL	989	41,510	£9879 2 6

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CROWN LANDS (VARIOUS MINERALS).

RETURN of the Number of Leases granted, and of the Area and Nominal Rental, under "The Mining Act," during the Year 1905.

Description of Mineral.	No.	Area.	Rental.
		acres.	£ s. d.
Tin	148	4258	1064 10 0
Silver	12	871	217 15 0
Copper	11	566	120 0 0
Coal	4	741	92 12 6
Wolfram	8	447	111 15 0
Nickel	1	77	19 5 0
All Minerals	34	1461	365 5 0
TOTAL	218	8421	1991 2 6

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CROWN LANDS (VARIOUS MINERALS)—*continued.*

MINERAL LEASES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

RETURN of Leases granted, and Amount of Nominal Rental under "The Mineral Lands Act" and "Gold Fields Regulation Act."

Description of Mineral.	1896.			1897.			1898.			1899.			1900.			1901.			1902.			1903.			1904.			1905.		
	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental	Granted.		Amount of Rental.	Granted.		Amount of Rental.
	No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.		No.	Area.	
		a. r.	£ s.		a.	£ s.		acres.	£ s.		acres.	£ s.		acres.	£ s.		acres.	£ s.		acres.	£ s. d.		acres.	£ s. d.		acres.	£ s. d.		acres.	£ s. d.
Iron	2	30 0	7 10	...	...	...	5	274	68 10	4	130	32 10	6	161	40 5	5	268	42 0	4	185	46 5 0	3	109	27 5 0	2	15	3 15 0	...	...	...
Tin	46	858 0	214 10	39	1274	318 10	57	1808	452 0	126	4712	1178 0	280	8351	2024 15	141	3474	868 10	137	3415	821 5 0	130	4208	1052 0 0	179	5315	1308 15 0	148	4258	1064 10 0
Copper	23	1410 0	352 10	27	1873	468 5	51	3223	805 15	72	4072	1018 0	69	3757	919 5	31	2052	408 0	18	1029	257 5 0	11	641	160 5 0	13	754	188 10 0	11	566	120 0 0
Antimony	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Asbestos	...	...	...	4	298	74 10	1	18	4 10	...	...	...	1	53	13 5	5	300	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	162	40 10 0	...	...	...
Slate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coal	1	20 0	2 10	...	...	...	7	627	78 8	2	110	13 15	10	840	310 0	2	418	52 5	16	3495	381 15 0	10	1917	239 12 6	10	1706	213 5 0	4	741	92 12 6
Shale	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	1087	135 17 6	4	760	95 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clay and Freestone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	20	2 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Freestone	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Flux & Iron	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Limestone	2	110 0	13 15	...	..	...	5	437	54 12	4	303	25 18	1	80	10 0	1	10	1 5	3	100	12 10 0	2	358	44 15 0	1	3	†	...	...	...
Lithostone	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	5 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Graphite	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	100	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Galena	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bismuth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	40	†...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gossan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver	345	19,962 0	4990 10	231	11,166	2791 10	149	7977	1994 5	60	3812	953 0	43	2627	656 15	12	721	140 5	15	822	205 10 0	10	405	101 5 0	4	193	48 5 0	12	871	217 15 0
Marble	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nickel	...	...	...	2	120	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	40	10 0 0	5	200	30 0 0	1	77	19 5 0
Red Ochre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wolfram	...	...	...	1	80	†	...	...	...	6	300	55 0	1	40	10 0	10	493	123 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	5 0 0	8	447	111 15 0
All Minerals	...	...	...	208	14,141	3535 5	410	25,409	6352 5	397	23,349	5837 5	201	10,744	2686 0	166	9282	2300 10	48	2345	506 5 0	59	2842	710 10 0	45	2791	697 15 0	34	1461	365 0 0
Gold	321	2970 0	2970 0	284	3386	3386 0	299	2588	2588 0	203	1878	1878 0	118	1121	1121 0	117	1067	1067 0	156	1454	1454 0 0	67	647	647 0 0	71	700	700 0 0	42	543	543 0 0
TOTAL	740	25,360 0	8551 5	796	32,338	10,604 0	985	42,381	12,403 5	877	38,786	11,018 18	731	27,774	7691 5	491	18,125	5043 0	406	13,932	3820 12 6	297	11,918	3087 12 6	334	11,859	3235 15 0	260	8964	2534 2 6

* Irrespective of land taken up under Miners' Rights. † Reward.

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CROWN LANDS (VARIOUS MINERALS)—*continued.*

RETURN of the Number of Leases in force on the 31st December each Year, for the purpose of Mining for Metals and Minerals, of the Area of the Land leased, and of the Amount of Rental, for the Period 1895-1904, *inclusive.*

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Iron—										
No. of Leases	5	4	9	9	14	11	14	15	12	11
Area acres	217	248	585	528	609	540	715	704	534	529
Rental £	34	42	106	132	112	90	134	131	114	112
Ironstone—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin—										
No. of Leases	232	205	223	293	441	400	433	444	528	611
Area acres	8059	7520	7837	10,584	14,544	11,704	12,020	12,029	15,430	16,774
Rental £	1783	1709	1787	2513	3427	2721	2793	2803	3918	4343
Coal—										
No. of Leases	31	22	22	28	29	24	32	32	34	32
Area acres	3890	3412	3571	3681	3781	4057	5292	6030	5503	5142
Rental £	368	268	252	265	302	337	529	587	521	471
Clay—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	1†	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Slate—										
No. of Leases	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1
Area acres	360	...	...	...	...	200	200	200	200	200
Rental £	45	...	...	...	...	25	25	25	*	25
Limestone—										
No. of Leases	6	5	8	11	12	9	13	11	5	5
Area acres	662	580	710	1147	1187	1029	1298	682	386	386
Rental £	18	33	25	119	85	65	98	61	36	36
Bismuth—										
No. of Leases	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...
Area acres	80	...	...	...	...	40	40	40	...	...
Rental £	20	...	...	...	...	*	*	*	...	...
Copper—										
No. of Leases	10	54	71	102	102	71	60	58	34	37
Area acres	545	3063	4136	5865	4610	4218	3576	3358	1822	1857
Rental £	56	645	810	1322	928	765	684	674	390	444
Phosphate of Lime—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	*	*
Freestone—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Galena—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gossan—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wolfram—										
No. of Leases	1	2	2	7	8	8	5	2	1	8
Area acres	80	160	160	400	440	393	280	80	20	387
Rental £	20	20	*	*80	70	58	30	*	5	97
Gold—										
No. of Leases	504	486	544	513	420	343	291	243	222	195
Area acres	4778	5094	5896	5693	4854	3394	3024	2505	2268	2087
Rental £	4778	5094	5896	5693	4854	3394	3024	2505	1998	2061
Silver—										
No. of Leases	522	441	374	282	229	208	179	169	164	158
Area acres	28,902	24,179	20,173	14,607	12,158	10,875	9199	8621	8392	8157
Rental £	6873	5781	4717	3348	2679	2359	2028	1879	1852	1843
Shale—										
No. of Leases	3	1	3	3	3	3	13	9	4	4
Area acres	800	320	800	800	800	800	1940	2100	1040	1040
Rental £	*	*	*	*	*	*	142	132	*	*
Precious Stones—										
No. of Leases	1	1	1	1	1	1		1	1	1
Area acres	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80	80
Rental £	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Lithographic Stone—										
No. of Leases	2	2	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Area acres	417	417	...	97	97	97	97	97	97	97
Rental £	*	*	...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

CROWN LANDS (VARIOUS MINERALS)—*continued.*

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Graphite—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	100	100	20	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	25	25	5	...	...	...	...
Asbestos—										
No. of Leases	...	4	4	5	6	2	2	2	4	3
Area acres	...	218	298	316	369	140	140	140	232	162
Rental £	...	54	75	79	92	*	*	*	40	40
Cinnabar—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mineral Paint—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nickel—										
No. of Leases	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	6
Area acres	212	200	...	...	...	...	...	40	180	180
Rental £	13	10	...	...	...	...	...	10	25	25
Flux and Iron—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Marble—										
No. of Leases	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	1
Area acres	317	...	317	317	317	317	317	317	...	317
Rental £	79	...	*	*	*	*	*	*	...	*
Red Ochre—										
No. of Leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Area acres	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rental £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
All other Minerals—										
No. of Leases	...	211	312	367	317	216	161	132	118	109
Area acres	...	12,178	19,197	20,009	16,445	12,458	9474	7926	7134	6199
Rental £	...	3045	4799	5002	4111	3095	2349	1962	2675	2442
TOTAL—										
No. of Leases	1323	1441	1575	1626	1586	1301	1205	1123	1137	1184
Area acres	49,239	57,669	63,600	64,244	60,391	50,362	47,692	44,949	43,638	43,597
Rental £	14,087	16,701	18,476	18,584	16,685	12,914	11,836	10,769	11,604	11,940

* Reward. † Clay and Freestone.

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RETURN of Machinery Site Leases issued, and of the Nominal Rental under "The Mining Act, 1900," *during the Year* 1905.

No. of Machinery Sites—3. Area—10 acres. Rental—£2 10*s*.

RETURN of the Number of Water Rights granted, the Number of Sluice-heads, and the Nominal Rental, under "The Mining Act, 1900," *during the Year* 1905.

No. of Water Rights—41. No. of Sluice-heads—102. Rental—£102.

RETURN of Number of Dredging Claims granted, the area, and Nominal Rental, under "The Mining Act, 1900," *during the Year* 1905.

No. of Dredging Claims, 8. Area, 302 acres. Rental—£75 10*s*.

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RETURN showing the Number of Men killed or injured in Mining Accidents during the Year 1905.

	Killed.	Injured.	Total.
Europeans	7	30	37
Chinese	...	...	...
TOTAL	7	30	37

W. H. TWELVETREES.

DIAMOND DRILLS.

These Drills were not used during the year.

W. H. TWELVETREES, *Government Geologist.*

AGRICULTURE, &c.—

RETURN showing the Number of Acres of Land in Crop and under

	DISTRICTS—MUNICIPAL OR POLICE.	AGRICULTURE.																			HORTICULTURE.			
		GRAIN, PULSE, &c.										ROOT CROPS.						FORAGE.						
		Wheat.	English Barley.	Cape Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Pease.	Beans.	Tares.	Maize.	Flax.	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Sugar Beet.	Onions.	Grasses (Seed).	Green Fodder.	Hay.	Hops.	Other Crops.	Gardens.	Orchards.
		acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	a.	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	a.	a.	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
N.E. DIVISION.	1. Evandale	2956	1169	83	1573	6	244	..	..	2	2	104	84	1	59	..	1	95	53	2989	..	30	41	47
	2. Fingal	982	132	28	344	16	90	8	..	..	..	185	64	1	18	..	..	37	216	1817	2	29	64	95
	3. George Town	98	2	18	266	7	245	..	..	..	..	180	40	2	11	..	..	28	21	853	..	10	25	255
	4. Selby	615	210	..	1919	24	477	5	..	8	1	637	66	10	76	..	6	163	211	3620	..	16	84	652
	5. Launceston	12	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	29	..	..	5	..	..	..	21	134	..	..	112	42
	6. Portland	10	..	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	69	15	..	1	..	..	5	5	419	..	..	1	132
	7. Ringarooma	95		17	525	4	172	5	..	..	65	671	126	41	72	..	1	167	62	2997	..	9	51	273
	8. Westbury	7768	1351	329	4984	27	1411	33	57	..	..	1535	233	23	204	..	5	1090	216	8039	..	21	62	261
	9. Flinders Island	5	19	..	79	..	42	..	..	1	..	75	8	..	2	..	..	7	7	92	..	..	20	..
	Total N.E. Division	12,541	2884	475	9691	84	2701	51	57	11	68	3485	636	78	448	..	13	1592	812	20,962	2	115	460	1757
N.W. DIV.	10. Deloraine	2749	119	6	5647	6	3423	..	3	1	2	2430	439	..	4	..	..	617	81	3841	9	10	95	180
	11. Emu Bay	305	21	104	1275	4	439	1	1	7	36	3692	160	7	2	..	3	1258	191	2733	..	29	46	132
	12. Latrobe	1190	54	..	2667	3	297	3	..	.	5	2354	32	..	80	..	3	4	21	1698	..	..	34	179
	13. Mersey	2177	9	11	6396	2	1358	4	1	3	1	5038	109	8	143	..	2	28	4	2353	14	15	58	211
	14. West Devon	986	3	36	7406	4	638	2	3	3	1	6539	193	17	93	..	21	282	364	2678	..	4	20	316
	15. Russell	269	24	51	506	7	357	3	..	3	..	1896	273	1	6	..	1	21	102	1380	..	..	18	89
	16. King Island	1	..	3	..	..	21	..	..	..	..	12	182	..	..	..	..	642	..	662	..	..	6	3
	Total N.W. Division	7677	230	211	23,897	26	6533	13	8	17	45	21,961	1388	33	328	..	30	2852	763	15,345	23	58	277	1110
MID. DIVISION.	17. Bothwell	478	..	..	110	125	10	4	..	..	2	51	10	..	10	..	..	..	87	1217	..	259	20	20
	18. Campbell Town	263	..	19	362	16	..	..	..	..	..	13	2	..	31	..	..	33	247	720	..	20	31	24
	19. Green Ponds	1052	57	15	392	29	105	2	1	..	2	205	9	1	23	..	1	13	143	1137	..	64	15	283
	20. Hamilton	263	..	5	176	4	263	..	..	1	..	145	144	..	11	..	..	17	272	1083	244	1	41	139
	21. Longford	11,209	563	78	2666	8	293	..	..	..	..	241	2	..	99	1	2	114	239	6541	..	22	144	121
	22. South Longford	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
	23. Oatlands	1012	10	42	2503	139	385	..	5	.	2	509	408	2	24	1	1	170	426	2725	1	39	77	21
	24. Ross	125	3	22	123	..	2	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	6	..	..	..	15	397	..	..	16	7
	Total Midland Division	14,404	633	181	6332	321	1060	6	6	2	6	1168	575	3	204	2	4	347	1429	13,824	245	405	344	615
S.E. DIVISION.	25. Brighton	1093	17	35	373	14	156	3	..	3	..	129	3	3	31	..	2	..	383	2450	..	20	42	941
	26. Carnarvon	15	2	7	65	3	49	14	3	16	..	88	45	1	10	..	..	17	56	205	..	6	7	251
	27. Clarence	1029	17	15	183	1	112	2	..	8	..	156	..	20	60		16	2	89	1828	12	32	118	841
	28. Glamorgan	442	55	29	169	..	54	24	8	4	..	61	19	2	55	..	2	5	166	567	..	..	18	104
	29. Glenorchy	133	..	..	121	4	131	..	1	3	..	139	11	11	43	..	4	17	45	713	33	34	64	1257
	30. Hobart	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..		3	..	..	..	13	2	..	5	6	11
	31. New Town	..	..	..	10	4	..	..	..	4	..	20	1	4	20	..	4	..	44	276	..	..	94	661
	32. Queenborough	..	..		..	..	15	1	..	3	..	42	5	5	3	..	1	..	37	126	..	33	61	212
	33. Kingborough	46	8	6	72	1	102	1	2	4	..	203	36	3	6	..	..	282	28	447	..	65	16	1309
	34. New Norfolk	739	31	38	190	..	207	3	2	1	..	312	45	2	86	..	1	2	114	2107	516	3	91	1592
	35. Richmond	1615	227	127	753	40	349	15	2	7	..	283	21	7	22	..	12	117	551	2040	..	59	18	300
	36. Sorell	1464	53	73	715	7	523	6	6	16	1	140	20	5	61	1	..	60	225	2518	..	38	10	246
	37. Spring Bay	80	3	13	172	5	47	2	2	..	..	56	16	4	15	..	..	..	1	407	.	..	6	281
	Total S.E. Division	6656	413	343	2823	79	1745	71	26	69	1	1631	222	67	415	1	42	502	1752	13,686	561	295	551	8006
S.W. DIV.	38. Franklin (Huon)	41	2	..	33	1	47	4	1	..	1	376	137	..	3	..	..	8	26	532	..	7	133	5030
	39. Macquarie	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	3	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	13	1
	Total S.W. Division	41	2	..	33	1	47	4	1	..	1	389	140	1	3	..	1	8	27	533	..	7	146	5031
	GRAND TOTAL	41,319	4162	1210	42,776	511	12,086	145	98	99	121	28,634	2961	182	1398	3	90	5301	4783	64,350	831	880	1778	16,519

TOTAL LAND IN CROP, 230,237 acres. Area of Orchard Land devoted to apples, &c not supplied for Evandale, Launceston, Deloraine, King Island figures partly

ACREAGE.

Cultivation in the State of Tasmania for the Year ending 1st March, 1906.

GENERAL LAND CULTIVATION.			TOTAL LAND OCCUPIED FOR AGRICULTURAL AND PASTORAL PURPOSES.	ORCHARD, LAND DEVOTED TO										PARTICULARS OF LAND.					
Land in permanent Artificially sown Grasses.	Land under bare Fallow.	All other Lands used for Grazing, &c.		Apples.	Pears.	Apricots.	Plums.	Cherries.	Peaches.	Raspberries.	Gooseberries.	Strawberries.	Currants.	Freehold.	Leased.	Share System.	Other.	Total Land.	New Land broken up during period.
acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
5634	4197	167,507	186,877	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	114,263	67,659	4195	760	186,877	46
4253	349	218,282	227,012	70	2	1	3	2	1	..	2	..	..	138,032	64,870	495	23,615	227,012	67
1085	109	128,313	131,568	187	18	10	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	41,324	21,315	..	68,929	131,568	130
17,944	1433	157,319	185,498	505	37	6	6	1	2	11	..	..	1	115,933	49,566	..	19,999	185,498	131
342	2	1075	1788	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	842	856	..	90	1788	..
7236	..	67,025	74,925	122	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,592	5758	..	55,575	74,925	..
57,095	134	149,566	212,149	179	7	2	4	4	..	..	4	..	..	91,458	15,973	759	103,959	212,149	123
11,698	5810	105,416	150,573	64	28	3	18	4	..	1	1	..	12	69,315	79,458	..	1800	150,573	199
1744	..	59,588	61,689	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6745	1207	325	53,412	61,689	..
107,031	12,034	1,054,091	1,232,079	1131	92	22	34	12	4	12	7	..	13	591,504	306,662	5774	328,139	1,232,079	696
13,672	1758	139,213	174,305	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	89,095	56,088	75	29,047	174,305	612
84,507	292	150,474	245,719	192	70	3	56	33	4	14	43	..	2	104,590	133,778	2404	4947	245,719	572
5391	228	28,889	43,132	154	38	2	18	6	3	11	9	2	7	30,709	9143	..	3220	43,132	24
36,446	201	47,103	101,695	189	81	44	67	76	34	45	55	25	55	62,017	29,111	30	10,537	101,695	304
43,908	335	29,848	93,700	41	7	..	3	9	..	1	1	..	1	54,860	25,294	678	12,868	93,700	262
22,269	237	86,412	113,925	80	41	26	39	20	15	15	7	1	4	39,125	27,103	..	47,697	113,925	3
35,562	..	67,106	104,200	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	192,894	151	1155	..	104,200	2300
241,755	3051	549,045	876,676	656	237	75	183	144	56	86	115	28	69	483,350	280,668	4342	108,316	876,676	4077
618	281	272,853	276,155	15	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	152,360	97,249	15	26,531	276,155	49
899	691	239,951	243,322	32	24	29	32	22	6	13	22	2	19	150,724	75,413	756	16,429	243,322	..
791	1027	73,003	78,370	250	2	1	..	1	..	10	1	..	9	61,127	14,793	1250	1200	78,370	58
2080	208	359,594	364,691	137	2	..	2	3	..	1	1	..	14	240,178	51,465	5600	67,448	364,691	9
4195	10,158	155,209	191,905	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	117,935	72,970	..	1000	191,905	280
30	..	272,052	272,090	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	71,190	77,504	..	123,396	272,090	..
9387	458	312,277	330,624	3	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	..	5	228,382	99,741	468	2033	330,624	245
875	220	160,314	162,130	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	96,676	61,450	..	4004	162,130	50
18,875	13,043	1,845,253	1,919,287	437	28	31	36	28	6	24	26	2	52	1,118,572	550,585	8089	242,041	1,919,287	691
515	1460	74,782	82,455	834	40	62	8	6	..	3	1	..	41	51,039	25,116	6300	..	82,455	91
4934	34	27,051	32,879	230	20	1	..	1	..	..		..	..	14,226	5761	..	12,892	32,879	16
1235	1181	49,099	56,056	290	31	109	17	1	12	1	5	..	..	38,025	17,629	402	..	56,056	48
547	211	141,685	144,227	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	89,121	20,895	..	34,211	144,227	21
385	390	12,319	15,858	836	71	187	111	18	48	62	75	24	171	13,360	2260	..	238	15,858	3*
..	..	..	42	8	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	14	28	..	..	42	..
396	40	3478	5056	582	406	391	445	138	218	136	333	28	308	2831	2218	7	..	5056	..
363	5	12,957	13,869	66	45	2	3	..	..	7	4	5	6	10,242	3627	..	..	13,869	..
3084	115	62,921	6875	7866	73	10	14	4	3	246	37	37	93	50,046	8199	164	10,348	68,757	7
3303	564	81,171	91,210	1447	83	45	37	18	7	226	..	15	162	79,344	8357	1147	2362	91,210	66
2634	2057	93,462	104,718	241	7	3	3	1	..	1	1	..	3	58,693	31,014	4540	10,471	104,718	114
5781	857	87,849	100,675	224	44	51	50	54	37	23	39	15	37	53,577	41,256	493	5349	100,675	18
369	68	170,909	172,456	229	40	..	2	6	..	..	..	..	..	55,972	78,566	..	37,918	172,456	83
23,636	6982	877,683	888,258	5853	861	862	691	247	325	705	497	124	821	516,490	244,926	13,053	113,789	888,258	563
13,342	107	61,594	81,425	4376	191	1	19	5	3	275	10	2	79	65,863	4882	50	10,630	81,425	45
14	..	9147	9195	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	404	40	..	8751	9195	9
13,356	107	70,741	90,620	4376	191	1	19	5	3	275	10	2	79	66,267	4922	50	19,380	90,620	54
404,653	35,217	4,336,813	5,006,920	12,453	1409	991	963	436	394	1102	655	156	1034	2,776,183	1,387,763	31,308	811,666	5,006,920	6081

estimated.
Longford, Glamorgan. These, however, are not important fruitgrowing centres.

AGRICULTURE.—ACREAGE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

ACRES.

Year.	Agriculture.														Horticulture.			General Land Cultivation.					New Land broken up during the year.
	Grain, Pulse, &c.							Root Crops.					Forage.										
	Wheat.	*Barley.*	*Oats.*	*Peas.*	*Beans.*	*Tares.*	*Flax.*	*Turnips*	*Potatoes.*	*Carrots*	*Mangel Wurzel.*	*Onions.*	*Artificially sown Grasses, (Seed.)*	*Hay*	*In Green Forage.*	*Gardens and Orchards.*	*Hops.*	*Other Crops.*	*Total Land in Crop.*	*In Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.*	*Under Bare Fallow.*	*All other Cultivated Land. (Grazing.)*	*Total Land under Cultivation.*	
1896-7....	74,516	3988	44,768	12,743	415	137	37	3945	21,651	153	1377	115	2302	47,798	1938	11,753	599	1294	229,529	253,306	24,795	3,475,954	3,933,584	3734
1897-8....	85,905	4097	38,166	9771	159	51	16	3106	22,357	225	1536	123	3638	57,828	1946	11,695	542	648	242,241	226,095	31,199	3,688,932	4,188,467	8994
1898-9....	85,287	5693	59,509	10,086	143	54	35	4857	20,241	194	1540	151	4759	49,277	1972	12,277	533	1934	258,542	238,799	34,926	3,816,163	4,348,430	4808
1899-00 ..	64,328	7606	45,110	13,179	158	60	32	3350	26,951	152	1244	115	1841	42,492	3091	13,172	651	1594	225,126	288,777	29,665	3,943,939	4,487,507	3145
1900-01 ..	51,825	4502	45,073	9824	119	77	51	4743	23,068	318	1403	83	2302	61,541	3749	13,001	624	2126	224,352	306,180	29,619	4,372,885	4,933,036	3571
1901-02 ..	44,084	6104	54,089	11,156	149	140	32	4341	25,444	212	1483	136	3961	61,495	4082	13,231	599	1026	232,550	314,422	26,712	4,502,324	5,076,008	3791
1902-03 ..	40,898	8281	55,058	11,146	181	105	28	4596	34,625	181	1447	145	3879	66,038	3355	14,568	665	1077	246,923	319,090	29,316	4,471,914	5,067,243	6197
1903-04 ..	49,414	8084	60,663	11,694	212	122	20	4564	29,160	261	1421	107	5364	66,947	3100	15,819	639	1908	259,611	343,284	38,267	4,565,858	5,207,020	5881
1904-05 ..	43,019	7646	43,690	15,194	327	129	81	4674	25,948	169	1382	64	4687	55,545	4117	17,220	729	1535	226,228	378,346	34,636	4,490,721	5,129,931	5323
1905-06 ..	41,319	5372	42,776	12,086	145	98	121	2961	28,634	182	1398	90	5301	64,350	4783	18,297	831	1492	230,237	404,653	35,217	4,336,813	5,006,920	6081

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AGRICULTURE.—GROSS PRODUCE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	AGRICULTURE.														HORTICULTURE.		
	GRAIN, PULSE, &c.							ROOT CROPS.					FORAGE.				
	Wheat.	*Barley.*	*Oats.*	*Pease.*	*Beans.*	*Tares.*	*Linseed.*	*Turnips.*	*Potatoes.*	*Carrots.*	*Mangel Wurzel.*	*Onions.*	*Artificially sown Grasses, (Seed.)*	*Hay.*	*Hops.*	*Apples.*	*Pears.*
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	lbs.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bushels.	tons.	lbs.	bushels.	bushels.
1896-7	1,286,330	74,790	971,996	—	—	—	—	—	72,241	—	—	—	—	44,344	596,772	—	31,510
1897-8	1,668,341	69,992	1,102,285	141,073	2814	745	7300	29,307	49,124	2242	15,421	539	61,500	78,849	774,514	407,750	—
1898-9	2,303,512	184,225	2,271,070	215,975	3004	1249	18,910	58,653	88,166	2708	29,758	746	109,628	82,448	601,496	363,915	33,738
1899-1900	1,101,303	142,721	1,148,160	221,839	3808	914	11,675	29,052	101,670	1793	16,735	632	28,735	51,123	589,793	643,209	34,629
1900-1901	1,110,421	116,911	1,406,913	215,078	2388	1686	20,200	38,731	93,862	4396	23,719	492	41,251	94,198	696,679	551,251	59,480
1901-1902	963,662	167,485	1,702,659	260,576	3692	3167	13,800	35,692	114,704	2112	24,627	1066	88,125	109,383	650,940	843,348	50,212
1902-1903	876,971	201,133	1,752,745	220,476	3744	1846	19,100	47,916	163,518	2621	24,681	797	61,123	89,210	808,903	665,723	49,114
1903-1904	767,398	212,459	1,621,950	249,609	5341	2363	12,140	62,720	171,298	4743	24,743	621	89,131	115,513	864,604	977,362	76,631
1904-1905	792,956	163,194	1,178,819	317,766	7718	2062	34,817	48,921	110,547	2930	24,418	348	83,386	73,457	911,686	1,071,015	74,882
1905-1906	776,478	92,664	1,200,024	217,421	2766	1806	51,000	23,332	64,606	1814	16,467	337	87,822	90,077	988,332	669,009	42,999

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AGRICULTURE—GROSS PRODUCE.

RETURN showing the Gross Produce of each description of Crop in the State of Tasmania for the Season 1905–1906.

	DISTRICTS—MUNICIPAL OR POLICE.	AGRICULTURE.																HORTICULTURE.					
		GRAIN, PULSE, &c.									ROOT CROPS.					FORAGE.							
		Wheat.	English Barley.	Cape Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Pease.	Beans.	Tares.	Linseed.	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Onions.	Artificially sown Grasses. (Seed.)	Hay.	Hops.	Apples.	Pears.	Other Fruits.		
		bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	lbs.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bushels.	tons.	lbs.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	bushels.	lbs.
N.E. Division.	Evandale	62,076	24,549	1826	44,044	156	4392	...	...	2400	270	336	14	590	...	950	4035	...	35	43	50	...	...
	Fingal	22,386	3960	840	10,664	320	1620	160	...	...	666	764	...	270	...	629	2725	...	2447	289	5	469	75
	George Town	1568	24	360	7182	84	3430	...	...	...	252	160	12	220	...	700	853	...	4027	485	...	447	1259
	Selby	12,300	252	...	46,056	248	8586	75	...	...	1274	528	60	608	...	3586	4569	...	13,512	675	6	1242	14,140
	Launceston	240	...	...	...	...	252	...	...	...	58	...	...	40	...	...	174	...	432	445	3	429	...
	Portland	100	...	...	38	...	192	...	...	...	483	105	...	20	...	70	3896	...	...	...	...	...	...*
	Ringarooma	2660	10	340	20,450	60	5504	190	...	18,000	2081	504	575	1224	4	1938	5994	...	22,252	167	...	82	723
	Westbury	147,592	18,915	9870	114,432	459	25,398	561	1140	...	3070	1864	230	1632	...	16,350	8923	...	2858	598	...	514	20,890
	Flinders Island	140	90	3002	1260	...	...	...	...	...	255	32	...	34	...	98	104	...	35	1	...	85	200
	Total N.E. Division	249,062	47,800	16,238	244,126	1327	49,374	986	1140	20,400	8409	4293	891	4638	4	24,321	31,273	...	45,598	2703	64	3268	37,287
N.W. Division.	Deloraine	49,482	952	210	129,781	144	58,191	...	15	...	5346	3512	...	48	...	9255	4609	960	2475	129	5	104	16,418
	Emu Bay	9150	630	2288	52,275	88	9658	...	...	21,600	6645	800	70	28	15	17,354	5466	...	3789	568	5	40	736
	Latrobe	33,320	1296	...	80,010	48	5940	45	...	3000	7378	256	...	1200	15	88	3396	...	4316	358	...	34	18,863
	Mersey	56,602	90	242	217,044	44	17,654	60	...	600	12,087	872	80	1859	10	868	4706	...	4055	489	8	997	12,748
	West Devon	22,678	30	792	266,616	88	16,950	30	60	600	11,770	1544	170	651	105	5640	4365	...	4033	700	1	1216	1950
	Russell	8187	240	462	18,216	154	8925	45	...	...	3412	2184	...	42	5	420	2249	...	1614	436	2	579	813
	King Island	...	...	60	...	...	620	...	...	...	21	1456	...	...	...	12,840	417	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total N.W. Division	179,419	3238	4054	763,942	566	117,938	180	75	25,800	46,659	10,624	320	3828	150	46,465	25,208	960	20,282	2680	21	2970	51,528
Mid. Division.	Bothwell	5458	...	...	2750	1625	100	48	...	1200	107	300	...	120	...	...	974	...	...	...	...	...	1120
	Campbell Town	5786	...	475	10,860	208	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	310	...	693	1080	...	1351	127	1	165	2050
	Green Ponds	19,998	858	300	11,348	377	365	30	...	1200	512	81	...	230	5	234	1512	...	4072	440	24	85	...
	Hamilton	3682	...	160	4928	40	1841	...	...	...	261	1728	...	77	...	2720	1083	117,120	1560	308	7	24	2328
	Longford	212,971	11,260	78	66,650	136	5567	...	...	...	457	16	...	1188	10	1140	6541	...	1372	297	10	61	1880
	South Longford	22	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Oatlands	15,182	200	840	20,044	2224	4620	...	145	1200	1679	2856	...	96	...	3740	2997	1200	28	...	...	208	...
	Ross	2750	60	440	2829	...	24	...	...	...	4	...	...	102	...	...	397	...	...	...	...	...	...*
	Total Mid. Division	265,849	12,378	2293	119,409	4610	13,537	78	145	3600	3066	4981	...	2123	15	8527	14,588	118,320	8383	1172	42	543	7378

S.E. Division.	Brighton	18,581	306	1050	8479	182	1716	45	...	...	322	27	21	341	10	...	3062	...	22,596	1541	11	2564	...
	Carnarvon	370	40	175	1560	45	833	280	51	...	264	630	20	120	...	323	328	...	...	...	...	...	...*
	Clarence	16,464	340	420	4392	15	1792	20	...	...	296	...	100	300	48	30	2559	10,800	13,769	2276	1	1490	9220
	Glamorgan	1326	1100	986	6422	...	1350	480	126	...	109	570	40	900	6	75	964	...	1356	272	2	19	15,120
	Glenorchy	2793	...	...	4840	56	3144	...	35	...	319	154	176	774	16	272	856	60,000	18,957	1222	230	11,485	63,340
	Hobart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	54	...	...	2	...	415	55	50	425	...
	New Town	...	...	...	280	56	...	...	...	.	60	7	40	360	20	...	358	...	7373	1924	189	181	...
	Queenborough	...	...	...	...	...	225	10	...	...	126	35	50	54	5	30	163	...	3855	1612	27	3096	3070
	Kingborough	782	168	126	1872	15	2346	15	20	...	730	216	24	48	...	4230	581	...	34,279	3884	472	3038	12,695
	New Norfolk	10,346	341	1140	5130	...	3726	30	32	...	1092	450	14	2064	...	20	2528	798,252	45,776	2215	427	2562	784
	Richmond	6460	5222	4445	17,319	600	3490	90	32	...	1047	168	49	286	60	1989	2448	...	3993	190	...	...	...
	Sorell	23,324	1272	2555	17,875	112	7322	60	60	600	448	120	40	427	...	1380	3525	...	3670	211	...	525	3492
	Spring Bay	800	41	234	3784	60	611	22	30	...	123	80	24	135	...	...	569	...	719	40	...	...	...
	Total S.E. Division	81,246	8830	11,131	71,953	1141	26,555	1052	386	600	4942	2457	598	5863	165	8349	17,943	869,052	156,758	15,442	1409	25,385	107,721
S.W. Div.	Franklin (Huon)	902	80	...	594	...	17	470	60	600	1504	959	..	15	...	160	1064	...	437,988	21,001	476	2166	3846
	Macquarie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	18	5	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total S.W. Division	902	80	...	594	...	17	470	60	660	1530	977	5	15	3	160	1065	...	437,988	21,001	476	2166	3846
	Grand Totals	776,478	59,948	33,716	1,200,024	7644	207,421	2766	1806	51,000	64,606	23,332	1814	16,467	337	87,822	90,077	988,332	669,009	42,999	2012	34,332	207,760

* No yield of fruit returned for these districts.

RETURN of estimated Yields per Acre of the various Crops for Season 1905–1906.

DISTRICTS—MUNICIPAL OR POLICE.	AGRICULTURE.																	HORTICULTURE.
	GRAIN PULSE, &c.									ROOT CROPS.					FORAGE.			
	Wheat.	Barley, English.	Barley, Cape.	Oats.	Rye.	Pease.	Beans.	Tares.	Flax (Linseed).	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Onions.	Grasses (Seed).	Green Fodder.	Hay.	Hops.
	Bushels.								*lbs.*	*Tons.*					*Bus.*	*Tons.*		*lbs.*
N.E. DIVISION.																		
Evandale	21	21	22	28	26	18	...	...	1200	2·4	4	14	10	...	10	...	1·35	...
Fingal	23	30	30	31	20	18	20	...	...	3·6	11	...	15	...	17	12	1·50	...
George Town	16	12	20	27	12	14	...	...	...	1·4	4	6	20	...	25	...	1·00	...
Selby	20	12	20	24	12	18	15	...	...	2·0	8	6	8	...	22	...	1·30	...
Launceston	20	...	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	2·0	...	...	8	...	...	...	1·30	...
Portland	10	...	...	38	...	32	...	...	...	7·0	7	...	20	...	14	...	1·30	...
Ringarooma	28	10	20	38	15	32	38	...	1200	3·4	4	14	17	4	14	20	2·00	...
Westbury	19	14	30	23	17	18	17	20	...	2·1	8	10	8	...	15	4	1·11	...
Flinders Island	28	10	...	38	...	30	...	...	...	3·4	4	...	17	...	14	...	2·00	...
N.W. DIV.																		
Deloraine	18	8	35	23	24	17	...	5	300	2·2	8	...	12	5	15	...	1·20	480
Emu Bay	30	30	22	41	22	22	...	...	600	1·8	5	10	14	5	13	10	2·00	...
Latrobe	28	24	...	30	16	20	15	...	600	2·2	8	...	15	...	22	...	2·00	...
Mersey	26	10	22	34	22	13	15	...	600	2·4	8	10	13	5	31	2	1·77	480
West Devon	23	10	22	36	22	25	15	20	...	1·8	8	10	7	5	20	...	1·63	...
Russell	23	10	22	36	22	25	15	...	...	1·8	8	...	7	5	20	...	1·63	...
King Island	...	...	30	...	...	20	...	...	...	1·8	8	...	...	...	20	...	1·63	...
MID. DIVISION.																		
Bothwell	11	...	...	25	13	10	12	...	600	2·1	30	...	12	...	...	2	0·80	...
Campbell Town	22	...	25	30	13	...	...	...	...	2·0	...	...	10	...	21	...	1·50	...
Green Ponds	19	15	20	29	13	13	15	...	600	2·5	9	...	10	5	18	...	1·33	...
Hamilton	14	...	32	28	10	7	...	...	...	1·8	12	3	7	...	10	...	1·00	480
Longford	19	20	31	25	17	19	...	...	...	1·9	8	...	12	5	10	4	1·00	...
South Longford	11	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oatlands	15	20	20	28	16	12	...	25	600	3·3	7	...	4	...	22	10	1·10	...
Ross	22	20	20	23	...	12	...	...	...	1·0	...	...	17	...	...	...	1·00	...
S.E. DIVISION.																		
Brighton	17	18	30	23	13	11	15	...	...	2·5	9	7	11	5	6	...	1·25	...
Carnarvon	18	20	25	24	15	17	20	17	...	3·0	14	20	12	...	19	10	1·60	...
Clarence	16	20	28	24	15	16	10	...	...	1·9	...	5	5	3	15	3	1·40	900
Glamorgan	23	20	34	38	...	25	20	17	1200	1·8	30	20	20	4	15	...	1·70	...
Glenorchy	21	...	...	40	14	24	40	35	...	2·3	14	16	18	4	16	...	1·00	1875
Hobart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·0	...	...	18	...	...	...	1·00	...
New Town	...	...	...	25	...	14	...	...	...	3·0	7	10	18	5	...	...	1·30	...
Queenborough	...	...	...	...	...	15	10	...	...	3·0	7	10	15	5	15	...	1·30	...
Kingborough	17	21	21	26	15	23	15	...	...	3·6	6	8	8	..	15	4	1·30	...
New Norfolk	14	11	30	27	45	18	10	16	...	3·5	10	7	24	5	10	16	1·20	1547
Richmond	14	23	35	23	15	10	6	16	...	3·7	8	7	13	5	17	...	1·20	...
Sorell	16	24	35	25	16	14	10	18	600	3·2	6	8	7	1	23	12	1·40	...
Spring Bay	10	14	18	22	12	13	11	15	...	2·2	5	6	9	...	...	...	1·40	...
S.W. DIV.																		
Franklin (Huon)	12	...	40	18	...	17	10	15	...	4·0	7	...	5	...	20	...	2·00	...
Macquarie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2·0	6	5	...	3	...	...	1·00	...
ALL TASMANIA	18·79	14·40	27·86	28·05	14·96	17·16	19·00	18·61	421·00	2·25	7·88	10·00	11·87	3·74	16·56	8·00	1·40	1147·88

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Yield Returns supplied by leading growers of the several Districts.]

AGRICULTURE.—AVERAGE PRODUCE PER ACRE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	AGRICULTURE.														HORTICULTURE.
	GRAIN, PULSE, &c.							ROOT CROPS.					FORAGE, &c.		
	Wheat.	*Barley.*	*Oats.*	*Pease.*	*Beans.*	*Tares.*	*Linseed.*	*Turnips.*	*Potatoes.*	*Carrots.*	*Mangel Wurzel.*	*Onions.*	*Artificially Sown Grasses (Seed).*	*Hay.*	*Hops.*
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	lbs.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bushels	tons.	lbs.
1896–7..	17·34	18·78	21·79	—	—	—	—	—	3·33	—	—	—	—	0·92	996·27
1897–8..	19·42	17·08	28·88	14·43	18·00	—	—	9·71	2·19	9·96	10·04	4·38	—	1·36	1429·60
1898–9..	27·00	32·36	38·17	21·41	21·00	23·13	540·25	2·08	4·35	13·96	19·32	4·94	23·04	1·67	1128·50
1899–0..	17·12	18·76	25·45	16·08	24·10	15·02	575·00	18·67	3·78	11·80	13·45	5·49	15·60	1·20	906·00
1900–1..	21·43	25·97	31·21	21·89	20·07	21·89	396·08	8·17	4·07	13·82	16·91	5·93	17·92	1·53	1116·00
1901–2	21·00	27·00	31·00	23·00	25·00	22·00	431·00	8·00	4·5	10·00	16·00	8·00	22·00	1·77	1087·00
1902–3..	21·44	24·26	31·83	19·78	20·68	17·58	700·00	10·43	4·72	14·45	17·00	5·50	15·77	1·35	1217·00
1903–4..	15·53	26·31	26·73	21·34	25·30	19·36	607·00	13·74	5·87	18·17	17·41	5·80	16·61	1·93	1353·06
1904–5 ..	18·40	21·34	26·98	20·90	23·60	15·98	430·00	10·47	4·21	17·45	17·66	5·42	17·80	1·34	1250·00
1905–6..	18·79	17·45	28·05	17·16	19·00	18·61	421·00	7·88	2·25	10·00	11·87	3·74	16·56	1·40	1147·88

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AGRICULTURE—PRICES OF PRODUCE.

RETURN showing the Prices of Agricultural Produce in the different Districts of Tasmania on the 1st March, 1906.

	DISTRICTS—MUNICIPAL OR POLICE.	AGRICULTURE.																HORTICULTURE.*		
		GRAIN, PULSE, &c.								ROOT CROPS.					FORAGE, &c.					
		Wheat.	Barley. English.	Barley. Cape.	Oats.	Rye.	Pease.	Beans.	Tares.	Linseed.	Turnips.	Potatoes.	Carrots.	Mangel Wurzel.	Onions.	Artificially sown Grass (Seed).	Hay.	Hops.	Apples.	Pears.
		per bush.	per bush.	per bush.	per bush.	per bush.	per bush.	per bush	per bush.	per lb.	per ton.	per ton.	per ton.	per ton.	per ton.	per bush.	per ton.	per lb.	per bush.	per bush.
		s. d.	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	£ *s.*	£ *s.*	£ *s.*	£ *s.*		*s. d.*	£ *s.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*
N.E. Division.	Evandale	3/2 - 3/4	4/2-4/3	2/6 - 4/	2/6 - 3/	..	3/6 - 4/6	..	..	..	..	6*l* 10/ - 7*l*	..	..	..	..	2*l* 15/ - 3*l*	..	..	..
	Fingal	3/2 - 3/6	3/ - 3/9	2/9 - 3/6	2/3 - 2/6	4/ - 5/	4/	..	..	..	1*l* - 2*l* 10/	6*l* - 6*l* 12/	..	2*l* - 3*l*	..	5/	3*l* - 4*l*	..	..	..
	George Town	2/10 - 3/2	..	..	2/4 - 2/6	..	3/6 – 4/	..	..	..	4*l* 10/	5*l* - 7*l*	..	..	..	5/	2*l* 12/6 - 3*l*	..	..	..
	Selby	3/3 - 3/9	2/6 - 4/	3/	2/ - 3/	3/6	3/9 - 4/6	..	..	..	..	6*l* - 7*l*	..	1*l*	..	2/6 - 7/6	2*l* 10/ - 3*l* 10/	..	..	..
	Launceston	3/8 - 3/9	3/9	3/6	2/10 - 3/	3/6	4/6	5/	7/	..	1*l* 10/	7*l*	1*l* 10/	..	9*l*	4/ - 8/	2*l* 16/	..	..	..
	Portland	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7*l*	..	1*l*	..	..	3*l*	..	..	..
	Ringarooma	3/6	3/6	4/6	3/ - 3/6	5/	2/6 - 4/6	..	..	..	10/	6*l* - 7*l*	..	..	..	7/ - 8/	2*l* 15/ - 3*l* 10/	..	..	..
	Westbury	3/ - 3/6	4/	..	2/ - 3/	..	3/6 - 5/	..	..	..	10/	5*l* - 7*l*	..	..	..	5/	2*l* 10/ - 4*l*	..	..	..
N.W. Div.	Deloraine	3/1 - 3/7	2/6 - 3/6	..	2/4 - 3/3	5/	3/8 - 4/6	5/	..	1½d	2*l*-3*l*	6*l* - 6*l* 10/	..	..	14*l*	4/ - 5/	2*l* - 3*l*	..	..	..
	Emu Bay	3/3 - 3/10	5/	..	2/3 - 3/6	..	3/9 - 5/	..	..	..	3*l* 10/	6*l* 10/ - 7*l* 10/	..	..	..	6/6 - 8/	3*l* - 4*l*	..	..	..
	Mersey	3/ - 3/3	..	..	2/3 - 2/6	..	3/ - 4/3	..	..	..	3*l*-3*l* 5/	6*l* - 7*l*	..	1*l*	..	..	2*l* 10/ - 3*l* 7/6	..	..	..
	Russell	3/3 - 3/10	5/	..	2/3 - 3/6	..	3/9 - 5/	..	..	..	3*l* 10/	6*l* 10/ - 7*l* 10/	..	..	..	6/6 - 8/	3*l* - 4*l*	..	..	..
	Latrobe	3/ - 3/2	3/3	..	2/ - 2/9	..	3/ - 4/6	..	..	..	3*l*	5*l* 10/ - 7*l*	..	17/6	..	6/	3*l* 5/ - 3*l* 10/	..	..	..
	West Devon	3/2 - 3/7	..	..	2/ - 3/	..	3/ - 4/6	3/6	..	..	..	6*l* - 7*l*	..	..	..	6/6	2*l* 15/ - 3*l* 10/	..	..	..
Mid. Division.	Bothwell	3/2 - 3/9	..	..	2/6	..	..	..	..	..	..	6*l* 12/ - 10*l*	..	1*l*	..	..	3*l* - 3*l* 10/	..	..	..
	Campbell Town	2/6 - 3/6	.	..	2/6 - 3/9		..	..	..	..	..	5*l* - 7*l* 10/	..	..	..	..	2*l* 11/6 - 3*l* 5/	..	..	..
	Green Ponds	3/3 - 3/6	..	..	2/4 - 3/	4/6	..	..	..	..	1*l* 10/	7*l* - 8*l*	..	15/-17/	..	..	2*l* /18 - 4*l*	..	..	..
	Hamilton	3/6	..	..	2/6 - 3/	..	4/6	..	..	..	10/	5*l* - 9/	..	..	..	..	3*l* 15/ - 5*l*	-/11 - 1/	..	..
	Longford	3/ - 3/6	3/6 - 4/	4/	2/6 - 2/10	..	4/ - 4/3	..	..	..	..	6*l* - 7*l*	..	..	..	..	2*l* 10/ - 3*l*	..	..	..
	Oatlands	2/6 - 3/6	.	..	2/6 - 3/	3/10 - 5/	4/ - 4/6	..	8/ - 9/	..	1*l* - -3*l*	4*l* 10/ - 8*l*	..	2*l*	..	4/6	3*l* - 3*l* 10/	..	..	..
	Ross	3/4 - 4/	..	..	2/6 - 3/	..	..	..	..	..	..	6*l* 10/	..	..	.	..	3*l* - 4*l*	.	..	..
S.E. Division.	Brighton	3/4 - 3/6	3/9 - 4/	3/6	2/6 - 3/3	..	3/	..	..	..	..	6*l* - 8*l*	3*l*	1*l* 10/	..	..	2*l* 15/ - 4*l*	..	3/ - 4/	..
	Carnarvon	3/ - 3/9	3/6	3/3	2/6 - 3/	4/	3/6 - 4/6	4/9-5/	9/	..	2*l*	6*l* 10/ - 8*l*	1*l* 15/	15/-1*l* 5/	..	6/	2*l* 10/ - 4*l*	..	..	..
	Clarence	3/4 - 3/6	3/3	3/	2/6 - 2/9	..	3/6 - 4/6	..	..	..	..	7*l* - 8*l*	1*l* 15/	17/6-1*l*5/	5*l* 10/-7/	..	3*l* 10/ - 4*l* 15/	..	..	..
	Glamorgan	3/ - 3/6	3/3 - 3/6	3/	2/6 -3/	..	3/6 - 4/	5/	9/9	..	..	5*l* - 7*l*	..	10/-2*l*	..	..	2*l* 10 - 4*l*	..	..	..
	Glenorchy	3/6	3/6	..	3/	..	..	..	..	..	..	8*l*	..	18/ - 1*l*	..	..	4*l* - 4*l* 10/	..	3/3 - 4/6‖	..
	Hobart, New Town, Queenborough	3/6 - 3/9	3/ - 4/3	3/3 - 3/6	2/ - 3/	3/6 - 4/	4/ - 5/	4/6 - 5/	7/ - 10/	..	2*l*-4*l*	6*l* 10/ - 7*l* 10/	2*l* 10/- 4*l*	1*l* 5/	9*l*	4/	3*l* 10/ - 3*l* 15/	-/10 - 1/3	4/-5/6	3/-7/
	Kingborough	3/ - 3/6	3/9 - 4/	..	2/6 - 3/3	..	4/4 - 6/	..	..	..	2*l* 10/-3*l*	6*l* 15/ - 8*l*	..	1*l* 5/	..	..	3*l* 10/ - 4*l* 5/	..	2/-3/3	..
	New Norfolk	3/6 - 4/	..	3/6	3/ - 3/9	3/	3/ - 4/6	..	..	..	..[10/	5*l* - 8*l*	2*l* 10/	15/ 1*l* 10/	..	..	3*l* 10/ - 4*l* 2/6	1/ - 1/2	2/-3/6	..
	Richmond	3/3 - 4/	4/ - 4/6	..	2/6 - 3/	3/6 - 4/	4/ - 4/6	4/6	..	..	..	6*l* - 7*l*	2*l* 10/	1*l* ½	..	..	3*l* - 4*l* 10/	..	..	..
	Sorell	3/3 - 3/6	3/9 - 4/3	3/9	2/6 - 3/6	7/6	4/ - 4/6	5/6	8/	..	1*l* 10/	7*l*-8*l* 10/	3*l* 5/	1*l*-1*l* 15/	..	2/6 - 4/	2*l* 10/ - 4/	..	..	..
	Spring Bay	3/ - 3/9	4/	2/9 - 4/	2/7 - 4/	3/ - 5/	3/ - 4/8	.3/	5/	..	..	5*l* - 8*l*	..	10/ - 1*l*	..	..	3*l* 5/ - 4*l*	..	..	..
S.W. Div.	Franklin (Huon)	3/3	..	3/3	3/	..	4/6 - 6/	..	..	..	1*l*	7*l* 10/ - 8*l*	..	1*l* 10/	..	..	3*l* - 3*l* 10/	..	3/ - 4/	..

* NOTE.—The average Hobart prices for small Fruit for Jam purposes for season 1905-1906 are as under :—Raspberries, 1½*d.* per lb.; Strawberries, 4*d.* per lb.; Cherries, 1½*d.* per lb.; Blackberries, 1½*d.* per lb.; Apricots, 1*d.* per lb.; Currants, Black, 1¾*d.* per lb.; Currants, Red, 1¾*d.* per lb.; Gooseberries, 2*s.* 6*d.* per bushel; Quinces, 3*s.* per bushel; Plums, Damson, 3*s.* 6*d.* per bushel; Plums, Orlean, 3*s.* per bushel; Plums, Egg, 4*s.* per bushel; Greengages, 4*s.* per bushel; Plums, other, 3*s.* per bushel; Peaches, 5*s.* per bushel. † Hobart market prices also rule. ‖ English Market.

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AGRICULTURE—PRICES OF PRODUCE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

MAXIMUM and Minimum Prices at Hobart and Launceston.

YEAR.	AGRICULTURE.															HORTICULTURE.		
	GRAIN, PULSE, &c.							ROOT CROPS.					FORAGE, &c.					
	Wheat.	*Barley.*	*Oats.*	*Rye.*	*Pease.*	*Beans.*	*Tares.*	*Turnips.*	*Potatoes.*	*Carrots.*	*Mangel Wurzel.*	*Onions.*	*Artificially Sown Grass (Seed).*	*Hay.*	*Hops.*	*Fruit.*	
																Apples.	*Pears.*
	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per bushel.	per ton.	per ton.	per ton.	per ton	per ton.	per bushel.	per ton.	per lb.	per bushel.	per bushel.
1896–7.....	4/8	2/9	2/1	4/	3/3	3/	4/6	30/	130/ to 150/	30/	20/	120/	3/	65/	–/8	2/6 to 3/6	3/6 to 4/
1897–8.....	3/9 to 4/	3 9to 4 6	2/ to 2/6	4/ to 5/	1/6 to 3/9	3/6 to 3/9	5/ to 7/	25/ to 45/	60/	30/ to 60/	20/ to 30/	100/ to 200/	3/3 to 3/6	35/ to 65/	–/10 to 1/	3/6 to 8/	4/ to 5/
1898–9.....	2/ to 2/3	2/9 to 3/9	1/3 to 1/6	2/6 to 3/6	2/3 to 4/	2/ to 3/6	5/ to 6/6	22/6 to 30/	100/ to 140/	15/ to 30/	14/ to 20/	50/ to 80/	2/ to 4/	20/ to 40/	–/10 to 1/	2/6 to 4/	3/ to 3/6
1899–00 ...	2/6 to 2/8	2/ to 2/9	1/10-2/3	2/6 to 3/	2/6 to 2/9	3/ to 3/6	5/6 to 7/	30/ to 35/	25/ to 80/	35/ to 37/6	20/	80/ to 100/	2/6 to 7/	35/ to 70/	–/9	3/6 to 4/6	5/ to 6/
1900–01 ...	2/9 to 3/	2/10 to 3/3	1/9to1/10	3/7 to 4/	1/6 to 3/6	3/3 to 4/	6/ to 7/6	27/ to 35/	40/ to 45/	30/ to 35/	30/	140/ to 200/	3/ to 4/	47/ to 70/	–/8	3/6 to 4/6	4
1901–2.....	3/2 to 4/4	3/ to 4/4	2/9 to 3/	3/9 to 4/6	3/6 to 4/	4/ to 4/6	5/ to 6/6	40/	50/ to 60/	35/ to 40/	30/ to 40/	140/ to 160/	3/6	40/ to 70/	–/11	3/6 to 4/6	4/
1902–3.....	4/ to 5/6	2/6 to 4/6	2/ to 3/6	3/6 to 5/	3/ to 6/	3/ to 6/	3/6 to 7/	15/ to 40/	77/6 to 100/	20/ to 60/	10/ to 40/	50/ to 100/	2/6 to 6/	40/ to 110/	1/2 to 1/7	3/ to 4/6	3/6 to 8/
1903–4.....	2/6 to 3/3	2/6 to 3/3	1/4 to 1/9	3/3 to 3/6	2/7 to 2/9	2/9 to 3/9	5/ to 6/6	20/ to 26/	25/ to 70/	25/ to 35/	15/ to 20/	70/	2/6 to 6/	45/ to 55/	-/11 to 1/3½	3/6 to 4/	4/ to 7/6
1904–5.....	3/ to 3/9	2/9 to 3/6	1/8 to 2/6	3/ to 4/6	2/9 to 3/6	3/9 to 4/6	6/6 to 7/	21/ to 30/	25/ to 45/	25/ to 50/	12/ to 20/	90/ to 300/	3/	50/ to 75/	1/ to 1/4	3/ to 4/6	3/ to 7/
1905–6.....	3/6 to 3/9	3/3 to 3/9	2/ to 3/	3/6 to 4/	4/ to 5/	4/6 to 5/	7/ to 10/	30/ to 40/	130/ to 150/	30/ to 80/	25/	180/	4/ to 8/	56/ to 73/	-/10 to 1/3	4/	5/ to 7/

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AGRICULTURAL MACHINES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	*Steam Engines.*		*Clod Crushers.*	*Chaff Cutters.*			*Cultivators.*	*Corn Crushers.*		*Hay Elevators.*		*Hay Rakes.*	*Horse Hoes, Grubbers, and Scarifiers.*	*Irrigation Works.*		*Lift & Force Pumps.*			*Mowing Machines.*	*Ploughs (Subsoil.)*	*Ploughs (Double-furrow.)*	*Reaping Machines.*	*Reaper and Mower combined.*	*Seed Drills.*	*Sowing Machines.*	*Strippers.*	*Threshing Machines.*		*Reapers & Binders.*	*Cream Separators.*		*Winnowers.*
	No.	H.P.	H.P.	H.P.	S.P.	O.M.	H.P.	H.P.	S.P.	H.P.	O.M.	H.P.	H.P.	H.P.	S.P.	H.P.	S.P.	O.M.	H.P.	H.P.	H.P.	H.P	H.P.	H.P.	H.P.	H.P.	H.P.	S.P.	H.P.	H.P.	S P	H.P.
1887-8	123	854	11	719	81	55	266	134	30	27	3	337	1795	6	4	201	23	68	328	333	962	179	337	133	54	18	148	73	471	...	...	...
1888-9	131	926	137	759	79	15	321	126	29	22	5	336	1773	13	12	198	21	48	311	336	1019	182	366	126	56	23	125	80	534	...	...	...
1889-90	152	1141	129	497	109	82	280	109	44	38	37	300	1834	5	18	91	11	179	20	330	1077	212	384	136	63	24	135	88	592	...	...	...
1890-1	152	1011	131	764	113	61	255	117	28	23	8	369	2074	9	20	104	19	98	331	323	1131	191	481	147	60	22	143	89	614	...	...	...
1891-2	170	1084	122	778	117	26	245	121	30	11	8	318	2664	7	10	149	12	43	324	325	1091	159	393	139	68	20	121	102	753	...	...	...
1892-3	145	978	139	808	142	118	222	139	31	16	6	348	2400	5	13	91	11	130	358	410	1158	320	345	156	61	18	185	79	521	...	...	...
1893-4	154	1124	133	851	286	...	274	139	46	3	7	336	3494	12	12	132	21	102	370	407	1190	171	347	166	76	23	131	89	881	16	21	84
1894-5	134	900	134	842	291	...	290	149	34	1	1	343	3933	11	12	64	16	159	370	411	1219	167	339	166	75	24	133	87	934	22	21	87
1895-6	152	1050	146	935	250	...	348	127	38	4	4	340	4030	39	7	68	22	138	405	544	1236	180	358	170	81	20	89	105	1248	14	46	202
1896-7	*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

As regards all machines, except Steam Engines, H.P., S.P., and O.M. denote the *number* worked by horses, steam, and other means, respectively

* Not taken since 1895-6. Value of Agricultural Machinery returned is given as follows :- 1897, £188,950; 1898, £185,349; 1899, £204,750; 1900, £211,684; 1903, £218,427; 1904, £227,163; 1905, 248,648

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LIVE STOCK.

RETURN showing the Number of Live Stock in Tasmania on 1st March, 1906.

Districts—Municipal or Police.	Horses.		Horned Cattle (including Calves, but excluding Cows kept for Dairy purposes).		Milch Cows (kept for Dairy purposes).		Sheep (including Lambs).		Goats.	Pigs.
	Under one year of age.	One year old and upwards.	Under one year of age.	One year old and upwards.	In profit.	Dry.	Under one year of age.	One year old and upwards.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
N.E. Division										
Evandale	128	895	1216	3719	504	202	20,947	81,382	46	1259
Fingal	100	964	1930	4800	1915	559	19,999	66,920	29	1738
George Town	35	627	583	1691	521	159	6166	22,451	71	1000
Selby	133	1676	1766	4518	2250	712	12,842	53,968	184	2927
Launceston	8	972	116	62	371	57	161	197	15	165
Portland	36	341	907	1642	928	465	3377	9792	29	590
Ringarooma	186	1590	3689	8341	3427	941	4203	18,074	60	2610
Westbury	410	2191	1687	2482	1491	694	17,008	44,087	201	4880
Flinders Island	6	89	227	670	122	24	2137	9991	71	279
Total N.E. Division	1042	9345	12,121	27,925	11,529	3813	86,840	306,862	706	15,448
N.W. Div.										
Deloraine	250	2063	2147	6417	2489	254	10,484	29,258	37	5456
Emu Bay	229	2040	4793	9656	5233	719	2801	6024	51	4177
Latrobe	93	866	704	1745	631	92	4200	7642	95	1717
Mersey	217	2192	2256	4073	2640	139	5081	11,862	42	6210
West Devon	288	2289	2945	6349	3005	489	4786	10,426	97	3919
Russell	157	1113	1899	5857	1090	298	2640	8364	63	2147
King Island	62	368	1365	4324	750	451	79	117	...	225
Total N.W. Division	1296	10,931	16,109	38,421	15,838	2442	30,071	73,693	385	23,851
Mid. Division.										
Bothwell	30	411	931	3554	242	84	24,351	79,819	15	365
Campbell Town	23	413	679	3386	273	49	21,223	95,743	—	299
Green Ponds	25	385	292	1084	352	61	9763	31,213	2	448
Hamilton	62	708	2145	9004	343	120	32,832	97,130	1	1176
Longford	177	1711	1182	3665	947	238	24,842	78,524	54	2267
South Longford	6	56	382	4278	6	1	3204	109,403	—	—
Oatlands	146	1116	1908	6204	1084	226	35,588	114,960	29	2062
Ross	21	206	378	1498	101	71	20,824	45,459	4	187
Total Mid. Division	490	5006	7897	32,673	3347	850	172,627	652,256	105	6804
S.E. Division.										
Brighton	28	636	393	750	428	153	8517	25,305	—	712
Carnarvon	32	207	562	787	760	109	1277	4505	7	603
Clarence	34	548	361	496	451	269	4400	13,608	16	671
Glamorgan	33	302	327	1375	249	57	9066	36,673	—	795
Glenorchy	28	375	125	200	337	93	275	1482	8	674
Hobart	3	1119	34	71	251	36	120	540	4	129
New Town	2	340	127	142	518	96	2	292	18	429
Queenborough	9	304	191	264	489	174	—	28	24	491
Kingborough	42	438	579	1011	683	367	1657	5356	25	580
New Norfolk	63	823	815	1754	770	379	6029	18,037	22	1179
Richmond	57	589	507	1259	454	182	7862	32,084	9	883
Sorell	134	823	1055	2029	1274	387	8661	29,534	17	1969
Spring Bay	23	184	282	980	157	80	9167	32,319	—	377
Total S.E. Division	488	6688	5358	11,118	6821	2382	57,033	199,763	150	7492
S.W. Div.										
Franklin (Huon)	119	1322	1352	2780	1832	356	1000	3421	10	1862
Macquarie (West Coast)	2	372	247	592	266	141	—	—	93	261
Total S.W. Division	121	1694	1599	3372	2098	497	1000	3421	103	2123
Grand Total, 1905–06.	3437	33,664	43,084	113,509	39,634	9984	347,571	1,235,990	1449	72,810

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LIVE STOCK.

A COMPARATIVE RETURN showing the Number of Live Stock in Tasmania and Islands in Bass Strait on 1st March, 1905, and 1st March, 1906.

	Districts—Municipal or Police.	Horses.		Horned Cattle (including Calves).		Sheep (including Lambs).		Pigs.	
		1904-5.	1905-6.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1904-5.	1905-6.
N.E. Division.	Evandale	1115	1023	5495	5641	99,790	102,329	1849	1259
	Fingal	1055	1064	8602	9204	95,100	86,919	2281	1738
	George Town	672	662	3192	2954	26,021	28,617	2082	1000
	Selby	1831	1809	9027	9246	64,407	66,810	4389	2927
	Launceston	1001	980	612	606	218	358	162	165
	Portland	335	377	4010	3942	11,113	13,169	902	590
	Ringarooma	1706	1776	16,499	16,398	24,712	22,277	3765	2610
	Westbury	2662	2601	6877	6354	62,326	61,095	5740	4880
	Flinders Island	63	95	645	1043	12,454	12,128	16	279
	Total N.E. Division	10,440	10,387	54,965	35,388	396,141	393,702	21,186	15,448
N.W. Division.	Deloraine	2293	2313	11,265	11,307	36,865	39,742	8191	5456
	Emu Bay	2067	2269	19,917	20,401	9936	8825	6559	4177
	Latrobe	964	959	3228	3172	11,326	11,842	2233	1717
	Mersey	2552	2409	9334	9108	14,750	16,943	9010	6210
	West Devon	2400	2577	12,760	12,788	12,566	15,212	5488	3919
	Russell	1158	1270	8452	9144	9797	11,004	2528	2147
	King Island	409	430	6394	6890	196	196	214	225
	Total N.W. Division	11,843	12,227	71,350	72,810	95,436	103,764	34,223	23,851
Mid. Division.	Bothwell	464	441	4057	4811	102,057	104,170	459	365
	Campbell Town	403	436	3691	4387	117,861	116,966	222	299
	Green Ponds	381	410	1607	1789	34,428	40,976	599	448
	Hamilton	759	770	11,616	11,612	130,152	129,962	1317	1176
	Longford	1821	1888	6190	6032	101,800	103,366	2954	2267
	South Longford	55	62	3865	4667	118,555	112,607	...	...
	Oatlands	1418	1262	9988	9422	169,590	150,548	2559	2062
	Ross	232	227	1940	2048	61,631	66,283	138	187
	Total Mid. Division	5533	5496	42,954	44,768	836,074	824,878	8248	6804
S.E. Division.	Brighton	692	664	1896	1724	28,086	33,822	875	712
	Carnarvon	230	239	2032	2218	5168	5782	746	603
	Clarence	447	582	1209	1577	15,099	18,008	538	671
	Glamorgan	324	335	1696	2008	45,494	45,739	938	795
	Glenorchy	344	403	774	755	2291	1757	618	674
	Hobart	1127	1122	394	392	746	660	179	129
	New Town	322	342	883	883	145	294	479	429
	Queenborough	357	313	1381	1118	65	28	474	491
	Kingborough	479	480	2297	2640	5855	7013	786	580
	New Norfolk	880	886	3319	3718	23,667	24,066	1692	1179
	Richmond	674	646	2174	2402	35,369	39,946	1181	883
	Sorell	879	957	4438	4745	31,586	38,195	2545	1969
	Spring Bay	168	207	1496	1499	32,925	41,486	507	377
	Total S.E. Division	6923	7176	23,989	25,679	226,496	256,796	11,558	9492
S.W. Div.	Franklin (Huon)	1426	1444	6987	6320	3313	4421	2344	1862
	Macquarie (West Coast)	400	374	961	1246	...	...	384	261
	Total S.W. Division	1826	1815	7948	7566	3313	4421	2728	2123
	GRAND TOTALS	36,565	37,101	201,206	206,211	1,557,460	1,583,561	77,943	72,810
	1905—Increase	...	536	...	5005	...	26,101	...	...
	Decrease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5133

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LIVE STOCK—NUMBER IN THE STATE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	*Horses.*	*Horned Cattle,* (including Calves.)	*Sheep,** (including Lambs.)	*Goats.*	*Pigs.*
1896-7	29,547	157,730	1,650,567	1378	55,301
1897-8	29,898	157,486	1,578,611	1219	43,520
1898-9	29,859	149,753	1,493,638	1227	45,274
1899-00	31,189	160,204	1,672,068	1355	74,451
1900-01	31,607	165,516	1,683,956	1284	68,291
1901-02	32,399	168,661	1,792,481	1516	58,716
1902-03	33,466	177,566	1,672,655	1337	52,096
1903-04	33,541	185,938	1,597,053	1959	56,538
1904-05	36,565	201,206	1,557,460	1694	77,943
1905-06	37,101	206,211	1,583,561	1449	72,810

* Including Sheep on Islands in Bass Straits.

LIVE STOCK IMPORTED AND SLAUGHTERED.

	Hobart.		Launceston.		Total.*		**1905** compared with previous year.	
	1905.	**1904.**	**1905.**	**1904.**	**1905.**	**1904.**	Increase.	Decrease.
Imported—								
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	...	53,224	23,444	29,780	...
Horned Cattle and Calves	...	...	...	...	1697	452	1245	...
Pigs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Slaughtered—								
Sheep and Lambs	65,922	71,738	35,941	38,254	101,863	109,992	...	8129
Horned Cattle and Calves	7038	6750	4997	3958	12,035	10,708	1327	...
Pigs	8156	7369	1260	809	9416	8178	1238	...

* "Imported" whole State; "Slaughtered" Hobart and Launceston only.

LIVE STOCK IMPORTED AND SLAUGHTERED AT THE PUBLIC SLAUGHTER-HOUSES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	Sheep and Lambs.		Horned Cattle and Calves.		Pigs.	
	Imported.†	*Slaughtered.**	*Imported.†*	*Slaughtered.**	*Imported.†*	*Slaughtered.**
1896	19,791	102,266	150	9393	...	10,726
1897	18,527	107,223	389	10,615	...	8957
1898	71,237	104,303	1968	10,029	154	6188
1899	36,859	98,913	406	10,276	1774	6634
1900	31,162	91,829	1306	9114	28	9883
1901	26,895	101,627	1083	8815	108	9121
1902	46,628	114,900	15	10,193	175	9327
1903	23,859	122,223	633	9842	16	7487
1904	23,444	109,992	452	10,708	...	8178
1905	53,224	101,863	1697	12,035	...	9416

* At Hobart and Launceston only. † For whole State.

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SUMMARY showing approximately the Relative Value of Agricultural and Pastoral Produce for the Years 1859–1860, 1889–1890, 1899–1900, 1904–1905, *and* 1905–1906.§

	1859-60.	1889-90.	1899-1900.*	1904-5.*	1905-6.*
Agricultural Produce—	£	£	£	£	£
Wheat	353,974	189,160	137,538	138,767	139,110
Barley	28,487	23,754	16,655	23,764	17,040
Oats	127,382	157,978	114,816	117,882	155,003
Other Cereals	21,485	39,238	65,013	58,892	49,941
Potatoes	125,958	271,031	203,340	525,097	452,242
Other Root Crops	62,889	104,376	101,558	66,536	69,095
Hay	276,520	289,100	153,369	220,371	315,269
Other Forage	...	...	7184	12,508	19,760
Hops	...	34,252	44,234	56,980	49,417
Apples	29,702	125,753	107,561	217,428	167,428
Pears	6061	8203	6926	18,720	16,124
Other Fruits	10,083	12,040	37,974	42,140	25,649
Other Garden and Orchard Produce					
Total Agricultural Produce	1,042,541	1,254,185	996,168	1,499,085	1,476,078
Pastoral Produce—					
Milk, Butter, and Cheese	168,440	226,973	311,115	376,725	372,135
Value of surplus Stock produced —					
Cattle	86,157	168,750	264,452	282,546	228,543
Sheep	80,520	145,446	156,764	145,918	148,908
Pigs	78,225	146,680	111,676	116,865	109,215
Horses	16,824	23,804	31,189	29,248	29,680
Wool exported and consumed locally	370,427	295,042	383,011	343,452	414,071
Live Stock exported	11,061	60,472	34,402	30,000	71,432
Total Pastoral Produce	811,654	1,067,167	1,292,609	1,324,754	1,373,914
Grand Total	1,854,195	2,321,352	2,288,777	2,824,839	2,849,992
Grand Total per Head of Population	21·13	16·15	13·25	15·79	15·93
Agricultural Produce ditto	11·88	8·73	5·77	8·39	8·25
Pastoral Produce ditto	9·25	7·42	7·48	7·40	7·68

* Based upon the prices ruling in the respective years. † Based on export price. ‡ Estimated. § This Table is designed mainly to afford a comparative measure or index-level of the *relative volume of products*, and can only be regarded as an approximate measure of the *actual monetary values* of the products tabulated.

LIVE STOCK.

SHEEP-WASHING and Shearing.

	1904.	1905.	1905. Compared with Year 1904.	
			Increase.	Decrease.
Number of Sheep-owners who washed their Sheep before shearing	11	...	...	11
Number of Sheep-owners who sheared their Sheep in the grease	3771	3740	...	31

NUMBER of Schedules received, &c.

	1904-5.	1905-6.	1905-6 Compared with previous Year.	
			Increase.	Decrease.
Number of Persons from whom Agricultural and Live Stock Returns were obtained	10,011	8878	...	1133
Number of Persons from whom Live Stock Returns only were obtained	2936	4124	1188	...
Number of Persons from whom Agricultural Returns only were obtained	663	983	320	...

It is very probable that these figures are less than the actual number, the returns of the Local Collectors, from which they are taken, being somewhat defective in regard to these particulars.

NOTE.—Number of Persons engaged in agricultural and pastoral pursuits, based on results of last Census:—Males, 19,460; Females, 2515. Total, 21,975.

RETURN showing Particulars as to Grain threshed, as supplied by Owners of Threshing Machines under 62 Vict. No. 4.

		1904-5.	1905-6.
Threshing Machines registered		95	93
Returning information		84	88
Wheat threshed	bushels	669,108	732,121
Barley ,,	,,	122,271	76,183
Oats ,,	,,	849,320	820,209
Peas ,,	,,	33,556	18,222

RETURN giving number and acreage of all holdings of one acre and over on 1st March, 1904, 1st March, 1905, and 1st March, 1906, as ascertained from Stock and Crop Returns.

Area.	No. of Holdings.			Per cent. to Total.		
	1st March, 1906.	1st March, 1905.	1st March, 1904.	1st March, 1905.	1st March, 1904.	1st March, 1906.
1 to 50 acres	5111	5181	4360	44·16	40·28	42·25
51 ,, 100 ,,	2202	2124	1995	18·10	18·43	18·21
101 ,, 500 ,,	3553	3392	3283	28·06	30·34	29·37
501 ,, 1000 ,,	507	443	467	3·78	4·32	4·19
1001 ,, 5000 ,,	530	467	498	3·98	4·60	4·38
5001 ,, 10,000 ,,	126	145	124	1·24	1·15	1·04
10,000 ,, 20,000 ,,	49	59	73	0·50	0·67	·40
20,001 ,, 50,000 ,,	18	19	20	0·16	0·18	·14
50,001 ,, and over	2	2	3	0·02	0·03	·02
TOTAL	12,098	11,732	10,823	100·00	100·00	100·00

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished.]

WOOL CLIP, 1905-06.

	Quantity. lbs.	Value. £
Wool exported 1st November, 1905, to 31st August, 1906, and used in factories during year	9,186,244	366,172

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Exporters and Proprietors of Factories.]

GOLD MINING, 1905.

RETURN relative to Gold Mining Operations in Tasmania during the Year 1905.

Gold won, 73,540½ fine ozs., £312,380.

Average number of men employed, 1207.

W. H. WALLACE, *Secretary for Mines.*

GOLD MINING.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	AVERAGE NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED.			APPROXIMATE VALUE OF MINING PLANT.			ALLUVIAL MINING.			QUARTZ MINING.					TOTAL QUANTITY OF GOLD PRODUCED.	TOTAL VALUE OF GOLD PRODUCED.
	In Alluvial Mining.	*In Quartz Mining.*	TOTAL.	*Alluvial.*	*Quartz.*	TOTAL.	*Gold produced.*	*Value.*	*Average Value per oz.*	*No. of Tons of Quartz crushed.*	*Gold produced.*	*Value.*	*Average Value per oz.*	*Average Yield per Ton.*		
				£	£	£	ozs	£	£ s. d.		ozs dwts.	£	£ s. d.	oz. dwts. grs.	ozs. dwts.	£
1896	381	1080	1461	6250	412,500	418,750	6584	25,433	3 17 1	56,138	56,007 0	212,143	3 15 9	0 19 23	62,591 0	237,574
1897	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.		77,131 0	289,241
1898	..	..	1295	..	..	..	..	..	..	50,390	41,674 0	..	..	0 16 12	74,233 15	281,485
1899	..	..	1296	..	..	..	..	..	..	49,029	37,402 0	..	..	0 15 6	83,992 0	327,545
1900	..	..	1231	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	81,175 0	316,220
1901	.	..	1112	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	69,491 0*	295,176
1902	..	..	1038	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	70,996 0*	301,573
1903	..	..	973	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	59,891 0*	254,403
1904	..	..	1076	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	65,921 0	280,015
1905	..	..	1207	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	.	73,540 10	312,380

* Fine ounces.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from official Returns.]

SILVER-LEAD MINES, 1905.

Locality.	*No. of Mines.*	*No. of Persons employed.*	*Quantity raised.*	*Value.*
			Tons.	£
Macquarie	22	1370	62,429	211,006
Emu Bay	2	142	12,779	94,953
Total	24	1512	75,208	305,959

[Compiled by Government Statistician from returns furnished by various collectors.]

TIN MINING, 1905.

LOCALITY.	NUMBER OF						TIN ORE PRODUCED.					
	Persons employed.			Mines or Claims.			Quantity.			Value.		
	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.
							tons.	tons.	tons.	£	£	£
NORTH-EASTERN DIVISION—												
Fingal and Avoca	74	...	74	*	*	*	136¼	...	136¼	12,512	...	12,512
Portland—												
St. Helens												
Lottah and Blue Tier	215	...	215	*	*	*	393	...	393	36,475	...	36,475
Weldborough												
Ringarooma—												
Scottsdale	1	...	1	20	...	20	8	...	8	880	...	880
Ringarooma	64	...	64	6	...	6	34½	...	34½	3465	...	3465
Derby and Moorina	349	...	349	12	...	12	1336¼	...	1336¼	123,860	...	123,860
Gladstone	272	...	272	11	...	11	654½	...	654½	52,529	...	52,529
Flinders Island	10	...	10	3	...	3	11	...	11	715	...	715
EASTERN DIVISION—												
Schoutens	6	...	6	1	...	1	1	...	1	100	...	100
WESTERN DIVISION—												
Mt. Heemskirk	86	...	86	*	*	*	100	...	100	8000	...	8000
Emu Bay	269	...	269	6	...	6	1320	...	1320	150,120	...	150,120
NORTH-WESTERN DIVISION—												
East Devon	3	...	3	1	...	1	5	...	5	400	...	400
Russell—Mt. Balfour	2	...	8	2	...	2	12	...	12	960	...	960
Grand Total	1351	...	1351	*	*	*	4011½	...	4011½	4011½	...	390,016

* Number not to be ascertained.

[There being no Statistical Staff connected with the Mining Department in Tasmania, as in the neighbouring States, the figures have been kindly supplied by the Collectors of Agricultural Statistics. As some of the mines are only partially worked during the year, and many mining companies are unregistered, it is difficult to obtain anything approaching accurate information. Tin is worked alluvially and in lode, so that a correct division cannot be obtained. These figures must therefore be regarded as roughly approximate.]

ROBT. M. JOHNSTON, *Government Statistician.*

TIN MINING.

YEAR.	NUMBER OF						TIN ORE PRODUCED.						TIN EXPORTED.	
	Persons employed.			Mines or Claims.			Quantity.			Value.			Tons.	Value.
	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.	Alluvial.	Lode.	TOTAL.		
										£	£	£		£
Prior to 1879	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,822	751,720
1879	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4563	303,206
1880	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3954	341,733
1881	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4124	375,775
1882	2022	289	2311	187	22	209	5330	265	5595	339,794	16,919	356,713	3670	361,046
1883	1810	425	2235	216	40	256	5494	516	6010	356,005	27,650	383,655	4122	376,446
1884	1606	93	1699	252	69	321	5270	257	5527	241,687	12,512	254,199	3707	301,423
1885	1458	78	1536	203	3	206	5244	217	5461	382,948	12,150	395,098	4242	357,587
1886	1422	77	1499	169	5	174	5572	156	5728	397,890	9787	409,487	3776	363,364
1887	2193	69	2262	307	4	311	5562	140	5702	575,918	9890	585,808	3607	407,857
1888	1835	77	1912	173	3	176	5128	117	5245	342,969	8504	351,473	3777	426,326
1889	2134	83	2227	78	4	82	5090	460	5550	289,718	27,426	317,144	3674	344,941
1890	1560	32	1592	113	4	117	4600	114	4714	218,888	980	219,868	3214	296,761
1891	1378	65	1443	114	8	122	4182	140	4322	253,512	8403	261,915	3293	293,170
1892	1519	131	1650	149	15	164	4423	240	4463	241,677	14,406	256,083	3203	290,794
1893	1447	161	1608	221	11	232	4420	286	4706	193,714	12,697	206,411	3266	266,156
1894	1437	4	1441	153	1	154	4283	1	4284	156,825	40	156,865	3053	202,454
1895	1138	36	1174	108	5	113	3826	39	3865	145,246	36	145,282	2740	167,754
1896	1009	...	1009	133	...	133	3806	...	3806	160,879	...	160,879	2703	159,038
1897	599	134	733	108	3	111	3238	1	3239	109,109	17	109,126	2429	150,586
1898	709	...	709	77	...	77	2837	...	2837	115,762	...	115,762	1973	141,162
1899	1051	...	1051	90	...	90	3281	...	3281	270,864	...	270,864	2296	281,947
1900	1002	168	1170	...	...	...	2452	198	2650	162,807	13,995	176,802	2042	270,998
1901	795	270	1065	24	6	30	2194	282	2476	127,282	18,247	145,529	1790	212,542
1902	1141	203	1344	48	6	54	2643	306	2959	184,063	22,600	206,663	1965	237,846
1903	1009	222	1331	31	6	37	3017	459	3476	226,863	12,020	238,883	2693	308,594
1904	1262	42	1304	23	2	25	3180	78	3258	257,692	5935	263,627	2152	257,256
1905	1351	...	1351	...	...	...	4011½	...	4011½	390,016	...	390,016	2775	370,018
TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	98,625	8,618,500

NOTE.—Prior to 1882 the only information obtainable relating to Tin is confined to quantities exported.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from official sources.]

TIN QUOTATIONS FOR THE YEARS 1904 AND 1905.

	Metal, per Ton. (English quotations.)				Metal per Unit.* (Local quotations.)			
	1905.		1904.		1905.		1904.	
	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
January	132 12 6	131 0 0	133 12 6	126 10 0	23 3	23 3	23 6	22 0
February	132 5 0	130 15 0	126 0 0	124 0 0	23 3	23 3	22 6	22 0
March	135 10 0	132 2 6	129 5 0	124 5 0	23 6	23 3	22 6	22 0
April	140 10 0	136 10 0	128 0 0	126 12 6	24 0	23 6	22 6	22 6
May	138 0 0	134 0 0	128 0 0	124 15 0	24 3	24 0	22 6	22 0
June	140 5 0	136 10 0	123 0 0	119 0 0	24 9	24 3	22 0	21 0
July	150 0 0	140 15 0	122 12 6	117 12 6	26 9	24 9	21 3	21 0
August	151 5 0	149 17 6	123 5 0	122 0 0	27 9	26 9	21 6	21 6
September	149 15 0	146 7 6	126 17 6	124 5 0	26 3	25 9	22 6	21 6
October	149 5 0	147 15 0	132 15 0	127 10 0	27 0	27 0	23 0	22 6
November	154 7 0	149 10 0	133 17 6	132 7 6	27 0	27 0	23 6	23 0
December	166 5 0	158 5 0	136 0 0	132 10 0	30 0	28 6	23 9	23 3
Average of Twelve Months ...	145 0 9	141 2 3½	128 12 1	125 2 2	25 7¾	25 1¼	22 7	22 0¼
					25*s.* 4½*d.* †		22*s.* 3½*d.*‡	

* = $\frac{1}{100}$th of a ton of Metallic Tin.

† Equal to £80 14*s.* 0*d.* ‡ Equal to £91 8*s.* } per ton of dressed Tin Ore, which averages 72 per cent. during the year at the Smelting Works.

TIN QUOTATIONS.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Metal per Ton. (English quotations.)		* Metal per Unit. (Local quotations.)		Price per Ton dressed Tin Ore.		Average Assay at Mt. Bischoff Smelting Works.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Maximum.	Minimum.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Per cent.
1896	62 10 0	57 2 6	10 6	9 3	37 16 0	33 6 0	72
1897	64 0 0	60 7 6	10 9	10 0	38 14 0	36 0 0	72
1898	84 17 6	63 10 0	14 6	10 9	52 4 0	38 14 0	72
1899	147 0 0	89 10 0	25 0	14 6	90 0 0	52 4 0	72
1900	146 0 0	112 0 0	24 0	18 0	86 8 0	66 16 0	72
1901	133 10 0	104 10 0	22 0	18 0	79 4 0	64 16 0	72
1902	137 0 0	98 15 0	23 6	17 6	84 12 0	63 0 0	72
1903	141 5 0	117 0 0	25 0	20 9	90 0 0	74 14 0	72
1904	136 0 0	117 12 6	23 9	21 0	85 9 9	79 3 9	72
1905	166 5 0	130 15 0	30 0	23 3	108 0 0	83 14 0	72

* Equal to $\frac{1}{100}$ of a Ton of Metallic Tin.

COMPARATIVE RETURN showing the Quantity of Tin Ore smelted in Tasmania during the Years 1904-1905.

	1904.		1905.		(1905) as compared with previous Year.	
	Tin Ore.	Yield* (Metal.)	Tin Ore.	Yield*(Metal.)	Tin Ore. Increase.	Yield (Metal.) Decrease.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
Tasmania	3282	2293	3780	2670	498	377

* During 1905 each ton of Mount Bischoff Ore on the average yielded 70·63 per cent. of Metal. Mean assay of Mount Bischoff Metallic Tin, 99·89.

[Prepared by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Managers of the Launceston Tin Smelting Company and Anchor T. M. Co.]

RETURN showing the Quantity of Silver-Lead and Copper Ore smelted for period 25th June to 31st December, 1896, *and 1st January*, 1897, *to 31st December*, 1905.

Ore smelted.	Products.			Yield.			
	Silver-Lead Bullion.	Blister Copper.	Matte.	Copper.	Silver.	Gold.	Lead.
	tons.						tons.
1896.— 26,028$\frac{13}{20}$ tons	...	...	2417$\frac{6}{20}$ tons	1235$\frac{1}{20}$ tons	76,951 ozs.	4707 ozs.	..
1897.— 90,773½ ,,	...	3476$\frac{12}{20}$ tons	257$\frac{16}{20}$,,	358$\frac{14}{20}$,,	334,349 ,,	16,485 ,,	...
1898.—170,933 ,,	...	4992 ,,	...	4783 ,,	606,123 ,,	24,418 ,,	..
1899.—275,239 ,,	2295	8463 ,,	89$\frac{8}{20}$,,	8362 ,,	1,089,657 ,,	27,615 ,,	...
1900.—363,113 ,,	4817	9449 ,,	...	9341 ,,	1,215,036 ,,	26,252 ,,	...
1901.—355,528 ,,	1839	9982 ,,	50 ,,	9880 ,,	800,317 ,,	21,717 ,,	...
1902.—411,736 ,,	6825	7727 ,,	2882 ,,	8841 ,,	1,674,816 ,,	24,719 ,,	6654
1903.—399,032 ,,	...	6683 ,,	3413 ,,	8094 ,,	1,855,158 ,,	25,238 ,,	7529
1904.—433,366 ,,	...	8371 ,,	...	8265 ,,	1,896,134 ,,	26,809 ,,	7754
1905.—466,578 ,,	9422	8611 ,,	...	8506 ,,	2,075,431 ,,	26,469 ,,	9086

Flue dust not included.

[Prepared by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Metallurgist of the Mount Lyell Company, and Tasmanian Smelting Company, Limited.]

RETURN showing quantity of Auriferous Ore smelted for the Twelve Months ended 31st December, 1905.

Material Operated upon.			Gold Produced.	Value.
Tailings and Slimes.	Pyrites.	Quartz.		
tons.	tons.	tons.	fine, ozs.	£
16,117	4251	73,480	45,149	190,714

[Prepared by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Manager of the Tasmanian G.M. Company and New Golden Gate G.M. Company.]

COAL MINES, 1905.

Locality.	No. of Mines.	No. of Men Employed.	Raised during year.	
			Quantity.	Value.*
			tons.	£ s. d.
North-Western Division—				
Mersey (Dulverton)	2	8	300	75 0 0
E. Devon	2	9	961	523 11 0
North-Eastern Division—				
Fingal (Mt. Nicholas, Cornwall)	2	130	45,179	22,589 10 0
Midland Division—				
Oatlands (York Plains)	1	2	200	60 0 0
South-Eastern Division—				
Kingborough (Sandfly)	1	3	200	50 0 0
South-Western Division—				
Franklin (Port Cygnet)	1	8	2400	780 0 0
,, (Recherche)	1	6	1224	367 4 0
Grand Total	10	166	50,464	24,445 5 0

* Value at mine.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the various Collectors.]

COAL MINES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Locality.	Quantity of Coal raised.									
	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
	tons.	tons.	tons	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
North-Western Division—										
Port Sorell (now Mersey and Latrobe) { Port Sorell... Ballahoo ..... Sherwood ..... Tarleton ..... Don ..... }	2675	2767	2648	1682	2060	2952	1683	1735	2282	1261
Total North-Western Division	2675	2767	2648	1682	2060	2952	1683	1735	2282	1261
North-Eastern Division—										
Fingal	37,512	38,412	43,688	38,656	45,901	40,977	42,770	45,893	55,070	45,179
Midland Division—										
Longford	1000	400	20	350	200	220	...	...	100	...
Oatlands	382	351	360	315	400	936	400	417	600	200
New Norfolk	...	...	...	280	...	...	...	...	...	...
Richmond	...	...	...	...	250	380	325	630	240	...
Total Midland Division	1382	751	380	945	850	1536	725	1047	940	200
South-Eastern Division—										
Hobart (New Town)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Richmond (Jerusalem)	980	...	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Glamorgan (Seymour)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kingborough	...	...	...	...	...	..	60	30	200	200
Total South-Eastern Division	980	...	200	...	...	...	60	30	200	200
South-Western Division—										
Franklin (Port Cygnet)	1000	600	2200	1830	2000	3711	4660	3100	3120	3624
Grand Total	43,549	42,530	49,116	43,113	50,811	49,176	49,898	51,805	61,612	50,464

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the various Collectors.]

STONE QUARRIES, 1905

Locality.	No. of Quarries worked.	No. of Men employed.	Raised during the Year.							
			Quantity.					Value.[a]		
			Limestone.	Lime.	Flagstone, Freestone, Building-stone, &c.	Rubble, Road Metal, &c.		Limestone or Lime.	Flagstone, Freestone, Building-stone, &c.	Rubble, Road Metal, &c.
			tons.	tons	cubic feet.	cub. yds.	tons.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
North-Western Division—										
Latrobe	2	13	...	830	...	...	...	747 0 0	...	...
Deloraine	2	4	160	...	...	...	...	20 0 0	...	...
West Devon	1	16	...	...	...	...	3000	...	...	750 0 0
East Devon	1	1	...	...	...	...	600	...	...	90 0 0
Westbury	1	2	...	...	...	...	500	...	...	62 10 0
Total North-Western Division	7	26	160	830	...	...	4100	767 0 0	...	902 10 0
North-Eastern Division—										
George Town	1	6	...	1220	...	2259	...	1220 0 0	...	83 7 0
Launceston	1	13	...	...	...	...	12,663	...	...	2548 2 0
Evandale	...	...	...	...	...	4000	...	...	...	...
Total North-Eastern Division	2	19	...	1220	...	6259	12,663	1220 0 0	...	2631 9 0
Midland Division—										
Ross	2	7	...	...	6000	...	...	...	330 0 0	...
Oatlands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Midland Division	2	7	...	...	6000	...	...	...	330 0 0	...
South-Eastern Division—										
New Norfolk	2	6	800	...	...	300	...	80 0 0	...	45 0 0
Bellerive, including Lindisfarne	5	12	...	450	3800	...	...	396 13 4	273 0 0	...
Queenborough	5	5	...	...	...	...	5180	...	...	695 16 3
Glenorchy	5	18	...	1461	3200	...	1065	1665 14 0	284 10 0	170 14 0
Total South-Eastern Division	17	41	800	2111	7000	300	6245	2142 7 4	557 10 0	911 10 3
Grand Total	28	93	960	4161	13,000	6559	23,008	4129 7 4	887 10 0	4445 9 3

[a] At quarry.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by various Collectors.]

STATISTICS relating to the Mining Industry for the Five Years 1901-1905 *prepared from Returns of the Commissioners of Mines.*

Mineral.		1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Gold won, crude ozs.						
Quartz and Cyanide	ounces	74,835	75,073½	61,826$\frac{3}{20}$	68,461$\frac{9}{20}$	74,824$\frac{5}{20}$
Alluvial	ounces	819	609½	1123	835$\frac{2}{20}$	557$\frac{18}{20}$
Silver Ore shipped	tons	28,792	42,010	42,422	51,138	75,270½
Tin Ore raised	tons	2834	2985	3598	3393	3891$\frac{13}{20}$
Copper Ore shipped	tons	11,221	5994	102	104	1150$\frac{14}{20}$
Blister Copper produced	tons	9981	7745	6684	8371	8610
Copper Matte exported	tons	...	2500	3727	...	...
Iron Ore shipped	tons	402	2386	5980	6840	6300
Coal raised	tons	45,438	48,864	49,069	61,108$\frac{13}{20}$	51,973
General.						
Average Miners employed (including hands on Smelters)—						
European	No.	6691	6004	5611	5999	6419
Chinese	No.	232	231	206	195	162

RETURN giving the Mineral Production for Year 1905.

Minerals.	Quantity.	Value.	Minerals.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Gold, Fine ozs.	73,540½	312,380	Iron Ore tons	6300	2600
Silver Ore, Lead tons	75,270½	246,888	Coal "	51,993	44,194
Copper Copper Ore, Blister Copper "	9760¾	757,226	Other Minerals "	35¾	3171
Tin, Metal "	3891½	362,670	Total	...	1,729,129

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Mines Department.]

RETURN showing, as far as can be ascertained, the Value of Minerals raised or exported to date, 31st December, 1905.

	During Year.		To Date, 31 December, 1905.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£
Gold raised* ..... crude ozs.	75,382	312,380	1,555,274	6,042,658
Silver Ore and Lead exported ..... tons	17,369	302,255	225,110	3,545,787
Copper Ore exported ..... tons	4016	19,886	26,559	1,253,798
Blister Copper exported § ..... tons	8558	543,389	74,151	4,784,446
Tin Ore and Metal exported ..... tons	2775	369,018	98,929	8,626,291
Coal raised† ..... tons	50,464	24,445	917,959	580,657

* Information prior to 1866 not available. †Value partly estimated. § Concentrates and matte.

RETURN of Minerals Exported from the West Coast in the Years 1895-6-7-8-9-1900-1-2-3.

—	Silver-lead.		Tin Ore.		Copper.				Pyrites.	
					Blister copper.		Ore.			
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	tons	£ s. d.	tons	£ s. d.	tons	£ s. d.	tons	£ s. d.	tons	£ s. d
1895...	$20,653\frac{1}{2}$	231,381 15 0	$32\frac{1}{2}$	1330 15 0	—	—	—	—	—	—
1896...	$21,048\frac{1}{4}$	233,912 18 0	$21\frac{19}{20}$	658 10 0	—	—	$44\frac{1}{2}$	1245 0 0	—	—
1897...	$18,234\frac{2}{5}$	200,951 16 0	$8\frac{3}{10}$	249 0 0	$4689\frac{1}{20}$	322,247 0 0	$38\frac{18}{20}$	1018 2 0	35	350 0 0
1898...	$14,136\frac{17}{20}$	176,681 5 0	$\frac{12}{20}$	17 0 0	$5014\frac{15}{20}$	378,886 0 0	$246\frac{11}{20}$	10,095 0 0	20	—
1899...	$11,396\frac{19}{20}$	167,127 19 0	$2\frac{19}{20}$	195 0 0	8320	656,590 19 0	$1350\frac{19}{20}$	40,529 5 0	—	—
1900...	$10,308\frac{7}{20}$	171,135 0 0	$29\frac{4}{20}$	1998 10 0	$9549\frac{6}{20}$	755,964 10 0	3018	30,185 0 0	—	—
1901...	$15,577\frac{18}{20}$	159,537 2 0	27	1753 0 0	$9776\frac{9}{20}$	1,036,300 0 0	9981	112,279 0 0	—	—
1902...	$17,252\frac{13}{20}$	109,630 5 0	643	4550 15 0	$7210\frac{19}{20}$	540,852 1 0	$7219\frac{12}{20}$	93,007 0 0	—	—
1903...	$8242\frac{18}{20}$	62,866 7 0	$72\frac{15}{20}$	5539 10 0	$5812\frac{5}{20}$	424,297 0 0	$156\frac{6}{20}$	858 14 0	—	—

1902—Copper Matte $1389\frac{17}{20}$ tons; £28,026$\frac{10}{20}$.
1903— ,, $3727\frac{5}{20}$ tons; £83,624.

1903—Iron Flux $3052\frac{14}{20}$ tons; Value £3829$\frac{12}{20}$
Iron Ore 508 tons; Value £1069
Zinc Blende 99·16 tons; Value £250

1898, Local Smelters, 2928 tons, £15,404.
1899, ,, ,, 19,323 tons, £76,402.
1900, ,, ,, 15,050 tons, £93,766$\frac{13}{20}$.
1901, ,, ,, 9949 tons, £54,401$\frac{17}{20}$.
1902, ,, ,, 20,387 tons, £79,670.
1903, ,, ,, 34,997 tons, £129,402$\frac{17}{20}$

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Secretary of Mines.]
[Returns discontinued in 1904.]

MISCELLANEOUS MINING, 1905.

Locality.	Copper, Silver, and Gold. (Conglomerate Ore.)				Copper and Copper Ore.				Iron.			
	No. of Mines.	No. of Persons employed.	Quantity raised, Tons.	Value.	No. of Mines.	No. of Persons employed.	Quantity raised, Tons.	Value.	No. of Mines.	No. of Persons employed.	Quantity raised, Tons.	Value.
				£				£				£
North-Western Division—												
West Devon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	6300	2600
									Wolfram.			
East Devon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	15	21	2508
Western Division—												
Macquarie	1	2006	426,834	808,314	6	263	656	39,076	...	...	...	...
Total	1	2006	426,834	808,314	6	263	656	39,076	2	15	21	2508

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by various Collectors.]

GENERAL RETURN.

MINES and Quarries for Years 1898--99-1900-1-2-3-4-5.

	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
GOLD.								
Number of Men employed	1295	1296	1231	1112	1038	973	1076	1207
Quantity raised ... ounces	74,234	83,992	81,125	¶¶69,491	¶¶70,996	¶¶59,891	¶¶65921	¶¶73,540½
Value of Gold produced ... £	281,485	327,545	316,220	295,176	301,573	254,403	280,015	312,380
SILVER (Argentiferous Lead).								
Number of Mines returning information...	36	51	47	41	34	18	22	24
Number of Men employed ...	1579	2285	2940	2414	2893	1681	1101	1512
Quantity of Ore raised ... tons	193,609	417,866	446,436	791,794	435,594	388,042	60,727	75,208
Value of Products ... £	656,213	1,633,724	1,583,404	1,612,637	1,075,007	887,933	289,785	305,959
COPPER (Copper and Conglomerate Ores).								
Number of Mines returning information...	‖	‖	‖	‖	‖	‖	4	7
Number of Men employed ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	925	2269
Quantity of Ore raised ... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	405,627	43,490
Value of Products ... £	...	...	...	...	...	...	743,950	847,390
IRON.								
Number of Mines ...	1	2	1	1	1	§	1	1
Number of men employed ...	8	22	25	8	15	42	25	20
Quantity of Ore raised ... tons	1275	6620	5060	1400	2450	9320	5540	6300
Value of Products ... £	382	3280	5060	450	2450	3300	2770	2600
NICKEL.								
Number of Mines ...	1**	1**	1	1	...	...	...	...
Number of Men employed ...	15	6	16	15	...	...	...	...
Quantity raised ... tons	6	...	4	19	...	...	...	...
Value of Products ... £	400	70	1000	150	...	...	...	...
WOLFRAM.								
Number of Mines ...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	2
Number of Men employed ...	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	15
Quantity raised ... tons	...	...	31	...	...	...	...	21
Value of Products ... £	...	...	1560	...	...	...	...	2508
OXIDE AND ASBESTOS.								
Number of Mines ...	...	...	2	2	1	...	...	...
Number of Men employed ...	...	...	4	6	2	...	...	...
Quantity raised ... tons	...	...	165	480	11	...	...	...
Value of Products ... £	...	...	73	288	11	...	...	...
TIN.								
Number of Mines returning information...	77	90	...	...	...	...	...	...
Number of Men employed ...	709	1051	1170	1065	1260	1331	1304	1351
Quantity of Ore raised ... tons	2837	3281	2650	2476	2959	3476	3257	4011
Value of Products ... £	115,762	270,864	176,802	145,529	206,663	238,883	263,627	390,016
COAL.								
Number of Men employed ...	150	149	151	174	183	161	236	166
Quantity of Coal raised ... tons	49,116	43,113	50,811	49,176	49,898	51,805	61,612	50,464
Value of Products * ... £	19,454	17,008	21,710	19,843	28,600	20,916	29,878	24,445
STONE.								
Number of Quarries returned ...	24	19	15	25	26	35	41	28
Number of Men employed ...	410	450	405	266	379	224	149	95
Quantity of Stone raised :—								
Bluestone ... cub. yds.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Limestone ... tons	44,610	70,617	46,905	26,215	...	35,164	34,078	960
Lime ... bushels	...	...	...	...	103,163	...	102,444	...
,, ... tons	...	878	849	...	2406	47	...	4161
Freestone, Flagstone, Building Stone. c. ft.	19,560	14,400	51,509	37,579	...	2,079,943	12,933	13,000
,, loads	...	...	...	...	1,167,980	...	4740‡	...
Rubble or Metal ... cub. ft.	19,560	3275†	13,562†	†8850	†11,276	2877	12,554†	6559
,, ... tons	17,383	11,870	4222	240,867	122,409	40,076	16,128	23,008
Value of Products.								
Bluestone ... £	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lime ... £	10,639	40,540	13,049	7870	5485	10,016	9288	4129
Building Stone ... £	805	616	11,402	2188	16,746	13,362	776	887
Rubble or Metal ... £	17,847	2630	3983	65,903	22,517	7875	4467	4446
TOTAL VALUE OF OUTPUT OF MINES AND QUARRIES ... £	1,102,987	2,296,277	2,134,668	2,150,034	1,659,061	1,436,688	1,624,556	1,694,760

* Local market value. † Cubic yards. § Cart loads. ‡ Tons. ¶ And 9768 ozs.
‖ Mt. Lyell included with Silver. ** Bismuth. ¶¶ Fine ounces.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from official sources.]

STATISTICAL Particulars as to principal Dividend-paying Mines at time of last Balancing.

THE MOUNT BISCHOFF TIN MINING COMPANY, REGISTERED.

Capital £60,000, in 12,000 Shares of £5 each, of which 4400 are fully paid up, and 7,600 to £1 per Share.

Dividends paid to 31st December, 1905, £2,025,000, or £168 15*s.* per Share.
Tin ore produced to 31st December, 1905, 64,774 tons.
Yield of Tin, 43,337 tons, valued at £3,963,416.
Average yield, 67·70 per cent.

THE TASMANIA GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Return to 31st December, 1905.

Capital, £500,000, in 500,000 Shares of £1 each, fully paid.

No dividends have yet been paid.
Material dealt with to 31st December, 1905, 85,824 tons.
Gold won, 64,626½ ozs., fine gold valued at £259.945 19*s.* 7*d.*
Average yield per ton, 15 dwts. 1·4 grs. fine gold.
The property was purchased by the English Company on 4th June, 1903, from the Tasmania Gold Mining and Quartz Crushing Company, Registered, who had extracted from the mine 495,895 tons, yielding 569,777 ozs. 19 dwts. 7 grs. of gold. of a value of £2,090,878 16*s.* 11*d.*, and had paid in dividends £772,971 15*s.*

NEW GOLDEN GATE MINING COMPANY.

Capital, £9600, in 32,000 Shares of 6*s.* each, of which 5*s.* 3*d.* is paid up.

Dividends paid up to 31st December, 1905, £355,200, or £11 2*s.* per Share.
Material dealt with, 267,140 tons.
Gold won, 222,753 ozs., valued at £847,075 7*s.* 4*d.*
Yield per ton, 16 dwts. 16 grs.

THE MOUNT LYELL MINING AND RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.

This Company was reconstructed, 11th August, 1903, but retaining the same name, by amalgamation with the North Mount Lyell Copper Company, Limited.
Capital of old Company, £900,000 in 300,000 Shares of £3 each, of which 275,000 were issued.
Capital of new Company, £1,300,000, in 1,300,000 Shares of £1 each, of which 1,200,000 were issued.
Dividends paid to January 1st, 1904, by old Company—£996,574 9*s.* 8*d.*, or £3 12*s.* 5*d.* per share; by new Company, to January 1st, 1906, £345,000, or 5*s.* 9*d.* per share.

Metal-bearing material from Mines, smelted to 10th August 1903, by old Company		1,821,541	tons, dry.
" " " "	since to 31st December, 1905, by new Company	976,156	"
" " " "	from commencement to December 31st, 1905	2,797,697	"
Yield of Gold to 10th of August, 1903, by old Company		155,752	ozs., fine.
"	since to 31st December, 1905, by new Company	55,727	"
"	from commencement to December 31st, 1905	211,479	"
Yield of Silver to 10th of August 1903, by old Company		4,121,401	"
"	since to 31st December, 1905, by new Company	1,835,560	"
"	from commencement to December 31st, 1905	5,956,961	"
Yield of Copper to 10th of August, by old Company		48,577	tons, fine.
"	since to 31st December, 1905, by new Company	19,609	"
"	from commencement to December 31st, 1905	68,186	"

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Managers or Secretaries of the various Companies.]

TRADES, MANUFACTORIES, AND OTHER INDUSTRIES.

CLASSIFIED RETURN of certain Trades and Manufactories and Works in operation on the 31st December, 1905, in each of the Municipal and Police Districts of Tasmania.

Classified List of Trades, Manufactories, and Works. (Establishments only.)	North-Eastern Division.								North-Western Division.						Midland.							South-Eastern Division.											South-Western Division.		Total Number in Tasmania.
	Evandale.	*Fingal.*	*George Town.*	*Selby.*	*Launceston.*	*Portland.*	*Ringarooma.*	*Westbury.*	*Deloraine.*	*Emu Bay.*	*Russell.*	*Latrobe.*	*Mersey.* *East Devon.*	*Mersey.* *West Devon.*	*Bothwell.*	*Campbell Town.*	*Green Ponds.*	*Hamilton.*	*Longford.*	*Oatlands.*	*Ross.*	*Brighton.*	*Carnarvon.*	*Clarence.*	*Glamorgan.*	*Glenorchy.*	*New Town.*	*Hobart (Municipal).*	*Queenborough.*	*Kingborough.*	*New Norfolk.*	*Richmond.*	*Sorell.*	*Spring Bay.*	*Franklin.*	*Macquarie.*	
Books and Stationery.																																				
Booksellers	...	1	2	...	10	...	1	...	1	3	...	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	38
Printing Offices	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	24
	...	1	2	...	19	...	1	...	1	5	1	1	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	62
Musical Instruments.																																				
Pianoforte Makers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Arms, Ammunition, &c.																																				
Gunsmiths	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Machines, Tools, &c.																																				
Agricultural Implement	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	4	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Blacksmiths.....[Makers	6	5	6	3	10	3	10	9	10	8	6	6	13	12	3	3	1	3	6	4	3	7	2	2	3	3	2	14	...	6	8	5	5	1	21	7	216
Engineers	...	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	25
Ironmongers	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	23
Total	6	5	7	3	26	3	14	9	10	11	11	9	16	12	3	3	1	3	8	4	3	7	2	3	3	4	2	28	...	6	8	5	5	1	26	11	278
Carriages and Harness.																																				
Coachmakers	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22
Saddle & Harness Makers	2	2	1	...	10	...	4	2	1	2	3	2	4	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	51
Wheelwrights	1	2	1	1	2	...	4	2	2	4	3	2	2	2	...	1	1	1	3	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	3	...	45
Motor & Cycle Factories	...	...	3	...	8	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
Total	3	4	5	1	25	...	8	4	3	8	8	5	10	8	...	1	1	1	5	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	27	2	...	2	...	1	...	5	...	145
Ships and Boats.																																				
Shipwrights and Boat-builders	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16
Houses, Buildings, &c.																																				
Brickmakers	...	...	2	3	3	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	26
Builders	...	...	2	2	10	...	5	1	4	2	1	2	7	3	...	3	1	...	4	2	1	...	...	1	...	2	3	20	4	3	2	...	...	1	14	3	103
Carpenters	2	3	4	3	19	4	14	2	2	13	6	7	6	10	...	...	1	3	2	...	...	...	1	...	5	2	3	21	8	6	4	3	4	1	...	4	163
Limekilns	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	12

Painters, Plumbers, and Glaziers	1	...	4	...	12	...	2	2	1	1	2	1	4	5	...	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	17	3	3	2	...	...	...	...	3	70
Plasterers	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	10	...	1	1	...	...	...	4	...	31
Stonemasons	...	1	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	11	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	32
TOTAL	3	4	13	8	56	5	22	5	10	21	9	16	26	20	...	5	2	3	9	5	3	...	2	4	5	9	10	79	17	14	12	3	4	3	19	11	437
Furniture.																																					
Cabinet-makers and Joiners	...	...	1	1	12	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	36
Carvers and Gilders	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Turners	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
TOTAL	...	...	1	2	16	...	1	...	...	2	...	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	49
Chemicals.																																					
Chemists and Druggists	...	2	2	...	11	...	3	1	1	4	2	2	4	3	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	13	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	5	61
Dyers	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
TOTAL	...	2	2	...	15	...	3	1	1	4	2	2	5	3	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	5	68
Textile Fabrics.																																					
Woollen Manufactories	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Flock	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
TOTAL	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Dress.																																					
Boot and Shoe-makers	5	5	6	2	62	2	7	5	4	9	4	4	9	8	3	2	2	2	7	2	1	2	1	1	3	2	4	67	2	2	5	2	2	...	11	15	270
Clothing Factories	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Hat & Cap Manufactories	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Tailors	...	1	7	...	25	...	4	1	2	5	1	3	3	3	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	6	88
Drapers	5	3	9	...	28	...	8	3	7	9	1	4	9	1	...	2	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	35	...	...	2	...	1	...	4	10	149
TOTAL	10	9	22	2	117	2	19	9	13	23	6	11	21	12	3	4	5	2	11	6	1	2	1	1	3	3	5	125	2	2	9	2	3	...	16	31	513
Fibrous Materials.																																					
Sail-makers	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Animal Food.																																					
Butchers	4	6	8	13	26	3	10	7	5	10	5	3	11	7	2	2	2	...	7	5	1	5	...	2	2	7	3	42	2	4	3	1	5	...	12	14	239
Cheese-makers	...	6	...	...	1	...	4	...	3	5	3	...	2	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	32
Butter Factories	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Creameries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	6
Bacon Factories	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Cheese Factories	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
TOTAL	4	12	8	13	30	7	16	8	9	19	17	3	16	13	2	2	2	...	7	5	1	5	...	2	2	7	3	42	2	4	6	1	6	...	12	14	300
Vegetable Food.																																					
Bakers	2	5	6	3	19	2	8	3	2	8	3	3	8	5	...	...	1	...	2	4	...	3	1	1	...	2	3	36	1	5	2	...	3	1	12	10	164
Gardeners (Market)	...	2	7	13	15	...	5	1	...	3	1	2	5	3	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	14	10	18	3	2	...	...	...	...	4	127
Jam, Pulp, and Fruit-drying Manufactories	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	9
Mills (Flour), Steam	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
" " Water	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Pastrycooks and Confectioners	...	...	...	...	10	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	5	39
TOTAL	4	8	13	16	47	2	15	6	4	12	4	8	18	10	2	...	1	...	6	4	...	3	1	1	1	17	18	69	19	8	5	...	3	1	18	19	363

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Classified List of Trades, Manufactories, and Works. (Establishments only.)	North-Eastern Division.								North-Western Division.						Midland.							South-Eastern Division.													South-Western Division.		Total Number in Tasmania.
	Evandale.	*Fingal.*	*George Town.*	*Selby.*	*Launceston.*	*Portland.*	*Ringarooma.*	*Westbury.*	*Deloraine.*	*Emu Bay*	*Russell.*	*Latrobe.*	*Mersey.* *East Devon.*	*Mersey.* *West Devon.*	*Bothwell.*	*Campbell Town.*	*Green Ponds.*	*Hamilton.*	*Longford.*	*Oatlands.*	*Ross.*	*Brighton.*	*Carnarvon.*	*Clarence.*	*Glamorgan.*	*Glenorchy.*	*New Town.*	*Hobart (Municipal).*	*Queenborough.*	*Kingborough.*	*New Norfolk.*	*Richmond.*	*Sorell.*	*Spring Bay.*	*Franklin.*	*Macquarie.*	
Drinks and Stimulants.																																				
Breweries	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Cider-makers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Ginger Beer, Aerated Waters, Liqueur Manufactories	...	...	1	...	5	...	2	...	1	3	1	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	25
Publicans	4	9	10	10	42	8	14	7	8	12	4	6	13	7	4	4	3	5	8	9	1	5	2	3	1	6	4	97	6	5	6	4	5	3	8	50	393
Tobacconists	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	28
Wine Merchants	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Maltsters	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Total	4	9	11	10	65	8	16	7	9	18	5	8	15	9	4	4	3	5	8	9	1	5	2	3	1	7	5	124	7	5	6	4	5	3	8	57	470
Animal Matters.																																				
Bone-dust Manufactories	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4
Candle Manufactories	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Fellmongers	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	2	3	...	...	7	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	24
Furriers	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Tanners	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Woolstaplers and Sorters	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Soap-boilers	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total	4	...	...	5	12	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	2	2	...	2	3	...	1	7	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	14	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	62
Vegetable Matters.																																				
Basket-makers	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Coopers	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
Sawmills	...	2	1	5	4	1	9	...	4	3	3	2	4	5	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	1	...	6	...	2	3	...	...	...	45	4	109
Barkmills	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Wood Merchants	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	4	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	39
Total	...	2	1	5	25	1	9	2	5	4	3	3	5	6	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	3	2	1	2	4	24	...	2	3	...	...	...	45	6	167
Coal.																																				
Gas Works	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Stone, Clay, Earthenware, and Glass.																																				
Potteries	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4

Gold, Silver, and Precious Stones.																																					
Watchmakers, Jewellers, &c.	...	...	3	...	21	...	2	...	1	4	2	1	3	2	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	5	66
Chlorination Works	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
TOTAL	...	...	6	...	21	...	2	...	1	4	2	1	3	2	...	2	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	5	69
Metals other than Gold and Silver.																																					
Brass-founders	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Foundries (Iron & Brass)	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	10
Smelting Works	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3
Tin-workers	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	17
Whitesmiths	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
Locksmith, &c.	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
TOTAL	...	...	...	...	12	1	1	...	...	...	1	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	38
Miscellaneous.																																					
Auctioneers	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	25
Barbers & Hairdressers	...	2	4	...	23	...	4	...	1	7	2	3	6	3	...	1	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	19	1	...	2	...	...	...	6	12	102
Corn & Ship Chandlers	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22
General Dealers	...	13	28	11	94	7	8	1	9	10	13	2	15	27	...	7	...	12	...	...	...	14	3	...	2	2	...	73	...	...	5	8	12	4	15	8	403
Grocers	...	...	5	...	80	...	12	9	7	8	...	2	3	...	5	...	4	...	12	4	4	...	...	3	...	4	8	57	7	13	8	...	...	...	24	16	295
Hawkers	2	...	1	1	36	...	1	2	...	...	...	6	7	3	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	28	2	1	1	...	...	2	1	3	105
Wholesale Merchants	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26
Photographers	...	...	1	...	6	...	4	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	33
Others not specified in List	..	...	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
TOTAL	2	15	44	12	262	7	29	12	18	32	16	15	43	34	5	8	6	12	15	8	6	15	3	5	2	9	9	220	11	14	16	8	12	6	46	44	1021
GRAND TOTAL	40	71	136	79	758	36	156	64	84	164	86	88	194	133	20	31	24	27	74	53	17	41	15	22	18	59	59	843	65	55	70	25	39	14	200	218	4078

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Classified List of Trades, Manufactories, and Works.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Books and Stationery.										
Booksellers	31	28	27	31	32	37	36	36	39	38
Printing Offices	19	17	21	22	23	20	23	24	24	24
Musical Instruments.										
Pianoforte-makers' Establishments	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1
Machines, Tools, and Implements.										
Agricultural Implement-makers' Establishments	21	25	27	23	22	26	21	12	13	14
Blacksmiths' Establishments	207	200	191	208	204	191	180	207	206	216
Engineers' ditto	23	20	19	18	17	16	24	25	23	25
Ironmongers' ditto	22	21	23	22	21	28	24	23	23	23
Millwrights' ditto	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carriages and Harness.										
Coach-makers' Establishments	20	19	17	23	18	18	18	26	25	22
Saddle and Harness-makers' ditto	39	46	40	47	47	44	49	53	48	51
Wheelwrights' ditto	51	56	56	56	46	60	40	50	51	45
Cycle Factories	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	27
Ships and Boats.										
Shipwrights and Boatbuilders' Establishments	15	11	13	16	14	14	15	16	14	16
Houses, Buildings, &c.										
Brick-makers' Establishments	26	26	26	27	20	28	27	24	24	26
Builders' ditto	90	92	88	97	99	81	99	104	102	103
Carpenters' ditto	145	147	131	143	181	157	138	167	174	163
Limekilns	11	11	10	7	6	7	10	12	11	12
Painters, Plumbers, and Glaziers' Establishments	65	64	67	79	67	62	70	72	76	70
Plasterers' ditto	26	26	21	24	29	25	26	26	30	31
Stonemasons' ditto	35	29	28	29	32	34	29	31	35	32
Furniture.										
Cabinet-makers and Joiners' Establishments	41	41	46	46	43	45	41	44	38	36
Carvers and Gilders' ditto	6	6	9	6	6	5	5	5	5	5
Turners' ditto	7	7	8	5	7	7	7	8	6	8
Chemicals.										
Chemists and Druggists' Establishments	52	57	57	57	58	56	56	57	61	61
Dyers' ditto	6	6	6	7	6	5	8	8	7	7
Textile Fabrics.										
Woollen Manufactories	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4
Flock Factory	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Dress.										
Boot and Shoemakers' Establishments	296	296	283	288	268	267	274	269	271	270
Clothing Factories	3	3	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Hat and Cap Manufactories	3	2	2	2	2	1	2	3	2	2
Tailors' Establishments	61	64	71	70	69	68	74	77	80	88
Drapers	127	122	142	147	138	142	144	145	134	149
Fibrous Materials.										
Sailmakers' Establishments	6	5	7	3	3	5	5	6	5	5
Animal Food.										
Butchers' Establishments	298	79	263	271	262	265	265	266	260	239
Cheese-makers' ditto	69	74	73	66	69	62	59	48	40	32
Butter Factories	8	11	4	20	22	18	14	13	13	11
Bacon Factories	4	4	2	11	10	12	4	12	14	8
Creameries	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8	8	6
Cheese Factories	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
Vegetable Food.										
Bakers' Establishments	151	153	151	165	155	156	152	149	166	164
Gardeners' (Market) ditto	147	135	144	155	109	155	162	135	139	127
Jam Manufactories	8	6	7	5	4	6	7	9	14*	9
Mills (Flour) Steam	14	15	17	16	16	17	16	16	15	16
" " Water	22	18	14	13	14	...	11	9	9	8
" " Hydraulic	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
" " Horse	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pastrycooks and Confectioners' Establishments	29	32	23	41	...	49	41	40	54	39

* Including Pulp and Fruit-drying Establishments.

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Classified List of Trades, Manufactories, and Works.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Drinks and Stimulants.										
Breweries	9	9	10	8	7	7	7	8	8	8
Cider-makers' Establishments	6	8	5	9	5	7	3	4	4	3
Ginger Beer, Aerated Waters, Liqueur and Cordial Manufactories	20	23	24	26	22	23	24	24	25	25
Maltsters' Establishments	2	1	1	1	...	1	2	2	2	2
Licensed Victuallers' ditto	373	380	384	391	405	410	397	392	393	393
Tobacconists' ditto	29	30	31	33	33	34	31	31	32	28
Wine Merchants' ditto	10	10	11	13	11	10	9	11	12	11
Animal Matters.										
Bone-dust Manufactories	2	3	4	5	3	2	5	3	4	4
Candle ditto	5	5	4	6	4	5	4	3	3	3
Fellmongers' Establishments	27	23	25	25	36	24	21	27	15	24
Furriers' ditto	12	5	5	7	6	5	5	5	5	4
Tanneries	17	20	21	19	19	21	17	15	13	14
Woolstaplers and Sorters' Establishments	5	3	8	6	4	7	9	7	10	10
Soap-boilers' ditto	6	4	6	6	4	3	3	1	2	3
Vegetable Matters.										
Basket-makers' Establishments	5	6	5	7	6	5	6	6	7	7
Coopers' ditto	10	13	9	10	9	9	9	8	7	8
Sawmills	62	69	68	80	82	75	73	106	94	109
Barkmills	7	6	8	3	5	5	4	4	4	4
Wood Merchants	...	...	...	21	16	24	34	39	37	39
Coal.										
Gas Works	3	3	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3
Stone, Clay, Earthenware, & Glass.										
Potteries	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4
Gold, Silver, and Precious Stones.										
Watchmakers' Establishments	57	59	57	63	56	61	64	67	69	66
Metals other than Gold and Silver.										
Brass-founders' Establishments	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	2
Foundries (Iron and Brass)	7	7	5	6	7	8	8	7	9	10
Smelting Works	1	2	1	2	2	3	2	1	3	3
Tin-workers' Establishments	13	11	17	12	10	11	9	16	15	17
Whitesmiths	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	3	2	3
Locksmiths	1	2	1	5	3	2	4	4	4	4
Arms, Ammunition, &c.										
Gunsmiths' Establishments	4	3	5	5	3	6	4	4	5	2
Miscellaneous.										
Auctioneers' Establishments	16	22	22	23	21	23	24	25	26	25
Barbers' ditto	61	68	66	75	74	81	93	92	98	102
Corn and Ship-chandlers' ditto	29	28	28	34	31	17	16	19	22	22
General Dealers' ditto	450	425	412	386	425	409	366	345	371	403
Grocers' ditto	155	219	217	283	243	284	276	289	290	295
Hawkers' ditto	44	40	48	59	60	99	100	125	126	105
Wholesale Merchants	16	16	21	21	25	23	23	25	24	26
Others not above specified	6	10	9	11	17	26	10	32	5	13
Photographers	5	7	21	25	37	36	36	20	34	33
Grand Total	3691	3725	3724	3971	3899	3985	3902	4024	4070	4074

[This and the previous Return compiled by Government Statistician from Statements furnished by the Wardens of Municipalities and by the Superintendents of Police Municipal Police Districts.]

INDUSTRIES, 1905.

INDUSTRIAL Establishments (exclusive of Mines) in Tasmania, classified according to nature of Industries.

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.			Average Number of Persons employed.												Average Number of Persons employed under 16 years of age.			Average Number of Persons employed at Home working for Establishments.			Actual Horse-power of Engines used.				Approximate Value of—		Amount paid in Salaries and Wages during Year.
				Managers and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers, skilled and unskilled, in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		Carters and Messengers.	Total.																
	Using Machinery worked by Steam, Gas, Oil, or Electricity.	Others.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Steam.	Gas.	Oil and Water.	Electric.	Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	
																									£	£	£
1. Treating Raw Material, the product of pastoral pursuits, &c.	10	...	10	11	...	5	...	9	66	...	9	100	...	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	...	...	...	10,994	7600	7779
2. Treating Oils and Fats, Animal and Vegetable.	3	...	3	3	...	6	...	4	18	2	6	37	2	39	4	...	4	...	...	...	33	...	...	...	13,000	5600	4100
3. Processes relating to Stone, Clay, Glass, &c.	9	15	24	29	...	2	1	10	193	...	20	254	1	255	6	...	6	...	...	...	170	...	...	...	19,685	16,477	17,424
4. Working in Wood...	72	7	79	134	...	43	5	82	890	...	93	1242	5	1249	42	...	42	...	...	...	1298	...	10	20	58,457	83,891	94,036
5. Metal Works, Machinery, &c.	28	7	35	63	...	46	4	77	1979	...	13	2178	4	2182	30	...	30	...	...	...	2556	½	6	279½	78,242	178,398	248,394
6. Connected with Food and Drink or the preparation thereof	80	16	96	152	7	74	5	40	768	207	98	1132	219	1351	95	36	131	7	3	10	952	18	254	50	520,051	138,536	76,378
7. Clothing and Textile Fabrics, and Fibrous Materials	22	78	100	90	57	18	6	3	507	913	22	640	976	1616	33	88	121	13	50	63	99	1	58	24½	104,870	39,869	69,292
8. Books, Paper, Printing, Engraving	17	...	17	63	2	39	3	4	327	60	29	462	65	527	24	2	26	5	...	5	12	33½	...	57½	30,768	40,804	52,348
9. Musical Instruments.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Arms and Explosives	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	11	26	37	53	...	7	...	...	260	2	10	330	2	332	31	...	31	1	...	1	8	...	1½	31	31,505	3200	20,455
12. Shipbuilding, Fittings, &c.	5	4	9	11	...	...	...	4	43	...	6	64	...	64	1	...	1	...	...	...	55	....	...	...	7695	3450	4980
13. Furniture, Bedding, &c..	4	10	14	21	2	5	...	2	164	12	11	203	14	217	10	2	12	4	3	7	9	...	...	39¾	29,350	2555	15,100
14. Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Surgical and Scientific Appliances	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Timepieces, Jewellery, and Platedware	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350	30	250
17. Heat, Light, and Energy	7	...	7	23	...	19	...	81	264	...	6	393	...	393	4	...	4	...	...	...	4518	...	...	1660	55,850	231,291	35,659
18. Leatherware (excepting Saddlery, Harness, &c.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Minor wares not elsewhere included	2	2	4	6	...	2	2	...	26	16	4	38	18	56	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	2½	...	4	2700	2223	2530
GRAND TOTAL	270	166	436	660	68	266	26	316	5506	1213	327	7075	1307	8382	284	128	412	30	56	86	9828	552½	329½	2166¼	963,517	754,924	648,725

INDUSTRIES, 1905—*continued.*

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	Using Machinery worked by Steam, Gas, Oil, or Electricity.	Others.	Total.	Managers and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers, skilled and unskilled, in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		Carters and Messengers.	Total.														Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	
				Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Steam.	Gas.	Oil and Water.	Electric.				
																									Months	£	£	£
CLASS 1.—Treating Raw Material, the product of pastoral pursuits or vegetable products not otherwise classed:—																												
1. Animal Products—																												
Bone Mills	4	...	4	2	...	1	...	3	4	...	1	11	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	...	...	...	12	1800	1550	670
Tanneries	3	...	3	4	...	3	...	3	44	...	2	56	...	56	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	12	7144	4550	5050
2. Vegetable Products—																												
Bark Mills	3	...	3	5	...	1	...	3	18	...	6	33	...	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	...	...	5	2050	1500	2059
Total Class 1	10	...	10	11	...	5	...	9	66	...	9	100	...	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	...	...	...	...	10,994	7600	7779
CLASS 2.—Oil and Fats, animal and vegetable—																												
Soap, Candles	3	...	3	3	...	6	...	4	18	2	6	37	2	39	4	...	4	...	...	...	33	...	...	...	12	13,000	5600	4100
Total Class 2	3	...	3	3	...	6	...	4	18	2	6	37	2	39	4	...	4	...	...	...	33	...	...	...	12	13,000	5600	4100
CLASS 3.—Processes relating to Stone, Clay, Glass, &c.—																												
Bricks	9	2	11	17	...	1	1	10	147	...	11	186	1	187	6	...	6	...	...	...	170	...	...	...	9	11,250	16,332	13,107
Lime, Plaster, Cement	...	8	8	5	...	1	...	...	30	...	8	44	...	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	4500	110	2536
Stone Dressing	...	5	5	7	...	...	...	...	16	...	1	24	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	3935	35	1781
Total Class 3	9	15	24	29	...	2	1	10	193	...	20	254	1	255	6	...	6	...	..	...	170	...	...	...	...	19,685	16,477	17,424
CLASS 4.—Working in Wood—																												
Joinery, Sash, Door	7	5	12	28	...	9	...	6	175	...	18	236	...	236	7	...	7	...	...	...	112	...	...	...	12	16,195	7960	17,219
Sawmilling, Moulding	65	2	67	106	...	34	5	76	715	...	75	1006	5	1011	35	...	35	...	...	...	1182	...	10	20	12	42,262	75,931	76,817
Total Class 4	72	7	79	134	...	43	5	82	890	...	93	1242	5	1247	42	...	42	...	...	...	1290	...	10	20	12	58,457	83,891	94,036

INDUSTRIES, 1905.—*continued.*

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.			Average Number of Persons employed.											Average Number of Persons employed under 16 years of age.			Average Number of Persons employed at Home working for Establishments.			Actual Horse-power of Engines used.				Average time in operation during the year.	Approximate Value of—		Amount paid in Salaries and Wages during Year.
	Using Machinery worked by Steam, Gas, Oil, or Electricity.	Others.	Total.	Managers and Overseers.		Accountants and Clerks.		Engine-drivers and Firemen.	Workers, skilled and unskilled, in Factory, Mill, or Workshop.		Carters and Messengers.	Total.									Steam.	Gas.	Oil and Water.	Electric.		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	
				Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.					Months	£	£	£
CLASS 5.—Metal Works, Machinery, &c.—																												
Agricultural Implements—																												
Blacksmith	1	2	3	6	...	1	...	1	26	...	1	35	...	35	5	...	5	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	12	3210	2090	2393
Engineering, Boiler-making, Iron Foundries	17	...	17	27	...	9	4	7	309	...	3	355	4	359	9	...	9	...	...	...	146	½	6	78	12	21,305	42,668	33,238
Brass and Copper Smiths	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½	12	30	100	500
Railway Workshops	5	...	5	8	...	7	...	8	272	...	2	297	...	297	4	...	4	...	...	...	107	...	...	...	12	25,000	1200	24,485
Smelting, Chlorination, Cyanide, Pyrites	4	...	4	13	...	27	...	61	1281	...	5	1387	...	1387	8	...	8	...	...	...	2285	...	...	200	12	22,997	120,990	179,749
Tinsmithing, Sheet-iron	...	5	5	8	...	2	...	...	87	...	2	99	...	99	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	5700	1350	8029
Total Class 5	28	7	35	63	...	46	4	77	1979	...	13	2178	4	2182	30	...	30	...	...	...	2556	½	6	279½	12	78,242	178,398	248,394
CLASS 6.—Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof:—																												
1. Animal Food—																												
Bacon	5	6	11	14	...	2	1	2	29	2	12	59	3	62	1	...	1	3	...	3	32	...	...	...	7	6356	5715	3096
Butter / Cheese	26	...	26	32	1	4	...	1	54	15	16	107	16	123	9	2	11	2	3	5	87	...	4	..	8	14,176	13,989	5181
Fish & Meat Preserving, Freezing	2	1	3	3	...	2	...	4	7	...	1	17	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	12	6500	11,728	1417
2. Vegetable Food, including Products (not Food), but usually associated with the Manufacture of Foods—																												
Biscuits / Confectionery	6	...	6	10	3	4	2	2	61	19	12	89	24	113	7	...	7	...	...	...	61	6	...	14	12	10,200	4140	6381
Flour Mills	14	4	18	32	1	19	1	16	41	...	22	130	2	132	2	...	2	...	...	...	407	...	183	..	9	45,100	35,060	11,175
Jam Factories / Fruit-drying	7	2	9	27	...	20	...	5	446	165	...	498	165	663	67	34	101	2	...	2	233	...	...	20	6	25,450	16,170	25,789
Pickles / Sauces / Vinegar	...	2	2	4	...	...	...	...	3	4	...	7	4	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	1200	370	358
3. Drinks and Stimulants—																												
Aërated Water, Cordials	13	...	13	18	2	3	1	4	33	1	16	74	4	78	3	...	3	...	...	...	21	4	2	3	12	9900	8330	5926
Breweries	6	...	6	10	...	20	...	5	92	...	18	145	...	145	6	...	6	...	...	...	93	8	65	8	12	399,919	42,384	16,578
Cider Factories	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	250	150	200

Condiments, Coffee, Chicory, Cocoa, Chocolate, Spice, &c.	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	3	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	12	1000	500	277
Total Class 6	80	16	96	152	7	74	5	40	768	207	98	1132	219	1351	95	36	131	7	3	19	952	18	254	50	...	520,051	138,536	76,378
Class 7.—Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Fibrous Materials:—																												
1. Textile—																												
Woollen Cloth, Blankets, Rugs, Stockings	4	...	4	8	...	3	2	3	73	145	1	88	147	236	...	...	...	...	...	...	77	...	58	4	12	18,000	29,940	10,430
2. Dress—																												
Boots, Shoes	8	7	15	26	1	5	1	...	236	58	5	272	60	332	15	10	25	8	1	9	8	1	...	9	12	16,750	6915	16,031
Clothing, Tailoring, Dressmaking, Millinery	5	69	74	52	51	10	3	...	190	639	14	266	693	959	16	69	85	5	47	52	...	...	...	2½	12	62,070	1589	40,107
Furrier	1	1	2	2	1	...	...	...	3	4	1	6	5	11	2	1	3	...	2	2	12	...	...	...	12	2000	525	620
Shirtmaking; Underclothing	3	1	4	1	4	...	...	...	3	66	...	4	70	74	...	8	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	12	5600	850	1944
Dye Works	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	4	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	12	450	50	160
3. Fibrous Materials, and Textiles not elsewhere included	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class 7	22	78	100	90	57	18	6	3	507	913	22	640	976	1617	33	88	121	13	50	63	99	1	58	24½	12	104,870	39,869	69,292
Class 8.—Books, Paper, Printing, Engraving.																												
Printing, including Lithograph Printing, Bookbinding, Account Bookmaking, Stationery, Rubber Stamps	17	...	17	63	2	39	3	4	327	60	29	462	65	527	24	2	26	5	...	...	12	33½	...	57½	12	30,768	40,804	52,348
Total Class 8	17	...	17	63	2	39	3	4	327	60	29	462	65	527	24	2	26	5	...	...	12	33½	...	57½	12	30,768	40,804	52,348
Class 11.—Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.																												
Coaches, Wagons, and Wheelwrights	2	21	23	31	...	1	...	...	175	...	4	211	...	211	16	...	16	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	12	12,915	1529	13,033
Cycles, Cycle Tyres	7	...	7	7	...	4	...	...	32	...	4	47	...	47	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1½	28½	12	10,090	1146	3348
Saddlery, Harness, Saddletrees, Saddlers' Ironmongery, Spokes, Felloes	2	5	7	15	...	2	...	...	53	2	2	72	2	74	15	...	15	1	...	1	...	...	...	2½	12	8500	525	4074
Total Class 11	11	26	37	53	...	7	...	...	260	2	10	330	2	332	31	...	31	1	...	1	8	...	1½	31	12	31,505	3200	20,455
Class 12.—Shipbuilding Fitting.																												
Sails, Tarpaulins	...	2	2	3	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	9	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	920	50	748
Ship Boatbuilding	5	2	7	8	...	...	...	4	37	...	6	55	...	55	1	...	1	...	...	...	55	...	...	...	12	6775	3400	4232
Total Class 12	5	4	9	11	...	...	...	4	43	...	6	64	...	64	1	...	1	...	...	...	55	...	...	...	12	7695	3450	4980

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				Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Grand Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Steam.	Gas.	Oil and Water.	Electric.		Land and Buildings.	Plant and Machinery.	
																									Months	£	£	£
CLASS 13.—Furniture, Bedding, &c.																												
Bedding, Flock, Upholstery	2	1	3	3	2	...	...	...	12	8	2	17	10	27	4	2	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	16¼	12	2455	825	955
Furniture, Cabinetmaking ...	2	9	11	18	...	5	...	2	152	4	9	186	4	190	6	...	6	4	2	6	9	...	...	23	12	26,895	1730	14,145
Picture Frames.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Venetian Blinds.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class 13	4	10	14	21	2	5	...	2	164	12	11	203	14	217	10	2	12	4	3	7	9	...	...	39⅝	12	29,350	2555	15,100
CLASS 14.—Drugs, Chemicals, and By Products.																												
Chemical Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Essential Oils.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class 14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
CLASS 16.—Timepieces, Jewellery, and Platedware.																												
Goldsmithing, Jewellery, Gold beating	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	350	30	250
Total Class 16	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	350	30	250
CLASS 17.—Heat, Light, & Energy.																												
Gas, Electric Light, and Power	7	...	7	23	...	19	...	81	264	...	6	393	...	393	4	...	4	...	...	...	4518	...	...	1660	12	55,850	231,291	35,659
Total Class 17	7	...	7	23	...	19	...	81	264	...	6	393	...	393	4	...	4	...	...	...	4518	...	...	1660	12	55,850	231,291	35,659
CLASS 18.—Fancy Leather.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
Total Class 18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...
CLASS 19.—Minor Wares not elsewhere included.																												
Basket, Wickerware..... } Brooms, Brushware ..... }	2	2	4	6	...	2	2	...	26	16	4	38	18	56	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2½	...	4	12	2700	2223	2530
Total Class 19	2	2	4	6	...	2	2	...	26	16	4	38	18	56	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2½	...	4	12	2700	2223	2530
GRAND TOTAL	270	166	436	660	68	266	26	316	5306	1213	327	7075	1307	8382	284	128	412	30	56	86	9828	552½	329½	2166¼	...	963,517	754,924	648,725

TRADES, MANUFACTORIES, AND OTHER INDUSTRIES.

WITH regard to the following industries, the aggregates are alone given, as it would not be desirable to localise information to Districts, thereby in many cases unnecessarily disclosing the extent of the business of private individuals or companies, as the case may be.

Unfortunately, the figures given by some establishments in respect of capital invested vary greatly year by year; such figures can therefore be only regarded as rough approximates

SAWMILLS.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working, returning information	84	67	67	71	67
Number of Establishments using Steam, Gas, Oil, or Electricity	80	61	...	70	65
Engines ..... No	83	61	...	74	79
Horse-power	1365	1218	1216	1191	1192
Water-power, number of Establishments using	4	4	...	1	2
Horse-power	65	...	10	10	10
Number of hands employed	951	929	957	1085	1011
Capital invested, approximate	£83,202	£80,225	...	...	...
Value of timber sawn	£117 734	£61,573	£89,227	£92,102	£75,817*
Feet of timber sawn	...	24,531,922	35,196,700	34,760,628	40,273,429
Approximate Value of Lands and Buildings	...	...	£79,483	£64,629	£42,262
Plant and Machinery	...	...	£87,822	£84,270	£75,931
Salaries and Wages paid	...	...	£65,102	£78,797	£75,817

* Value apparently understated.

Nature of Timber sawn—Deal, Pine, Cedar, Stringy-bark, Peppermint, Hardwood, Gum, Blackwood.

[This and the following eighteen Industry Returns have been compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Proprietors of the respective Establishments.]

BRICKYARDS AND POTTERIES.

	1901.	1902	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working[a]	25	20	18	15	11
Steam-power, number of Establishments using	9	10	...	15	9
Engines	9	12	...	15	10
Horse-power	162	166	181	232	170
Hand-power, number of Establishments using	8	...	..		...
Horse-power, number of Establishments using	8	9	...	...	1
Water-power, number of Establishments using	...	1	...	1	1
Number of hands employed	185	279	174	215	187
Number of Bricks made	7,007.000*	6,873,936	11,312,895	11,377,429	8,326,400
Value of Bricks made	£12,080*	£11,975	£16,968	£17,070	£12,489
Value of Pottery made	£3388	£4212	£5030	£12,045	£5325
Approximate value of Land and Buildings	£21,900	£18,088	£9690	£13,682	£11,250
Machinery and Plant	...	£14,765	£14,715	£16,170	£16,332
Total Amount paid in Salaries and Wages	...	...	£12,496	£14,729	£13,107

[a] Of these numbers the following is an analysis :—

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Potteries only	1	1	1	...	—
Potteries and Brickyards	2	2	2	3	2
Brickyards only	22	19	15	15	9

* Of these, 28,000, of value £218, are Fire Bricks.

TANNERIES AND FELLMONGERIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working[a]	16	9	10	8	3
Steam-power, number of Establishments using	9	9	6	5	3
Engines	9	9	6	5	3
Horse-power	79	67	62	52	30
Hand-power, number of Establishments using	7	1	3	3	...
Water-power „ „	...	1	1	...	...
Number of hands employed	125	101	102	96	56
Ditto Holders or Pits in use	399	737	340	317	149
Ditto Hides and Skins tanned ..... Doz.	13,734	9060	7601	12,287	24,300
Ditto Skins stripped, &c. ..... Doz.	7662	5837	4234	2119	16,000
Value of Products—Leather	£49,845	*	*	*	*
Wool, &c.	£7238	£11,299	£8222	£5093	£1020
Bark used ..... Tons	...	859	759	727	600
Approximate cost of Buildings, &c.	£840	£9620	£12,100	£11,200	£7144
Approximate Value of Machinery, &c.	£10,045	£8570	£9420	£8715	£4550
Total Amount paid in Salaries and Wages	...	...	£7742	£7558	5050

[a] Of these numbers the following is an analysis :— * Not ascertained.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Fellmongeries only	1	2	1	1	1
Tanneries only	7	3	4	3	—
Tanneries and Fellmongeries	8	4	5	4	2

SOAP AND CANDLE MANUFACTORIES.

Districts in which industries are situated—Selby, Launceston, Glenorchy, Hobart.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Factories	6	5	5	4	3
Steam-power, No. of Establishments using	5	4	4	3	3
Engines	10	4	4	3	3
Horse-power	136	51	43	31	33
Power (in 1 Establishment)	Hand Power only	Hand power only	Hand power only	Hand power only	Hand power only
Number of hands employed	66	67	68	47	39
Quantity of Soap made Tons	1170	751	716	588	418
Ditto Candles made Tons	426	483	413	277	214
Ditto Soda made Tons	290	110	130	52	*
Value of Soap made	18,900	12,130	£11,550	£9485	£6742
Ditto Candles made	17,288	19,600	£16,760	£11,241	£868
Ditto Soda made	1430	542	£641	£256	*
Approximate cost of Buildings and Equipment	16,500	18,900	£18,100	£16,750	13,000
Total amount paid in salaries and wages	...	...	£6121	£4375	4100

* Not stated.

TASMANIAN BREWERIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Breweries No.	6	7	9	7	6
Persons employed average No.	97	170	197	184	145
Capital invested in Machinery and plant £	28,450	44,040	54,372	47,303	42,384
Beer brewed galls	1,569,404	1,814,077	1,890,673	2,209,156	1,832,601
Stock in hand „	87,680	...	...	...	...
Waste „	25,992	...	...	...	...
Beer upon which Duty has been paid „	1,459,192	1,634,625	1,891,823	1,469,884	1,802,028
Duty paid £	24,593	19,320	21,042	24,165	20,837
Beer brewed per head of population galls.	9·09	10·31	10·65	12·35	10·22
Value of Land and Buildings £	...	...	417,243	420,340	399,919

BUTTER FACTORIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working No.	23	12	15	17	26
Persons employed No.	95	82	119	102	123
Steam-power, No. of Factories using	14	9	...	12	26
Engines	29	12	...	12	28
Horse-power	237	190	310	140	87
Butter made lbs.	723,771	699,526	854,442	845,378	1,281,604
Value £	33,836	23,317	28,480	28,179	32,040
Cheese made lbs.	268,539	348,614	533,709	204,160	369,913
Value £	6818	8740	13,345	5104	9248
Value of Plant £	16,812	12,165	13,917	10,722	13,989
Land and Buildings	...	13,693	18,372	10,117	14,176
Total wages	...	...	...	...	5181

BACON FACTORIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working and supplying information	12	4	5	17	11
Persons employed	28	22	24	52	62
Males	27	21	23	48	59
Females	1	1	1	4	3
Quantity of Bacon and Hams cured lbs.	530,015	414,340	401,417	574,781	446,714
Value of ditto £	15,837	10,358	10,035	14,368	11,268
Value of Machinery and Plant £	1807	1468	480	1893	5715
Pigs killed	...	5343	5129	6914	6623
Value of Land and Buildings	...	...	2950	7230	6356
Total wages paid	...	...	...	...	3096

FRUIT-DRYING.

		1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working and supplying information		4	4	3	3	5
Persons employed		86	76	44	42	67
Males		36	42	37	25	39
Females		50	34	7	17	28
Quantity of Green Material operated on—						
Fruit	bush.	66,000	76,000	36,500	22,000	40,800
Vegetables	cwts.	...	...	...	...	...
Quantity of Dried Produce—						
Fruit	lbs.	426,400	453,256	219,000	134,000	336,000
Vegetables	lbs.	...	...	...	...	...
Value of Dried Produce—						
Fruit	£	6383	6784	3277	2010	5040
Vegetables	£	...	...	...	...	...
Value of Machinery and Plant	£	2050	1170	1190	750	2320
Assessed Annual Value of Lands and Buildings	£	52	1450*	1250*	1200*	2200*
Total Amount Salaries and Wages	£	...	...	...	...	1524

* Capital Value.

BOOT FACTORIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments returning information	13	11	13	13	15
" " using Steam Power	2	...	...	1	5
Horse Power	7	...	...	12	8
Number of Establishments using Gas Power	2	2	...	2	1
Horse Power	20	20	42	9	1
Number of Establishments using Hand Power only	5	6	...	5	...
Ditto Electric Power	4	3	...	5	9
Ditto Horse Power	22	—	...	15	9
Number of Persons employed	370	298	344	333	332
Males	301	252	269	273	272
Females	99	46	75	60	60
Boots, &c. made (pairs)	207,730	187,584	202,249	188,845	142,078
Value of ditto (£)	66,018	59,093	64,270	59,486	44,565
Uppers for other Factories (pairs)	...	1112	4700	1452	13,610
Value of Machinery and Plant (£)	7062	5602	5928	6040	6915
Value of Lands and Buildings (£)	...	...	8800	14,260	16,750
Total Amount of Salaries and Wages paid (£)	...	...	17,672	18,688	16,031

GAS WORKS IN TASMANIA.

		1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905
Number of Gas Works		3	3	3	3	3
Ditto Gasometers		8	8	8	8	8
Cubic capacity	feet	936,000	936,000	936,000	936,000	936,000
Cubic feet consumed during year	No.	110,709,800	69,686,979	105,004,900	105,207,000	121,681,400
Length of Mains	miles		95½	86¾	86¾	86¼
Length of Service Pipes to Lamps and Consumers	miles	110¼	114	117¼	119¼	120½
Estimated cost	£	209,599	226,449	211,206	211,206	212,185
Coal used	Tons	...	...	...	...	11,505
Coke produced	Tons	...	...	...	...	7234
Salaries and Wages	£	...	...	...	...	15,165

OIL DISTILLERIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Distilleries working	2	3	...	...	...
Steam-power used in Establishments	2	3	...	...	...
Engines	2	3	...	...	...
Horse-power	20	27	...	...	...
Number of Hands employed	11	23	...	...	...
Oil, gallons	1870	1195	...	...	...
Value	£182	£819	...	...	...
Other Products, value	...	...	...	...	...
Value of Machinery, &c.	£350	£200	...	...	...
Land and Buildings	—	£1400	...	...	...

Other particulars cannot be correctly estimated.

FLOUR MILLS.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working	26	23	22	20	18
Steam-power, Number of Establishments using	14	12	...	13	14
Engines	16	14	...	15	14
Horse-power	319	292	615	310	590
Water-power, Number of Establishments using	10	7	...	4	3
Horse-power	281	88	...	64	163
Water and Steam-power, Number of Establishments using	2	4	...	3	1
Engines	2	8	...	6	1
Horse-power	44	262	...	251	20
Number of Hands employed	128	138	135	146	132
Grain operated upon, Wheat ....Bushels	1,117,297	903,298	1,012,258	979,128	896,744
Ditto, other Grain ....Bushels	169,134	97,259	86,004	84,395	131,950
Quantity of Flour produced....Tons	21,954	18,620	20,656	19,822	18,325
Approximate value of Buildings ....£	81,655	78,610	40,545	43,775	45,100
Plant and Machinery ....£	...	...	41,775	37,510	35,060
Total Amount paid in Salaries and Wages ....£	...	...	16,051	11,275	11,175

WOOLLEN MILLS.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working	3	3	3	3	4
Power used in 2 Establishments, steam, 2 engines...	= 45 H.P.	= 45 H.P.	= 77 H P.	= 77 H.P.	= 81 H.P.
Ditto, 1 Establishment, water	= 58 H.P.	= 58 H.P.	= 58 H.P.	= 58 H.P.	= 58 H.P.
Number of Persons employed	200	210	201	223	236
Quantity of Wool used ....lbs.	776,000	780,000	812,000	811,500	1,067,050
Value of Products ....£	32,800	...	...	...	...
Estimated Capital invested in Buildings, &c....£	39,800	17,750	16,800	17,700	18,000
Machinery and Plant....£	...	28,000	28,000	29,600	29,940
Total Amount paid in Salaries and Wages ....£	...	...	6788	9391	10,430

BARK MILLS.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Establishments working	6	3	3	4	3
Steam-power, Number of Establishments using	6	3	...	4	3
Engines	4	3	...	4	3
Horse power	55	42	44	66	32
Number of Hands employed	39	29	37	47	33
Quantity of Bark ground ....Tons	5431	4474	5000	5475	3170
Value of Bark ground ....£	34,368	22,370	25,000	27,375	19,170
Capital invested in Machinery and Plant ....£	5100	5774†	2450	1750	1500
Estimated Capital invested in Land and Buildings...£	...	...	2650	3860	2050
Total Amount paid in Salaries and Wages....£	...	...	1700	2483	2059

† Including Buildings.

JAM MANUFACTORIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Establishments working*....Number	5	6	6	4	4
Persons employed	529	605	694	599	596
Males	393	434	494	424	459
Females	136	171	200	175	137
Jam and Pulp Manufactured....lbs.	8,770,465	10,187,865	14,324,028	14,525,184	13,916,483
Ditto ‡....Value, £	120,594	123,103	196,955	163,408	144,963
Jam and Pulp imported....lbs.	28,544	563,762	497,788	469,436†	606,722
Ditto....Value, £	480	6580	7635	6503†	7116
Jam and Pulp exported....lbs.	7,570,589	11,229,598	10,005,102	11,596,130†	7,551,264†
Ditto....Value, £	103,957	139,449	137,183	129,288†	99,025†
Jam and Pulp locally consumed‖¶ ....lbs.	1,228,420	4,338,743		3,398,490	6,971,941
Ditto ....Value, £	17,117	57,641		40,623	53,054
Estimated quantity of Fruits used in the manufacture of Jam and Pulp ....lbs.	8,023,922	10,632,665	11,043,113	11,341,696	11,426,952
Capital invested in Buildings, Equipment, &c., Value ....£	38,730	36,500	23,750	24,700	23,650
Plant and Machinery ....£	...	...	13,450	13,900	13,850
Total Amount paid in Salaries and Wages...£	...	...	23,345	20,781	24,225

* Exclusive of Fruit Depôts connected with Jam Manufactories. The various Manufactories are all situate in Hobart or its vicinity. † From figures supplied by Commonwealth Statistical Department. ‡ Based on declared average price of Exports per lb. ‖ These figures in the absence of any reliable knowledge of Stocks in hand at the close of each year merely indicate the balance between local Manufactories and Imports, and the figures relating to Exports. ¶ Probably the difference of the balances of Stock on hand may reconcile the anomalies of local consumption of Jams and Pulp in each of the separate years, and especially as regards the years 1902 and 1903. The true measure of local consumption, free from such disturbance would average about £2,798,105 for the five years ending 1904.

FRUIT PULP AND JAMS AND JELLIES EXPORTED DURING THE YEARS 1900 TO 1905 INCLUSIVE.

Quantities and Values (Numerical).

QUANTITIES.

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.
Fruit Pulp Exported	2,594,049	3,584,983	2,837,158	7,229,787	1,532,720
Jams and Jellies ditto	4,976,540	7,644,615	7,167,944	4,366,343	6,018,544
Pulp, Jams, and Jellies	7,570,589	11,229,598	10,005,102	11,596,130	7,551,264

VALUES.

	£	£	£	£	£
Fruit Pulp Exported	26,363	28,110	28,593	42,052	16,659
Jams and Jellies ditto	77,594	111,339	108,590	63,720	82,366
Pulp, Jams, and Jellies	103,957	139,449	137,183	105,772	99,025

AVERAGE PRICES PER LB.

	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Fruit Pulp Exported	2·4	1·9	2·4	1·3	2·6
Jams and Jellies, ditto	3·7	3·5	3·6	3·5	3·2
Pulp, Jams, and Jellies	3·3	2·9	3·3	2·1	3·3

PER CENTAL.

Fruit Pulp Exported	34·27	31·92	28·37	39 75	16·83
Jams and Jellies ditto	65·73	68·08	71·63	60·25	83·17
Pulp, Jams, and Jellies	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

PRINCIPAL MILLS, MANUFACTORIES, WORKS, &c.

GENERAL RETURN, 1905.

Description of Establishment.	Number of Establishments working.	Number of Hands employed.	Value of Products.	Capital invested in Buildings and Equipment.*
			£	£
Saw Mills	67	1011	75,817	118,193
Flour Mills	18	132	164,925	80,160
Woollen Mills	4	236	...*	47,940
Bark Mills	3	32	19,170	29,940
Brickyards and Potteries	11	187	17,814	27,582
Tanneries and Fellmongeries	3	56	1620	7744
Jam Manufactories	4	596	150,722	37,500
Breweries	6	145	270,745	442,303
Soap and Candle Factories	3	39	7610	17,100
Butter Factories	26	123	41,288	28,165
Bacon Factories	11	62	11,268	12,071
Fruit-Drying	5	67	5040	4520
Boot Factories	15	332	44,565	23,665
TOTAL	176	3018	810,584	876,883

* Not supplied.

OTHER INDUSTRIES.

Bone Mills, output	905 tons Manure and Bone Dust.
Lime Works	82,430 tons Lime.
Meat Preserving Works	921,956 Rabbits, 1070 cases Poultry ; exclusive of other produce.

WATERWORKS.

RETURN for the Year 1905.

	Hobart.	Launceston.	Campbell Town.	Cressy.	New Norfolk.	Glenorchy.	Latrobe.	Longford.	Carrick.	Macquarie.	Devonport.	Clyde.
Situation of Reservoir	Sandy Bay Rivulet.	High-street. Hill-street.	Kearney's Bogs.	Lake River.	Lachlan	Glenorchy.	Latrobe.	Longford.	Liffey River.	Ross.	Mersey.	Clyde.
Assessments ..... No.	7159	4786	346	77	196	461	443	220	71	50	1390	284
Estimated Number of People served with Water.....	32,500	23,000	1000	300	600	2500	1350	1000	300	150	4000	600
Annual Value ... . £	231,363	155,502	14,583	1016	3800	1125	5290	4800	1291	10,927	20,530	12,175
Estimated Area ..... acres	2200	9300	1200	180	§	7300	2500	2000	*	152,836	2073	119,936
Capacity of Reservoir ..... galls.	120,000,000	3,324,000	6,048,000	60,000	§	24,000,000	950,000	170,000	*	5,222,321,447	65,000	**
Length of Aqueduct and Main, miles	13¼	23⅝	20 †	2¾	1⅝	14	3¼	4½	*	§§	9	**
Length of Reticulation ..... miles	73	62⅝	4½	4	5	22	8½	6	*	—	40	**
Cost of Construction at end of year £	182,456	104,037	8500	1250	3600	16,200	7750	4100‡‡	400	4000	22,500	**
Outstanding Loans ..... £	162,000	64,440	400	1100	*Nil*	16,200	7800	4100	320	*Nil*	23,000	**
Rate of Assessment in the £	‡	††	8*d.* & 1*d.*	1/6	3/, 6/3, 9/4 & 13/6 per qr.	2/ & 1/4 ‖	2/6 in £ 25/ min. on Dwellings.	1/	8*d.*	½*d.*	1/6	3*d.*

* Hydraulic ram on Liffey River lifts water to tanks. † The Elizabeth River is kept running by a dam 20 miles from Campbell Town.

‡ Domestic Rate, City and Suburban—£10 and under, 15*s.* each house; over £10 and under £40, 1*s.* 5*d.* in the £; over £40, 1*s.* 5*d.* in the £ on £40 and 1*s.* 2*d.* in the £ on the remainder.

§ Dam across the Lachlan Rivulet. ‖ Glenorchy, 2*s.*; Moonah, 1*s.* 4*d.* up to £40 per annum, 1*s.* upwards. ** Water taken from Clyde River. †† City, 8*d.*; St. Leonards. 1*s.* 6*d.*; all other districts, 1*s.* 3*d.*

‡‡ Estimated. §§ Water taken from Macquarie River.

FISHERIES DEPARTMENT.

RETURN of the Expense of the Fisheries Department, including the Salmon and Trout Breeding Establishment, for the Season 1904-1905.

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
Salaries	75	0	0
Wages and Labour	167	10	0
Sundry other Expenses	434	11	5
TOTAL	£677	1	5

REVENUE.

	£	s.	d.
Licences to catch Salmon and Trout	611	12	6
Bass Straits Fishing Licences	50	0	0
Sale of confiscated Nets and Boats	4	5	0
Moiety of Fines	16	6	0
Miscellaneous	7	0	0
Oyster Licences	3	10	0
TOTAL	£692	13	6

RETURN of the Distribution of Ova and Fry from the Breeding Ponds, River Plenty, during Season 1904-1905.

FRY.		OVA.	
Loch Leven, Rainbow, Brown, and Salmon Trout.		*Brown Trout.*	
Where Liberated.	Quantity.	Where forwarded.	Quantity.
Northern Rivers	276,250	..	..
Southern Rivers	258,500	..	..
Total	534,750	..	..

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Part VIII.

LAW, CRIME, AND PROTECTION.

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LITIGATION—SUPREME COURT.

RETURN relative to the Number of Civil Cases tried, &c., before the Supreme Court of Tasmania in its ordinary Jurisdiction, during the Year 1905.

Writs issued.			Causes entered for trial.	Causes tried.	Number of Verdicts returned.		Amount awarded by Jury.	Non-suits.	Cases withdrawn, &c.
Summons.	Ejectment.	Total Writs.			For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.			
122	3	125	12	6	2	4	£ s. d. 97 12 9	—	6

HECTOR ROSS, *Clerk of Court.*

RETURN of Summonses issued, of Cases tried, and of Amount of Claims sued for, and Verdicts obtained, in the Supreme Court of Tasmania, in its Local Courts Act Jurisdiction, during the Year 1905.

Place where Court held.	No. of Plaints filed.	Amount sued for in such Plaints.	No. of Cases tried.	Verdicts obtained.		Amounts of Verdicts.	No. of Judgments in regard to Plaints filed.		Amount of Judgments.		Warrants of Execution issued.	Judgment Summonses issued.	Amount sought for.
				For Plaintiff.	For Defendant, or Non-suit, &c.		On account of 1905.	On account of previous years.	On account of 1905.	On account of previous years.			
		£ s. d.				£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Hobart	449	15,595 6 2	28	20	8	914 2 4	182	25	6102 17 4	475 12 8	170	70	4408 10 5
Launceston	17	2848 6 8	1	...	1	...	7	1	1043 7 7	20 0 0	6	...	985 0 7
Burnie	5	434 16 8	...	...	...	...	1	...	70 0 0	...	1	...	70 17 6
Deloraine	6	421 9 8	1	1	...	25 0 0	3	...	302 0 8	...	3	...	320 15 8
Devonport	2	236 8 1	...	...	...	...	2	...	236 8 1	...	2	...	252 10 7
Fingal	1	300 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Latrobe	6	536 0 0	...	...	...	...	1	...	70 0 0	...	1	...	84 0 0
Oatlands	2	154 5 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ulverstone	7	497 18 6	1	1	...	20 0 0	5	...	390 17 6	...	3	...	122 15 0
Strahan	40	127 18 5	2	...	...	10 12 4	3	11	...	...	4	1	54 3 10
TOTAL	535	21,152 9 7	33	22	9	969 14 8	204	37	8215 11 2	495 12 8	190	71	6298 13 7

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the various Registrars.]

LITIGATION—COURTS OF REQUESTS.

RETURN of Plaints filed, Cases tried, Amount of Claims, and Verdicts obtained, in Courts of Requests and Courts of General Sessions having the Jurisdiction of Courts of Requests, during the Year 1905.

Places where Courts held.	No of Plaints filed during the year.	Amounts sued for in such Plaints.	No. of cases actually tried.	Verdicts obtained.		Amounts of Verdicts.	No. of Judgments in regard to Plaints filed.		Amount of Judgments.		Warrants of Execution issued.	Judgment Summonses issued.	Amount sought for.
				For Plaintiff.	For Defendant, and Non-suit.		On account of 1905.	On account of previous years.	On account of 1905.	On account of previous years.			
		£ s. d.				£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.
Beaconsfield	499	1585 11 9	10	9	1	37 3 0	109	12	435 17 5	35 19 4	51	52	616 11 10
Bellerive	14	34 12 5	...	...	...	...	4	1	11 18 6	22 14 0	6	3	60 4 0
Bothwell	12	70 8 8	1	1	...	5 6 6	7	...	59 9 10	...	4	...	22 11 6
Burnie	229	1383 13 0	3	3	...	295 10 3	49	65	420 7 10	333 9 5	25	3	286 4 2
Campbell Town	38	153 13 4	...	...	...	...	13	2	50 0 4	10 0 10	13	3	74 16 1
Deloraine	214	1211 16 6	10	7	3	59 7 4	72	6	412 12 2	40 9 7	80	18	699 0 8
Derby	229	1341 16 8	9	9	...	1047 1 9	172	3	1066 10 8	30 3 9	62	5	383 5 11
Dover	41	198 16 4	5	4	1	16 11 8	9	3	58 1 8	13 5 3	6	3	78 19 11
Devonport	636	1899 7 6	13	9	4	49 7 3	159	11	1246 4 10	1345 7 5	155	48	1539 13 10
Evandale	28	81 3 0	1	1	...	3 11 11	6	...	18 13 3	...	5	3	43 13 9
Fingal	302	1093 0 0	24	15	9	66 0 0	59	12	301 0 0	77 0 0	43	20	421 0 0
Franklin	102	349 1 11	5	2	3	3 5 0	34	7	126 10 1	35 7 4	32	6	212 3 10
Geeveston	12	47 17 0	1	1	...	3 4 5	1	...	1 5 0	...	1	...	2 1 0
George Town	19	64 12 11	4	3	1	11 9 8	3	...	10 6 5	...	2	...	7 14 10
Glenorchy	61	318 3 2	6	5	1	20 10 7	35	1	149 14 1	2 11 6	20	10	125 16 5
Hamilton	38	211 8 6	4	4	...	19 14 6	13	1	111 6 5	9 3 4	10	...	76 7 0
Hobart	3140	8055 18 3	59	41	18	223 14 0	960	187	3792 1 6	717 15 0	901	207	4330 11 6
Jerusalem	5	19 16 5	...	...	...	...	3	5	15 11 7	19 16 5	2	1	26 15 11
Kempton	21	95 11 10	2	1	1	17 8 2	10	...	25 8 11	...	9	...	47 18 7
Kingston	17	49 7 10	..	...	...	...	8	...	14 18 2	...	7	3	33 17 0
Latrobe	388	1624 0 0	15	11	4	75 0 0	66	30	413 0 0	182 0 0	53	54	705 0 0
Launceston	2376	13,975 5 8	36	24	12	345 12 5	883	138	7670 0 4	923 7 7	963	84	7936 1 4
Lilydale	6	60 10 2	...	...	...	...	1	...	3 12 0	...	1	2	9 10 4
Longford	121	547 2 6	2	2	...	13 0 0	26	10	138 10 4	63 11 0	36	3	226 16 10
New Norfolk	138	528 18 0	12	12	...	94 18 1	59	2	331 1 6	12 11 4	26	26	234 14 6
Oatlands	98	604 12 4	7	6	1	36 0 6	30	1	294 4 9	6 0 6	20	3	301 19 3
Penguin	98	295 8 3	15	13	2	50 8 7	22	7	70 8 9	29 0 11	26	14	186 4 7
Pontville	46	196 17 5	6	2	4	3 6 3	19	3	101 12 4	28 15 9	6	10	76 4 5
Port Cygnet	105	872 7 7	8	4	4	83 8 0	23	28	155 14 8	152 16 10	24	33	290 7 8
Premaydena	29	140 14 0	2	2	...	18 7 6	11	1	25 15 5	4 17 6	7	2	34 0 4
Queenstown	674	1942 11 5	14	13	1	104 6 11	216	23	695 5 1	148 16 8	43	9	394 5 7
Richmond	32	99 5 9	1	1	1	...	16	...	53 17 5	...	1	...	1 12 8
Ringarooma	61	396 9 9	7	4	3	14 1 4	10	6	117 7 0	41 15 1	12	13	252 3 11

Ross	13	49	0	2	3	3	...	41	13	0	4	...	7	6	8	...		4	...	7	16	8
Ellesmere	135	777	18	9	4	3	1	22	4	3	27	1	239	7	2	28	3	2	33	3	251	14	11
Sheffield	165	1052	13	6	14	11	3	59	12	5	56	22	347	3	11	94	18	1	60	42	792	18	11
Sorell	28	109	9	9	...	...	...		...		13	...	77	2	1		...		11	5	82	13	9
Stanley	188	1090	14	10	8	6	2	31	3	6	46	...	274	1	9		...		52	43	731	7	8
St. Helens	123	658	10	6	8	8	...	37	1	4	70	12	420	16	7	79	8	4	51	26	585	17	9
Strahan	40	131	18	5	2	2	...	46	17	6	7	3	46	17	6	45	4	5	4	1	51	7	0
Swansea	11	66	0	0	2	1	1	41	11	3	5	1	26	7	5	13	3	10	3	...	10	0	9
Triabunna	4	29	10	0	...	...	...		...		1	...	10	0	0		...		...	...		...	
Ulverstone	258	1185	15	3	12	9	3	70	12	8	24	4	152	7	11	27	17	10	48	16	485	15	7
Victoria (Huonville)	77	322	15	0	4	3	1	8	1	2	27	14	119	11	10	123	17	3	33	5	255	2	3
Waratah	135	504	10	5	11	8	3	54	0	8	32	4	189	4	1	16	2	5	21	7	236	10	9
Westbury	48	422	4	11	...	...	...		...		17	4	167	14	7	27	8	10	22	6	207	7	7
Woodbridge	20	156	4	0	1	...	1		...		10	2	66	1	6	8	9	7	12	1	100	13	1
Wynyard	100	637	14	10	8	7	1	90	18	3	31	2	256	15	2	6	2	9	15	12	184	5	0
Zeehan	601	2914	18	11	22	14	8	102	3	4	142	53	1022	17	0	328	3	9	51	72	909	16	5
TOTALS	*11,675	49,639	19	1	382	284	98	3283	14	11	3070	687	21,822	3	4	5047	17	5	3072	877	24,732	5	1

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Registrars of the various Courts of Requests.]

LITIGATION.—SUPREME COURT AND COURTS OF REQUESTS.

DECENNIAL RETURN.

YEARS.	SUPREME COURT.							COURTS OF REQUESTS, &c.			
	Ordinary Jurisdiction.			Under "Small Debts Act."							
	Writs of Summonses issued.	Civil Causes tried.	Amount awarded by Jury.	Summonses issued.	Causes tried.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Amount of Verdicts obtained.	Summonses issued.	Cases tried.	Amount of Claims sued for.	Amount of Verdicts obtained.
			£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896...	221	11	3773 18 1	491	295*	14,821 16 2	7687 18 8	7428	3416*	28,429 5 6	14,908 4 4
1897...	184	5	300 0 0	417	226*	11,553 14 8	5858 7 8	7005	3326*	27,291 14 6	14,434 14 8
1898...	204	11	1498 10 9	408	229*	11,329 5 0	5389 0 5	6868	2961*	29,508 18 11	14,036 11 10
1899...	190	11	1597 9 0	258	148*	7910 14 9	3280 10 8	7265	3271*	35,127 2 11	17,784 14 7
1900...	182	10	6377 16 0	203	110*	5752 3 2	2799 17 5	8114	3490*	42,317 17 2	19,224 4 4
1901...	159	7	850 0 0	294	147*	9777 5 1	4080 9 10	9488	4023*	46,340 9 9	21,989 15 7
1902...	128	7	1856 15 7	503	314*	16,772 19 6	7208 1 6	8739	3395*	43,388 0 5	19,086 18 8
1903...	113	6	1674 14 6	267	153*	12,862 12 5	5406 12 8	7970	2841*	39,630 0 6	17,229 16 3
1904...	176	13	623 0 0	435	283*	20,923 19 6	10,578 0 0	10,180	3535*	48,665 16 5	19,246 18 7
1905...	122	12	97 12 9	535	237	21,152 9 7	9185 5 10	11,675	452*	49,639 19 1	25,105 18 3

* Including Judgments entered up.

PROBATES AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

RETURN of the Number of Probates and Letters of Administration granted by the Supreme Court of Tasmania, and the Amount of Property sworn under the same, during the Year 1905.

PROBATES.		LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.	
Number.	Property sworn under—	Number.	Property sworn under—
233	£447,941	37	£56,255

PHILIP S. SEAGER, *Registrar.*

PROBATES AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

DECENNIAL RETURN.

PROBATES.			LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.	
Year.	Number.	Property sworn under—	Number.	Property sworn under—
		£		£
1896.....	157	182,396	59	22,449
1897.....	181	337,643	52	40,242
1898.....	138	187,192	58	54,234
1899.....	141	494,557	51	61,842
1900.....	210	309,886	73	96,350
1901.....	177	378,480	52	23,677
1902.....	177	224,867	53	74,541
1903.....	186	210,037	70	43,130
1904.....	230	*868,988	65	36,266
1905.....	233	447,941	37	56,255

* Under the Deceased Persons Estate Duties Act, 1904, passed on 22 October, 1904, Real Estate Property became subject to Probate Duty.

BANKRUPTCIES.

RETURN of Petitions presented and of Proceedings taken thereupon under "The Bankruptcy Act, 1870," during the Year 1905.

PLACE WHERE.	PETITIONS IN BANKRUPTCY.					PETITIONS FOR LIQUIDATION BY ARRANGEMENT.				
	Petitions presented.	Proceedings taken thereupon.		Assets of Persons adjudicated Bankrupt.	Liabilities of Persons adjudicated Bankrupt.	Petitions presented.	Proceedings taken thereupon.		Assets of Persons who presented Petitions under Sections 112 and 113.	Liabilities of Persons who presented Petitions under Sections 112 and 113.
		Persons adjudicated Bankrupt.	Petitions dismissed or not proceeded with.				Liquidation arranged.	Petitions not proceeded with.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hobart	3	3	—	129 6 0	741 4 8	24	15	9	4630 13 3	11,307 19 8
Launceston	4	1	3	58 3 3	277 19 1	62	39	23	2348 3 9	10,058 6 3
TOTAL	7	4	3	187 9 3	1019 3 9	86	54	32	6978 17 0	21,366 5 11

BANKRUPTCIES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	VOLUNTARY.	COMPULSORY.	
		Number of Petitions presented.	Number of Persons adjudicated Bankrupt.
1896	87	8	6
1897	84	8	6
1898	83	12	8
1899	52	6	5
1900	50	5	4
1901	62	11	7
1902	55	8	5
1903	72	6	5
1904	91	12	11
1905	86	7	4

[This and preceding statement compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Registrars of the Courts of Bankruptcy.]

DIVORCE.

RETURN of the Number of Petitions, Decrees, and Protection Orders during the Year 1905.

NUMBER OF PETITIONS.				NUMBER OF DECREES GRANTED.				PROTECTION ORDERS.
For Dissolution of Marriage.	For Judicial Separation.	For Alimony.	Total.	For Dissolution of Marriage.	For Judicial Separation.	For Alimony.	Total.	
9	—	—	9	2	—	—	2	—

PHILIP S. SEAGER, *Registrar.*

DIVORCE.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Number of Petitions filed.	Number of Decrees granted.	Number of Protection Orders.
1896	4	3	—
1897	8	5	—
1898	12	4	—
1899	10	4	—
1900	11	4	1
1901	11	11	1
1902	10	3	—
1903	3	3	—
1904	9	2	1
1905	9	2	—

INQUESTS.

Number of Inquests touching the Cause of Death of any Person held in the Year 1905, *and the Total Amount of the Costs, including Fees, Allowances, and Expenses.*

MUNICIPALITY OR DISTRICT.	NUMBER OF INQUESTS.										FINDING OF THE JURY.																						TOTAL COSTS.		
	Infants 7 Years and under.		Children under 16 and above 7 Years.		Adults 16 Years and under 60 Years.		Above 60, Aged and Infirm.		TOTAL.		Murder.		Manslaughter.		Justifiable Homicide.		Suicide or Self Murder.		Accidental Death.		Injuries, Causes unknown.		Found dead.		NATURAL DEATH.											
																									Excessive Drinking.		Disease aggravated by Neglect.		From Want, Cold, Exposure, &c.		Other Causes.				
	M.	F.	M	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	£	s.	d.
Hobart, New Town, Queenborough, Clarence, Glenorchy, Franklin, and Kingborough	...	...	...	...	11	...	1	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	17	5	0
Launceston, Selby, and George Town	2	1	2	1	7	1	2	...	13	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	7	1	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	35	11	6
Campbell Town, Oatlands, and Ross	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	3	0
Deloraine, Westbury, Evandale, and Longford	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	0
Fingal, Glamorgan, and Portland	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	13	9	0
Macquarie	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	28	6	0
Mersey, Latrobe, Emu Bay, and Russell	1	1	2	...	1	2	2	...	6	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	33	10	0
New Norfolk, Hamilton, and Bothwell	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	
Ringarooma	...	...	...	1	4	...	1	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	18	18	0
Sorell, Spring Bay, Brighton, Richmond, Green Ponds, and Carnarvon	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	2	0
TOTALS	5	3	6	2	33	3	7	1	51	9	...	1	...	1	...	...	6	...	25	1	...	...	9	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	9	3	165	6	6

J. E. C. LORD, *Commissioner of Police.*

INQUESTS —*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

YEAR.	TOTAL NO.	CAUSES OF DEATH.					
		Intemperance.	Murder, Manslaughter, &c	Suicide.	Accident.	Want, cold, exposure, neglect, &c.	Other or unspecified causes.
1896.....	124	2	3	6	45	2	66
1897.....	136	—	4	13	61	2	56
1898.....	149	2	7	9	66	1	64
1899.....	129	3	1	13	58	-	54
1900	132	—	2	15	54	2	59
1901.....	107	2	6	14	40	1	44
1902.....	96	1	1	11	37	...	46
1903.....	140	3	5	13	55	5	59
1904.....	109	1	1	13	39	2	53
1905-6*	131	1	2	14	56	2	56

* Year ended 30.6.06.

INTESTATE ESTATES.

RETURN of the Intestate Estates dealt with by the Curator during the Year ending the 31*st day of December*, 1905, *and of the Amounts received and paid.*

Sex of Intestate.	Number.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balance in respect of Estates.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Males	43	2854 14 3	2395 7 4	459 6 11
Females	25	1315 6 6	1315 6 6	- -
TOTALS	68	4170 0 9	3710 13 10	459 6 11

HECTOR ROSS, *Curator of Intestate Estates.*

INTESTATE ESTATES—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Number.	Receipts.	Payments	Balance in respect of Estates.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896.....	52	6991 13 4	5542 8 6	1449 4 10
1897.....	50	13,404 6 5	12,880 17 1	523 8 6
1898.....	54	8667 10 1	8493 3 5	174 6 8
1899.....	60	5463 19 9	4857 9 6	606 10 3
1900.....	78	9366 11 10	8201 11 6	1165 0 4
1901.....	85	10,205 6 5	9125 15 1	1079 11 4
1902.....	95	16,938 8 9	16,408 12 3	529 6 6
1903.....	105	14,702 19 5	14,075 5 1	627 14 4
1904.....	73	6150 10 11	3797 11 8	2352 19 3
1905.....	68	4170 0 9	3710 13 10	459 6 11

COMMITMENTS.

RETURN showing the Number, Sex, and Civil Condition of all Persons committed for Trial during the Year 1905, *and how they were dealt with, classified according to the nature of the Offences committed by such Persons.*

MONTH.	Number of Persons committed.	Sex.		Civil Condition.				How dealt with.					Offences.						
		Males.	Females.	Always Free.	Free by Servitude.	Holding Conditional Pardons.	Prisoners under Sentence.	Not disposed of.	Escaped.	Not further prosecuted.	Tried and convicted.	Tried and acquitted.	Accessories and Abettors of Offences.	Offences against the Person.	Malicious Injuries to Property.	Larceny and similar Offences.	Forgery and cognate Offences.	Offences relating to Coin.	All other Offences.
January	7	6	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	1	...	3	...	3	1	...	...
February	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
March	6	5	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	1
April	4	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	...	2	1	...	...
May	7	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5	...	...	1	1	2	...	3
June	4	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	...
July	4	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	2	2	...	...
August	6	5	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	6	...	...	...	...	...
September	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
October	4	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	1
November	6	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	1
December	4	4	...	4	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	3	...	...	...
	53	50	3	53	...	...	...	2	...	9	24	18	1	16	2	19	9	...	6
	53	53		53				53					53						

EDW. D. DOBBIE, *Solicitor-General.*

INDICTMENTS AND INFORMATIONS IN THE SUPERIOR COURTS.

RETURN for 1905.

HOW THE CASES ENDED.	TOTAL.	Murder.	Manslaughter.	Attempt at Murder.	INCLUDING ATTEMPTS AND CONSPIRACIES TO COMMIT THE SEVERAL OFFENCES. Concealment of Birth.	Abortion.	Rape, & Carnal Knowledge of Girls under 10 years of Age.	Indecent Assaults on Female Persons.	Unnatural Crimes.	Indecent Assaults on Male Persons.	All other Offences against the Person.	Robbery with Violence.	Other Offences against Property.	Miscellaneous Offences.
Judgment for the Crown	24	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	2	...	16	...
Judgment for the Prisoner	19	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	11	4
Cases fell through for want of prosecution	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
TOTAL	45	3	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	4	...	28	5

HECTOR ROSS, *Clerk of the Court.*

EXECUTIONS, 1905.

Nil.

HECTOR ROSS, *Sheriff.*

APPREHENSIONS, COMMITMENTS, &c.

RETURN showing the number of Arrests of Males and Females by Police during Year 1905, *and the principal offence with which charged, also the numbers discharged by the Magistrates, Summarily Convicted, held to Bail, &c., and committed for Trial.*

Offences.	Private or Police Summons.		Arrested.		Total number of Persons dealt with.			Summarily disposed of by Magistrates.				Committals for Trial.	
								Discharged.		Convicted, Held to Bail, &c.			
	M.	F.	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
I.—Offences against the Person.													
Murder and Attempts at	...	...	3	1	4	3	1	...	...	...	...	3	1
Shooting at, Stabbing, Wounding with intent to do Bodily Harm	2	...	2	...	4	4	...	1	...	...	...	3	...
Unlawfully Wounding	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Other Acts causing or tending to cause danger to life or Bodily Harm	1	1	1	...	3	2	1	2	1	...	...	...	...
Total	4	1	6	1	12	10	2	3	1	...	...	7	1
Assaults :—													
Assault, Common	160	11	16	1	188	176	12	76	3	100	9	...	...
Ditto aggravated, on Children under 14, or Females	5	...	13	...	18	18	...	8	...	8	...	2	...
Total	165	11	29	1	206	194	12	84	3	108	9	2	...
Rape, Abduction, and Defilement of Females : —													
Assault with intent	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Abduction	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Abusing Girls between 10 and 16	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Total	2	...	2	...	4	4	...	1	...	1	...	2	...
Unnatural Offence	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Other Offences against the Person :—													
Bigamy	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Attempt to Commit Suicide	...	...	5	...	5	5	...	2	...	3	...	...	...
Total	...	...	6	...	6	6	...	2	...	3	...	1	...
Total Offences against the Person	171	12	44	2	229	215	14	90	4	112	9	13	1
II.—Offences against Person and Property.													
Housebreaking and stealing	1	...	6	...	7	7	...	...	...	4	...	3	...
Housebreaking with Intent to Steal	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Conspiracy	...	...	3	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
Sending Threatening Letters	2	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Total	3	...	10	...	13	13	...	1	...	4	...	8	...
III.—Offences against Property only.													
Horse, Cattle, and Sheep Stealing, &c. :—													
Horse-stealing	1	...	7	...	8	8	...	...	...	1	...	7	...
Sheep-stealing	1	...	3	...	4	4	...	...	...	3	...	1	...
Stealing other Animals	2	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Illegally using Horses or Cattle	2	...	1	...	3	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Stealing Birds	9	...	1	...	10	10	...	4	...	6	...	...	...
Total	15	...	12	...	27	27	...	4	...	15	...	8	...

APPREHENSIONS, COMMITMENTS, &c.—*continued.*

Offences.	Private or Police Summons.		Arrested.		Total Number of Persons dealt with.			Summarily disposed of by Magistrates.				Committals for Trial.	
								Discharged.		Convicted, Held to Bail, &c.			
	M.	F.	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Other Offences against Property :—													
Larceny, not otherwised described	63	16	165	23	267	228	39	59	13	166	26	3	...
„ by person under 16, and of sums under £2	18	7	30	2	57	48	9	11	4	37	5	...	...
Larceny in a Dwelling	7	...	25	2	34	32	2	2	...	27	2	3	...
„ by Clerks or Servants	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
„ as a Bailee	2	1	9	...	12	11	1	3	...	7	...	1	1
„ from a Ship, Wharf, &c.	...	...	13	...	13	13	...	4	...	9	...	...	...
„ from a Mine	1	...	3	...	4	4	...	1	...	3	...	...	...
„ of things growing on or attached to land	3	4	9	1	17	12	5	...	2	12	3	...	...
Embezzlement by Clerks or Servants	1	...	1	1	3	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	1
Falsifying Books	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Embezzlement by persons in Public Service	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Arson	3	...	2	...	5	5	...	3	...	1	...	1	...
Obtaining Money, &c., by False Pretences	12	2	30	2	46	42	4	13	2	27	2	2	...
Receiving Stolen Property	6	...	1	...	7	7	...	1	...	5	...	1	...
Killing or Maiming Cattle or other Animals	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Aiding and Abetting	4	...	1	...	5	5	...	1	...	4	...	...	...
Malicious Injuries to Property (unspecified)	12	...	...	...	12	12	...	3	...	9	...	...	...
Wilful Damage to Property, summarily dealt with	46	1	11	1	59	57	2	19	...	38	2	...	...
Landlord and Tenant	21	6	...	...	27	21	6	5	2	16	4	...	...
Trespass	133	3	...	...	136	133	3	28	1	105	2	...	...
Other Offences against Property	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
Illegal Possession of Goods	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Total	340	40	302	32	714	642	72	157	24	473	46	12	2
Total Offences against Property	355	40	314	32	741	669	72	161	24	488	46	20	2
IV.—Forgery and Offences against the Currency.													
Forgery or Uttering Forged Instruments	1	...	16	1	18	17	1	4	1	1	...	12	...
V.—Offences against Good Order.													
Drunkenness :—													
Drunk and Incapable	8	2	190	23	223	198	25	5	3	193	22	...	...
Drunkenness, with disorderly conduct	6	2	275	33	316	281	35	3	...	278	35	...	...
Total	14	4	465	56	539	479	60	8	3	471	57	...	...
Other Offences against Good Order :—													
Breach of Municipal By-laws and First Part of Police Offences Statute	779	80	33	7	899	812	87	77	5	735	82	...	...
Offences—Horses and Vehicles	156	2	...	...	158	156	2	6	...	150	2	...	...
Indecent, Riotous, and Offensive Conduct	15	...	7	...	22	22	...	4	...	18	...	...	...
Insulting Behaviour, Using Obscene, Threatening, or Abusive Language	349	33	30	17	429	379	50	37	9	342	41	...	...
Disturbing the Peace	381	15	119	23	538	500	38	40	4	460	34	...	...
Assaulting, Resisting, or Obstructing the Police	12	...	38	1	51	50	1	5	...	45	1	...	...
Vagrancy.—(1) *Idle and Disorderly Persons* :—													
Idle and Disorderly	7	2	60	11	80	67	13	9	1	58	12	...	...
Having no Visible Lawful Means of Support	...	...	8	4	12	8	4	1	...	7	4	...	...
Begging Alms	...	...	4	1	5	4	1	1	...	3	1	...	...
Being a Disorderly Prostitute	...	...	...	12	12	...	12	...	...	...	12	...	...
Keeping a Common Brothel or Disorderly House	1	4	...	...	5	1	4	...	3	1	1	...	...
Vagrancy (unspecified)	...	...	5	5	10	5	5	...	1	5	4	...	...
Gaming with Instruments	5	...	...	...	5	5	...	1	...	4	...	...	...

APPREHENSIONS, COMMITMENTS, &c.—*continued.*

Offences.	Private or Police Summonses.		Arrested.		Total number of Persons dealt with.			Summarily disposed of by Magistrates.				Committals for Trial.	
								Discharged.		Convicted, Held to Bail, &c.			
Vagrancy.—(2) *Rogue and Vagabond:*—	M.	F.	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Obscenely Exposing Person	3	...	2	...	5	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...
Found by Night without lawful excuse on Premises	1	...	5	...	6	6	...	2	...	4	...	...	...
Offences relating to Gambling Houses and Lotteries	11	...	...	...	11	11	...	...	...	11	...	...	...
Nuisances	8	...	10	...	18	18	...	...	...	18	...	...	...
Cruelty to Animals	50	...	1	...	51	51	...	7	...	44	...	...	...
Licensing Act	302	14	5	2	323	307	16	51	3	256	13	...	...
Other Offences against Good Order.	10	1	1	...	12	11	1	5	1	6	...	...	...
Total	2090	151	328	83	2652	2418	234	246	27	2172	207	...	...
Total Offences against Good Order	2104	155	793	139	3191	2897	294	254	30	2643	264	...	...
VI.—Offences Relating to Carrying out Laws.													
Absconding	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Perjury and Subornation to Perjury	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	1	...	2	...
Breach of Police Regulation Statute	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
„ Gaols Statute	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Escaping from Custody	1	...	2	1	4	3	1	...	...	3	1	...	...
Total	8	...	3	1	12	11	1	1	...	8	1	2	...
VII.—Offences Relating to Revenue.													
Smuggling, and other offences against Customs Act	4	...	...	...	4	4	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
Entertainments—Circus Licence	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...
Stamp Act	42	3	...	...	45	42	3	5	1	37	2	...	...
Non-Payment of Rates	1356	246	...	...	1602	1356	246	217	20	1139	226	...	...
Water Works Act	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Railway Act	26	...	4	...	30	30	...	2	...	28	...	...	...
Hawkers and Pedlars Act	6	...	...	...	6	6	...	1	...	5	...	...	...
Dog Act	78	7	...	...	85	78	7	7	1	71	6	...	...
Carriage Act	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Hospital and Charities Fee	7	...	...	...	7	7	...	...	...	7	...	...	...
Selling Meat without a Licence	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Non-Registration of Firms	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	...
Unlawfully Selling Liquor	4	...	1	...	5	5	...	...	...	5	...	...	...
Total	1534	256	5	...	1795	1539	256	239	22	1300	234	...	...
VIII.—Offences against Public Welfare.													
Criminal Extradition	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Breach of the following Acts:—													
Local Government.	31	...	...	...	31	31	...	2	...	29	...	...	...
Education	225	37	...	...	262	225	37	44	16	181	21	...	...
Public Health	15	...	...	...	15	15	...	7	...	8	...	...	...
Crown Lands	67	...	...	...	67	67	...	2	...	65	...	...	...
Newspaper Act	2	...	...	...	2	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Tramway	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Diseases in Stock, and Scab	122	16	...	...	138	122	16	20	3	102	13	...	...
Codlin Moth	149	18	...	...	167	149	18	45	7	104	11	...	...
Thistle Prevention	9	1	...	...	10	9	1	...	...	9	1	...	...
Legal Practitioners	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Medical Practitioners	3	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Seamen and Merchant Shipping	2	...	4	...	6	6	...	3	...	3	...	...	...
Pounds	3	3	...	...	6	3	3	2	3	1	...	...	...
Poisons	4	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	4	...	...	...
Fisheries and Game	47	2	...	...	49	47	2	6	1	41	1	...	...
Marriage and Matrimonial Causes	159	...	25	...	184	184	...	70	...	114	...	...	...
Neglected Children	...	5	6	4	16	6	10	...	...	6	10	...	...
Masters and Servants	46	5	5	...	56	51	5	18	1	33	4	...	...
Others	65	6	...	1	72	65	7	14	1	51	6	...	...
Total	951	94	41	5	1091	992	99	236	32	755	67	1	...
Total all Classes	5127	557	1226	180	7090	6353	737	986	113	5311	621	56	3

RESULTS OF SUMMARY DISPOSAL BY MAGISTRATES.

RETURN showing the Offences of Males and Females summarily disposed of or dealt with by Magistrates during the Year 1905, *together with the manner in which they were dealt with.*

Offences.	Total Number of Persons dealt with.			Summarily Disposed of by Magistrates.																				Committed for Trial.	
				Discharged.		Fines Paid.		Imprisonment.						Bound over with or without Sureties.		Admonished.		Released under First Offenders Act.		Otherwise dealt with.		Total Summarily disposed of.				
								In lieu of Paying Fine.		Peremptory.		Whipping.													
	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Persons.	M.	F.
1. *Offences against the Person :—*																									
Murders and attempts at Murder	3	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1
Shooting at or wounding with intent to do bodily harm, Unlawfully Wounding, &c.	7	1	8	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4	4	...
Assaults, Common and Aggravated	194	12	206	84	3	83	8	17	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	..	...	...	...	6	...	192	12	204	2	...
Rape, Abduction, and Defilement of Females	4	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	2	..
Other Offences against the Person	7	...	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	2	...
TOTAL	215	14	229	90	4	83	8	17	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	7	...	202	13	215	13	1
2. *Offences against Person and Property, including Robbery with Violence, Burglary, &c.*	13	...	13	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	8	...
3. *Offences against Property only :*																									
Horse, Sheep, and Cattle Stealing, &c.	27	...	27	4	...	6	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	19	8	...
Other Offences against Property	642	72	714	157	24	134	2	148	22	..	...	...	...	19	...	22	2	52	9	98	11	630	70	700	12	2
TOTAL	669	72	741	161	24	140	2	153	22	...	...	...	...	19	...	26	2	52	9	98	11	649	70	719	20	2
4. *Forgery and Offences against the Currency*	17	1	18	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	1	6	12	...
5. *Offences against Good Order :*																									
Drunkenness	479	60	539	8	3	301	33	98	18	...	...	...	...	...	1	64	5	...	...	8	...	479	60	539	...	...
Other Offences against Good Order	2418	234	2652	246	27	1835	144	204	53	...	...	...	...	3	...	60	5	4	...	66	5	2418	234	2652	...	...
TOTAL	2897	294	3191	254	30	2136	177	302	71	...	...	...	...	3	1	124	10	4	...	74	5	2897	294	3191	...	...
Offences not included in the preceding :—																									
6. *Offences relating to Carrying out Laws*	11	1	12	1	...	1	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	9	1	10	2	...
7. *Smuggling and other Offences against Revenue*	1539	256	1795	239	22	248	27	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	1044	206	1539	256	1795	...	...
8. *Offences against Public Welfare* ..	992	99	1091	236	32	526	44	12	3	...	...	...	...	2	...	14	...	104	1	97	19	991	99	1090	1	...
TOTAL	6353	737	7090	986	113	3134	258	457	98	...	...	...	...	28	1	168	13	161	10	1323	241	6297	734	7031	56	3

This and the previous return prepared by Government Statistician from returns furnished by the several Magistrates. In this and the preceding Table persons brought up for Lunacy 60 (37 males, 23 females), are not included.

I.—OFFENCES REPORTED, BUT NOT PROSECUTED.

RETURN, for the Year 1905, *of Offences reported to the Police, but, from want of Evidence or from other Causes, not prosecuted.*

Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.	Other Offences.	Total Number of Offences.
18	508	59	585

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of Police.]

II.—APPREHENSIONS AND SUMMONSES.

TABLE, for the Year 1904, *showing the Number of Persons brought before the Magistrates' Courts by Arrest or Warrant, and of Persons summoned,* and how their Cases were disposed of in the Magistrates' Courts.*

	NUMBER OF PERSONS			
	Apprehended or summoned.	Whose Cases were dismissed.	Summarily convicted.	Committed for Trial.
Offences against the Person	229	94	121	14
Offences against Property	741	185	534	22
Other Cases †	6120	820	5277	23
Total Number of Persons apprehended or summoned, &c.	7090	1099	5932	59

* Including Cases heard *ex parte*.

† In this and the following Table persons brought up for Lunacy and Non-payment of Rates are not included.

CRIME.—*QUINQUENNIAL RETURN.*

COMPARATIVE Table showing the Number of Offences, Apprehensions, Convictions, and Acquittals for the last Five Years.*

	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
I. The Number of offences reported to the Police:—					
1. Against the person	362	265	305	297	247
2. Against property	1273	1143	1022	1211	1249
3. Others	4578	5430	5207	4735	6179
II. The Number of Persons brought before the Magistrates:—	6213	6838	6534	6243	7675
1. For offences against the person	341	248	284	245	229
2. For offences against property	647	618	553	659	754
3. Drunkenness	743	636	526	580	539
4. On other grounds	3768	4669	4612	4095	5568
	5499	6171	5975	5579	7090
III. The Number of Persons summarily convicted:—					
1. For offences against the person	180	110	137	120	121
2. For offences against property	424	426	371	443	534
3. Drunkenness	705	514	511	556	528
4. For other offences	3160	3899	3858	3396	4749
IV. The Number of Persons convicted in the Superior Courts:—	4469	4949	4877	4515	5932
1. For offences against the person	11	7	18	3	7
2. For offences against property	16	11	29	2	16
3. For other offences	12	10	4	21	1
	39	28	51	26	24
V. The Number of Persons discharged or acquitted:—					
1. In Magistrates' Courts †	963	1147	1013	1178	1099
2. In Superior Courts	15	12	11	15	19

* Not including charges of Lunacy and those Civil cases for non-payment of Rates and Taxes.
† Including cases withdrawn.

ANALYSIS of Offences for which various Persons were apprehended or summoned.

DECADE 1895-1904.

	Numerical.					Per 1000 Persons.				
	Against the Person.	Against Property.	Drunkenness.	Other Offences.	All.	Against the Person.	Against Property.	Drunkenness.	Other Offences.	All.
1896	341	804	658	2711	4514	2·09	4·92	4·02	16·59	27·62
1897	316	717	596	2843	4472	1·87	4·24	3·53	16·83	26·47
1898	344	694	608	2690	4336	1·97	3·97	3·48	15·42	24·84
1899	396	600	885	3108	4989	2·21	3·35	4·93	17·34	27·81
1900	368	676	832	3505	5381	2·13	3·91	4·82	20·03	31·15
1901	341	647	743	3768	5499	1·96	3·73	4·29	21·70	31·68
1902	248	618	636	4669	6171	1·41	3·51	3·47	26·68	35·07
1903	284	553	526	4612	5975	1·37	2·66	2·53	22·19	28·75
1904	245	659	580	4095	5579	1·37	3·68	3·24	22·90	31·19
1905	229	754	539	5668	7090	1·28	4·20	3·01	31·05	39·55
Mean of Decade	311	672	664	3756	5600	1·75	3·81	3·73	21·07	30·41
Per cent. to Total	3·23	10·64	7·62	78·51	100·00					

CRIME.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Years.	Commitments.	Persons dealt with by Superior Courts.						Persons (not including Lunatics and Civil cases for non-payment of Rates) dealt with by Magistrates.	
		Number tried.				Convicted.	Executed.	Number dealt with.	Convicted.
		Total.	Offences against— Person.	Offences against— Property.	Miscellaneous Offences.				
1896	73	50	19	28	3	35	—	4514	3450
1897	68	45	18	22	5	31	—	4472	3439
1898	65	41	16	17	8	33	—	4336	3363
1899	72	54	19	19	16	36	—	4989	3941
1900	72	36	9	19	8	25	—	5381	4179
1901	76	54	20	21	13	39	—	5499	4469
1902	65	42	15	13	14	28	—	6171	4949
1903	79	67	26	34	7	51	—	5975	4877
1904	51	45	10	5	30	26	—	5579	4515
1905	59	45	12	28	5	24	—	7090	5932

[This and preceding Return compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished.

DISTRIBUTION OF TASMANIAN POLICE FORCE, 30TH JUNE, 1905.

District.	Sub-district.	Establishment.									Salaries and Pay.			Allowances.			Total.			Contingencies.
		Commissioner of Police.	Relieving Superintendent.	Superintendents.	Sub-Inspectors.	Sergeants.	Acting Sergeants.	Constables.	Paid Special Constables.	Total.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Hobart	Hobart	1	1	1	3	3	3	27	2	41										£6019 11s. 11d. In addition £1000 for Long Service Pay.
	New Town and Queenborough	...	...	...	1	1	...	6	1	9										
	Franklin and Kingborough	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	2	10	6949	2	1	1400	12	8	8349	14	9	
	Clarence	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	3										
	Glenorchy	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2										
Launceston	Launceston	...	...	1	3	5	...	22	...	31										
	Selby	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	1	11	4860	7	4	879	2	4	5739	9	8	
	George Town	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	...	6										
Campbell Town	Campbell Town	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	3										
	Oatlands	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	5	1038	16	9	227	1	2	1265	17	11	
	Ross	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1										
Deloraine	Deloraine	...	...	1	...	...	1	3	...	5										
	Westbury	...	...	...	1	...	...	5	1	7										
	Evandale	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	4	2296	11	8	461	15	3	2758	6	11	
	Longford	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	5										
	South Longford	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2										
Fingal	Fingal	...	...	1	...	1	...	4	1	7										
	Glamorgan	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	3	1058	4	7	189	2	8	1247	7	3	
	Portland	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2										
Macquarie	Macquarie	...	...	1	1	...	...	12	1	15	1671	7	5	217	9	8	1888	17	1	
Mersey	Mersey and Latrobe	...	...	1	3	...	1	12	1	18										
	Emu Bay and Russell	...	...	...	2	1	1	6	3	13	2966	13	4	499	13	0	3466	6	4	
New Norfolk	New Norfolk	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	4										
	Hamilton	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	4	1012	2	5	208	5	10	1220	8	3	
	Bothwell	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2										
Richmond	Brighton	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2										
	Richmond	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3										
	Green Ponds	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2										
	Sorell	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	3	1401	0	0	278	0	0	1679	0	0	
	Spring Bay	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2										
	Carnarvon	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2										
Ringarooma	Ringarooma	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	...	7	772	9	0	244	10	1	1016	19	1	
	Totals	1	1	9	22	16	7	161	17	234	24,026	14	7	4605	12	8	28,632	7	3	

J. E. C. LORD, *Commissioner of Police.*

POLICE, MUNICIPAL AND TERRITORIAL.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	Municipal.											Territorial.									
	Establishment.							Finance.				Establishment.								Finance.	
	Commissioner of Police.	Inspecting Superintendent.	Relieving Superintendent.	Superintendents.	Sub-Inspectors.	Sergeants.	Detectives.	Constables.	Special Constables.	Total.	Salaries and Pay.	Total.		Superintendents.	Sub-Inspectors.	Acting Sub-Inspectors.	Sergeants.	Acting Sergeants.	Constables.	Special Constables.	Total.	Salaries and Pay only.	Total (including allowances, rent, contingencies, &c.)
											£ s. d.	£ s. d.										£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1896...	...	...	...	21	25	20	2	85	5	158	17,631 19 1	20,512 19 2		7	11	...	2	...	77	4	103	10,313 15 5	14,193 6 0
1897...	...	...	...	21	24	21	2	81	7	156	17,248 8 10	19,976 16 5		8	12	...	5	...	81	10	114	10,560 9 11	13,549 19 11
1898...	...	...	...	21	24	18	3	81	6	153	17,182 7 0	19,859 11 9		...	...	...	3	...	88	10	121	11,900 12 3	13,887 18 6
1899...	1	1	1											14	29	...	19	...	170	11	246	29,753 16 10	15,651 9 10
1900...	1	...	1											14	26	...	18	...	174	16	250	28,709 1 8	39,330 11 11†
1901...	1	...	1											14	25	...	19	...	178	17	255	25,636 7 4	36,960 12 6
1902...	1	...	1											14	23	...	18	...	174	16	245	27,384 5 3	38,621 7 2
1903...	1	...	1											11	21	...	18	...	169	14	235	23,711 7 0	36,785 12 3
1904...	1	...	–											10	22	...	16	6	163	15	234	25,126 11 11	35,623 10 3
1095*.	1	...	1											9	22	...	16	7	161	17	234	24,026 14 7	35,651 19 2

Merged into Territorial.

* For the 12 months ending 30th June, 1905. † First year of centralisation.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Inspector of Police.]

GAOLS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.—ACCOMMODATION AND NUMBERS.

RETURN relative to the Accommodation, Number of Prisoners, &c., for the Year ended June 30, 1906.

ESTABLISHMENT.	*Accommodation.*						*Number of Prisoners.*												*Daily Average during Year chargeable to—*						*Greatest Number in Confinement at one time during Year.*		*Number of Cases of Sickness during Year.*	
	No. of Wards or Cells.	Aggregate Capacity of Wards or Cells in cubic feet.	No. of Prisoners the Wards or Cells are capable of containing.				At commencement of Year.		Received during Year.		Absconded and not retaken.		Executed.		Died.		Discharged during Year.		Remaining at end of Year.		Colonial Government.		Imperial Government.		Total.					
			In separate Cells.		If more than one Prisoner sleeps in one Cell.																									
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Gaol, Hobart	182	196,175	166	12	244	32	88	4	315	67	...	...	...	...	...	...	327	67	75	4	79	5	...	...	79	5	94	6	15	1
Gaol, Launceston*	83	94,829	79	...	...	...	7	2	321*	76*	...	..	...	...	...	...	321†	72†	7	6	13	4	...	...	13	4	24	11	...	...
Totals	265	291,004	239	12	244	32	95	6	636	143	...	...	...	..	...	...	648	139	82	10	92	9	...	...	92	9	118	17	15	1

* Not including 14 M. and 3 F. transferred from Hobart. † Including 56 M. and 9 F. transferred to Hobart.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

GAOLS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

AVERAGE Number of Inmates, 1896–1905.

Gaols and Penal Establishments.	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.		1901.		1902.		1903.		1904. *		1905.†	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Hobart	111	13	97	8	84	6	89	9	75	6	77	8	84	6	75	4	87	4	79	5
Launceston	16	7	13	5	13	5	13	4	13	5	15	4	13	4	12	5	14	4	13	4
Total	127	20	110	13	97	11	102	13	88	11	92	12	97	10	87	9	101	8	92	9

* Half-year ended 30 June, 1904. † Year ended 30. 6. 06.

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

GAOLS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

RETURN showing the Ages, Education, and Birth-places of Inmates, for the Year 1905-6.

ESTABLISHMENT.	AGES.																EDUCATION.								BIRTH-PLACES OF INMATES.											
	Under 10.		10 and under 15.		15 and under 25.		25 and under 35.		35 and under 45.		45 and under 55.		55 and under 65.		65 and upwards.		Average Age of all Inmates.	Unable to read.		Able to read only.		Able to read and write.		Of superior Education.		Australian States and Tasmania.		England and Wales.		Ireland.		Scotland.		Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.		Birth-places unknown.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Gaol, Hobart *	...	...	1	...	137	18	111	7	79	28	43	14	16	2	16	2	34	52	7	9	3	341	61	1	...	302	67	41	2	22	1	10	1	5	...	23	...	...	...
Ditto, Launceston	...	...	1	1	93	15	96	11	58	28	43	12	14	1	16	8	34	37	10	14	14	270	52	...	...	251	64	27	7	19	4	..	...	7	...	17	1	...	...
TOTAL.....	...	...	2	1	230	33	207	18	137	56	86	26	30	3	32	10	34	89	17	23	17	611	113	1	...	553	131	68	9	41	5	10	1	12	...	40	1	...	...

* Twelve months ended 6.12.06.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

GAOLS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.—EMPLOYMENT, PUNISHMENTS, &c.

RETURN showing the Employments of Prisoners, Punishments inflicted for Offences committed within the Prison, and the Number of Prisoners committed before, for the Year 1905-6.

ESTABLISHMENT.	*Average Daily Number employed.*								*Punishments.*						*Number of Prisoners committed.*							
	Hard Labour in Prison.		Hard Labour outside Prison.		Other Employments.		Not employed.		Irons.		Solitary Imprisonment.		Other Punishments.		First Offence.		Once before.		Twice before.		Three or more times.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Gaol, Hobart *.....	48	5	23	—	3	—	6	—	—	—	25	—	4	—	169	14	63	10	36	6	135	41
Ditto, Launceston.....	4	2	3	—	3	1	3	1	—	—	—	—	2	1	39	8	19	4	102	47	161	16
TOTALS	52	7	26	—	6	1	9	1	—	—	25	—	6	1	208	22	82	14	138	53	296	57

* Twelve months ended 3.6.06.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

GAOLS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

RETURN showing the Expenditure on Account of Gaols and Penal Establishments in Tasmania, together with the Amounts received for Labour of Inmates and from other Sources, during the Year 1905.

Establishment.	Salaries and Allowances.	Other Expenses.	Gross Expenditure.	Cash Receipts from Labour of Inmates, Sale of Produce, &c.	Net Expenditure.	Proportion of Net Expenditure chargeable to		Average Cost per Head for Half-year.	
						Tasmanian Government.	Imperial Government.	On Gross Expenditure.	On Net Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
H.M. Gaol, Hobart	*3006 7 9	1638 13 0	4645 0 9	886 8 1	3758 12 8	3758 12 8	...	54 13 0	44 4 4
Ditto, Launceston	320 0 0	313 12 8	633 12 8	...	633 12 8	633 12 8	...	37 5 5	28 0 0
TOTAL	3326 7 9	1952 5 8	5278 13 5	886 8 1	4392 5 4	4392 5 4	...	91 18 5	72 4 4

* For 12 months ended 30. 6. 06.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

GAOLS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

Net Cost per Head per annum, 1896—1905.

	1896.	1897.	1898	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904. For Half Year.	1905-6.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hobart	29 11 4	33 12 8	38 1 8	35 11 0	41 5 8	43 14 7	41 5 8	46 19 0	20 4 3	*44 4 4
Launceston	24 12 5	34 8 9	32 3 2	35 13 5	26 18 2	31 11 0	27 3 1	29 13 9	16 1 7	28 6 9

* For year ended 30. 6. 06.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

STATE OF THE COMMONWEALTH MILITARY FORCES OF TASMANIA, 1905.

Designation.	Actual Strength on 31. 12. 05.				
	Officers.	Warrant Officers.	Other Ranks.	Total.	Horses.
Permanent—					
District Head Quarters Staff	2	...	...	2	...
" " Civilians	...	...	4	4	...
Royal Australian Artillery—					
District Establishment	...	...	6	6	...
Detachment No. 10 Company	...	...	6	6	...
Corps of Australian Engineers	...	...	1	1	...
Ordnance Department	...	1	1	2	...
" " Civilians	...	...	3	3	...
Pay Department, Civilians	...	...	2	2	...
Instructional Staff	1	3	11	15	1
Total Permanent Forces	3	4	34	41	1
Militia—					
Australian Light Horse—					
12th Australian Light Horse Regiment (Tasmanian Mounted Infantry)—					
Staff	2	...	...	2	...
Squadrons	4	...	80	84	...
Squadron attached (Southern Reserve)	5	...	53	56	...
Australian Field Artillery—					
No. 1 Tasmanian Battery	4	...	66	70	...
No. 2 Tasmanian Battery { Launceston	...	...	27	27	...
No. 2 Tasmanian Battery { Hobart	...	...	...	...	...
Corps of Australian Engineers—					
No. 5 Field Company	1	...	28	29	...
No. 3 Electric Company	2	...	24	26	...
Australian Infantry—					
12th Australian Infantry Regiment (Launceston Regiment)—					
Staff	4	...	3	7	...
Band	...	...	22	22	...
Companies	14	...	400	414	...
Australian Army Medical Corps—					
Staff	1*	...	...	1	...
Officers attached to Regiments	3	...	...	3	...
Tasmanian Garrison Company	2	...	28	30	...
Volunteers—					
The Derwent Infantry Regiment—					
Staff	...	...	...	...	...
Band	...	...	22	22	...
Companies	2	...	89	91	...
The Tasmanian Rangers —					
Staff	1	...	3	4	...
Band	...	...	18	18	...
Companies	12	...	244	256	...
Australian Army Service Corps—					
Tasmanian Garrison Details	...	...	...	...	...
Veterinary Department	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Total, Permanent, Militia, and Volunteers	60	4	1141	1205	1
Unattached List of Officers	52	...	...	23	...
Chaplains	4	...	...	9	...
Cadets—					
Southern Tasmanian Cadet Battalion	5	...	142	147	...
Launceston Cadets	...	...	59	59	...
Rifle Clubs, 12	...	...	503	503	...

* P.M.O.

H. D. MACKENZIE, *Colonel, Commandant C.M.F., Tas.*

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EDUCATION.

TREASURY EXPENDITURE in connection with Educational System of Tasmania, in respect of the Year 1905-6, *made up to* 31*st August*, 1906.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Per cent. to Total.
Tasmanian University	4000 0 0		
		4000 0 0	... 5·65
Education Department—			
Salaries of Staff for Administration and Inspection	2070 0 0	...	2·93
Public Schools generally	48,724 13 4	...	68·83
Travelling Expenses, Forage Allowances, Inspectors, &c.	780 9 7	...	1·10
Repairs to State Schools	1101 0 11	...	1·56
School Cleaning and General Maintenance, half-year	457 3 11	...	·64
Petty Repairs and Allowances to Boards of Advice	2702 0 0	...	3·82
Physical Culture	213 2 6	...	·30
Stationery and Stores	42 18 0	...	·05
Printing	323 17 4	...	·45
Free Railway Tickets	194 0 0	...	·27
Telephones, Telegrams, Postages, &c.	299 18 4	...	·42
Miscellaneous	155 0 0	...	·21
		57,064 3 11	... 86·23
Technical Education	1700 0 0	...	2·40
School of Mines, Zeehan	700 0 0	...	·98
In aid of other Schools of Mines	250 0 0	...	·35
		2650 0 0	... 3·73
Proportion of Interest properly chargeable to Education Department for year	...	7120 0 0	... 10·04
		£70,834 0 0	... 100·0

ROBT. M. JOHNSTON, *Government Statistician.*

RETURN showing Analysis of Expenditure in connection with the Education Department, for the Year 1905, *exclusive of Payments under Loans Acts.*

PRIMARY EDUCATION.

Expenditure for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Salaries of Staff	...	2554 3 4
Salaries and Allowances to Officers and Teachers, and Maintenance of Schools under the Education Department:—		
Salaries and Allowances	48,204 15 10	
Rent of School Buildings	330 11 3	
School Furniture and Fittings	65 8 0	
School Books and Requisites	493 16 8	
Gas	2 5 10	
Water-supply	22 1 4	
Teachers' Transfer Expenses	167 3 9	
Transport of Children on "Conveyance System"	56 2 10	
Cleaning Schools	36 11 0	
Freight	4 17 1	
Letter-bag	2 0 0	
Class of Instruction, Launceston	1 10 0	
Expenses of Examination	7 3 6	
Petty Expenses	13 5 10	
Fire Premiums on Stock	0 16 6	
Allowances to Teachers for Sundries	44 2 6	
Advertising	0 8 0	
		49,452 19 11
Allowances to Students and others on probation		56 5 0
Repairs and Improvements to School Buildings		923 5 1
Advances to Boards of Advice		2750 0 0
Stationery and Stores		43 13 6
Travelling Expenses of Inspectorial Staff		696 19 8
Physical Culture (including Instructor's Salary, £180)		241 11 5
Printing		306 18 2
Railway Tickets for Scholars		298 0 0
Postages, Telegrams, and Telephones		303 12 6
Total Expenditure on Primary Education		£57,627 8 7

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Expenditure for the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

Grant to—	£ s. d.
Hobart Technical School	850 0 0
Launceston Technical School	850 0 0
School of Mines, Zeehan	700 0 0
School of Mines, Beaconsfield	250 0 0
Total	£2650 0 0

W. L. NEALE, Director of Education

RETURN showing Attendance of Children and Number of Teachers at State Schools in operation under the Education Department between 1st January and 31st December, 1905.

School District.	No. of Schools.	Aggregate Enrolment of Scholars.			Average Daily Attendance of Scholars.	Teachers and Assistants.		Pupil Teachers and Paid Monitors.	
		Boys.	Girls.	TOTAL.		Male.	Female	Male.	Female.
1. Hobart	8	1787	1450	3237	1833·0	12	25	8	11
2. Launceston	3	898	695	1593	930·8	3	15	6	3
3. Beaconsfield	5	263	256	519	291·5	2	7	...	1
4. Bothwell	5	77	58	135	82·6	2	4	...	...
5. Brighton	9	182	174	356	204·4	5	7	...	...
6. Campbell Town.	5	126	92	218	150·5	2	4	...	1
7. Clarence	6	174	165	339	209·6	2	6	...	2
8. Deloraine	16	418	419	837	483·2	9	11	...	1
9. Devonport	6	375	305	680	400·8	5	8	...	1
10. Emu Bay	19	702	686	1388	775·4	11	19	...	3
11. Evandale	7	185	156	341	212·5	1	7	...	1
12. Fingal	13	376	353	729	433·4	7	11	...	2
13. Franklin, North	16	461	332	793	542·5	12	13	...	2
14. Franklin, South.	7	188	188	376	205·8	4	5	...	...
15. George Town	4	94	80	174	116·1	3	3	...	...
16. Glamorgan	5	57	61	118	79·5	1	4	...	...
17. Glenorchy	4	162	138	300	185·7	2	6	...	1
18. Gormanston	3	87	94	181	70·6	2	2	...	1
19. Green Ponds	7	97	92	189	113·2	3	3	...	1
20. Hamilton	7	90	87	177	113·4	3	2	...	...
21. Kentishbury	11	386	372	758	479·4	6	11	2	2
22. Kingborough	14	236	232	468	286·1	7	8	...	...
23. Latrobe	8	339	303	642	370·2	5	10	...	2
24. Longford	9	331	256	587	379·4	5	9	...	...
25. New Norfolk	9	285	227	512	270·6	3	8	...	1
26. Oatlands	12	237	217	454	302·0	7	8	...	1
27. Port Cygnet	7	124	84	208	128·9	3	4	...	1
28. Portland	6	168	163	331	199·1	6	3	...	...
29. Queenstown	2	274	240	514	266·3	5	1	1	1
30. Richmond	11	140	126	266	166·5	3	6	...	1
31. Ringarooma	9	268	266	534	324·8	5	7	...	2
32. Ross	2	64	45	109	65·7	1	1	1	...
33. Russell	10	308	290	598	359·0	9	4	1	3
34. Scottsdale	10	241	205	446	271·3	3	8	...	1
35. Selby	18	486	471	957	530·3	7	15	...	2
36. Sorell	8	196	189	385	229·9	5	4	...	2
37. Spring Bay	4	77	53	130	77·9	2	2	...	1
38. Strahan [sula	4	100	115	215	138·5	2	4	...	...
39. Tasman Penin-	7	96	95	191	126·5	3	4	...	...
40. Ulverstone	17	653	512	1165	655·4	12	13	...	2
41. Upper Derwent.	5	137	136	273	141·0	3	3	...	2
42. Westbury	18	338	327	665	411·4	8	14	...	1
43. Zeehan	5	363	333	696	393·9	5	7	...	3
44. Furneaux Group	1	19	14	33	18·7	...	...	...	...
45. King Island	1	10	10	20	12·1	...	...	...	...
46. Hobart	2	206	...	206	73·0	...	...	...	...
TOTALS	365	12,881	11,162	24,043	14,112·4	206	316	19	59

W. L. NEALE, *Director of Education.*

STATE SCHOOLS, SCHOLARS, AND TEACHERS—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	No. of Schools.	No. of Teachers.				No. of distinct Scholars on the Rolls during the Year.			Average No. of Scholars on the Rolls during the Year.			Average Daily Attendance.		
		Teachers and Assistant Teachers.		Pupil Teachers and Paid Monitors.										
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.	M.&. F.	M.	F.	M. & F.
1896	270	183	216	32	58	11,287	9539	20,826*	8569	7203	15,772	6293	5215	11,508
1897	282	191	239	24	66	11,756	10,003	21,759*	8969	7665	16,634	6521	5501	12,022
1898	296	192	267	24	64	12,012	10,505	22,517*	9178	7958	17,136	6475	5540	12,015
1899	309	196	307	24	57	12,397	10,875	23,272*	9377	8305	17,682	7051	6054	13,105
1900	327	195	341	16	60	12,814	11,343	24,157*	9970	8723	18,693	7522	6485	14,007
1901	338	209	361	16	74	13,093	11,449	24,542*	10,276	8960	19,236	7690	6569	14,259
1902	349	215	373	17	73	13,172	11,592	24,764	10,458	9098	19,553	7818	6723	14,541
1903	346	226	366	23	76	13,003	11,592	24,595	9883	8713	18,596	7445	6418	13,863
1904	358	224	370	25	68	12,805	11,277	24,082	†	†	†	†	†	14,321
1905	365	206	316	19	59	12,881	11,162	24,043	†	†	†	†	†	14,112

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from official Returns.]

* Gross aggregate enrolment of Scholars. † Not supplied.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

SUMMARY of Statistics of Department from 1901, *in which year the School Fees were for the first time paid into the Treasury.*

Year.	Schools. Number. Open at any time during the Year.	Schools. Number. Open at the end of the Year.	Scholars. Gross Enrolment.	Scholars. Average Number in Daily Attendance.	Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue on Primary Education. Total Amount Expended on Primary Educaton.	Amount per Scholar reckoned on— (i) Gross Enrolment.	Amount per Scholar reckoned on— (ii) Average Daily Attendance.	School Fees. Total Amount Collected.	Amount per Head for Scholars (Gross Enrolment).	Amount per Head for Scholars in Daily Attendance.
					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1901	338	334	24,542	14,259	59.618 9 5	2 8 7	4 3 7	11,025 12 11	0 8 11	0 15 5
1902	349	338	24,764	14,541	60,571 11 10	2 8 11	4 3 4	12,411 5 8	0 10 0	0 17 1
1903	346	336	24,595	13,863	60,772 7 8	2 9 5	4 7 8	12,472 3 10	0 10 2	0 18 0
1904	356	352	24,082	14,321	62,442 8 2	2 11 10	4 7 2	12,424 7 5	0 10 4	0 17 4
1905	365	343	24,043	14,112	57,627 8 7	2 7 11	4 1 8	12,652 19 3	0 10 6	0 17 11

PRIVATE Schools Return.

Locality.	Number of Schools.	Aggregate Enrolment. Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Hobart and Suburbs	45	1191	1519	2710
Launceston and Suburbs	34	903	1165	2068
Country Towns and Districts	88	1620	1925	3545
Total	167	3714	4609	8323

Of course this is not a complete return of the number of children being educated at schools "other than State Schools." It is proposed to take action, under the provision of the law, to secure complete returns in the future.

W. L. NEALE, *Director of Education.*

SCHOLARSHIPS and School Exhibitions awarded, and in force on 31st December in each year.

Year.	Awarded by the Tasmanian Council of Education. (Since 1891 the University of Tasmania.)									Education Department.			
	Degree of Associate of Arts.	Dry Scholarships.		Minor Scholarships.		Tasmanian Scholarships.		Under 14 Exhibitions.		State School Exhibitions.			
	No. conferred.	Awarded.	In force at close of year	Awarded.	In force at close of year.	Awarded.	In force at close of year.	Awarded.	In force at close of year.	Awarded.		In force at close of year	
1860...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	3		3	
1861...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	4		6	
1862...	5	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	6	4		8	
1863...	3	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	7	6		8	
1864...	6	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	7	4		11	
1865...	15	...	...	...	...	1	4	2	8	6		10	
1866...	7	...	...	...	...	1	4	2	7	4		13	
1867...	10	...	...	...	...	1	3	2	8	6		17	
1868...	5	...	...	...	...	1	3	2	8	6		20	
1869...	8	...	...	...	...	1	4	2	8	6		17	
1870...	5	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	8	6		23	
1871...	11	...	...	...	...	1	3	2	8	6		24	
1872[a]...	15	...	...	...	...	1	3	2	8	6		22	
1873...	12	1	1	...	...	2	3	2	8	6		21	
1874...	15	1	1	...	...	2	4	2	8	6		23	
1875...	12	1	1	...	...	2	6	2	7	5		23	
										Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
1876 [b].	15	1	1	...	...	2	8	2	7	6	1	23	1
1877...	17	1	1	...	...	2	8	2	8	6	1	22	2
1878...	17	1	1	1	...	2	8	2	8	6	3	21	4
1879...	23	1	1	2	1	1	8	2	8	6	5	21	8
1880...	18	1	1	2	3	2	7	2	8	6	4	24	13
1881...	15	1	1	2	4	2	7	2	8	6	3	24	13
1882...	13	1	1	2	4	3	7	5	9	6	3	24	14
1883...	15	1	1	2	4	2	8	5	14	6	2	24	12
1884...	10	1	1	2	4	2	9	5	17	6	4	23	12
1885...	6	1	1	2	4	2	9	5	18	6	5	24	15
1886...	12	1	1	2	4	1	9	5	20	6	1	23	13
1887...	12	1	1	2	4	2	8	5	19	6	5	24	13
1888...	12	1	1	2	4	2	8	5	18	6	4	24	13
1889...	20	1	1	2	4	2	8	5	17	6	2	23	12
1890...	9	1	1	...	1	2	8	5	18	6	2	24	13

Year.	University Scholarships.		Senior Exhibitions.		University Exhibitions.									
	Awarded.	In force.	Awarded.	In force.	Awarded.	In force.								
1891...	2	2	2	2	...	...	...	2	8	5	20	6	4	22	12
1892...	2	4	...	2	5	5	...	...	6	...	15	6	3	24	11
1893...	2	6	...	2	5	10	...	...	4	...	10	6	6	24	15
1894...	2	6	...	...	5	15	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	18	13
1895...	2	6	...	...	5	15	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	16	11
1896...	2	6	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5
1897...	3[c]	7	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1898...	3[d]	7[e]	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1899...	4[f]	9	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1900...	3	10	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1901...	3	10	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1902...	3	10	...	...	6[g]	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1903...	3	9	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1904...	2	8	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1905...	3	8	...	...	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

[a] The Degree of A.A. was thrown open to Females this year. [b] In 1876 the Board of Education provided Exhibitions for Girls [c] Owing to one Scholarship being divided between two Candidates bracketed equal. [d] Owing to award of one Scholarship of £50 and two of £25 each. [e] Owing to half Scholarship being resigned and granted to Candidate holding other half. [f] Four Scholarships awarded of £25 each. [g] Owing to one Exhibition having been resigned, and been divided between two Candidates bracketed equal.

[Compiled in the Office of the Government Statistician from official records.]

UNIVERSITY OF TASMANIA, 1905.

	Professors.	Lecturers, and Honorary Assistant Lecturer.*	Students.	
			Male.	Female.
Arts	1	2	9	23
Law	1	...	15	1
Science	1	3 / 1*	16	3
TOTAL	3	6	40	27

RECEIPTS.	£	EXPENDITURE.	£
Balance	133	Scholarships and Exhibitions	625
Reserve for Mining Laboratories	470	Salaries of Officers	2895
Government	4000	Degree Examinations	398
Fees	926	Public Examinations	375
Other Sources	155	Maintenance of Buildings	243
		Laboratories	723
		Miscellaneous	276
		Reserve for Laboratories	106
		Closing Balance	43
TOTAL	£5684	TOTAL	£5684

EXAMINATIONS, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER, 1905, AND MARCH, 1906.

Examination.	Subject Examinations.				Candidates Examined.			
	Credits.	Passes.	Failures.	Total.	Passed Exam.	Passed in one or more Subjects.	Passed in no Subject.	Total.
Public.								
Junior, Dec., 1905	208	790	649	1647	71	145	26	24
Senior, Dec., 1905	96	315	173	584	37	40	5	82
Special Senior, June, 1905, and March, 1906	...	8	1	9	...	4	1	5
					Graduates.	Matric. St.	Non-Matric.	Total.
Degree.								
Ordinary, Nov., 1905	50	65	32	147	5	42	4	51
Supplementary, March, 1906	...	9	3	12	...	10	...	10
					First Class.	Second Class.	Third Class.	Fail.
Honours.								
Languages School, March, 1906					...	...	...	1
					First Exam.	Second Exam.	Third Exam.	Qualified for Degree.
Examinations in courses for Degrees, and qualifications for Degrees completed in November, 1905, and March, 1906 — B.A.					2	3	3	4
B.Sc.					3	3	3	4
LL.B.					5	4	4	3

Number of Graduates of the University on 31st December, 1905—78. Admitted *ad eundem* Degrees—119. If the date of Commemoration, 10th April, 1906, is taken, the numbers become 86 and 123.

TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND SCHOOLS OF MINES, 1905.

	Tuition—No. of Evenings per Week.				Scholars on Roll.				Average Attendance.			
	Hobart Technical School.	Launceston Technical School.	School of Mines, Zeehan.	School of Mines, Beaconsfield.	Hobart.	Launceston.	Zeehan.	Beaconsfield.	Hobart.	Launceston.	Zeehan.	Beaconsfield.
Quasi-Technical.												
Mathematics, including Arithmetic	2	3	2	...	40	19	31	...	30	...	17	...
Book-keeping	1	...	1	...	15	...	16	...	6	...	6	...
Shorthand	2	2	...	...	31	29	...	...	14	...	...	...
Type-writing	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Technical.												
Drawing (all kinds)	4	9	...	2	24	150	...	32	14	...	...	24
Wood-carving	3	...	...	...	32	...	...	...	16	...	...	...
Modelling	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Practical Training in Specific Handicrafts.												
Carpentery	4	5	...	...	37	63	...	...	28	...	...	...
Plumbing (all kinds)	5	...	...	...	43	...	...	...	32	...	...	...
Surveying	...	...	2	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	6	...
Management of Engines and Boilers	2	...	1	...	3	...	4	...	1	...	3	...
Ore-dressing and Sampling	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	4	...
Cookery	...	2	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dresscutting	2	3	...	...	3	20	...	...	3	...	...	...
Other Technical Subjects.												
Machine and Building Construction	4	3	1	...	34	16	12	...	17	...	9	...
Mining Mechanics	...	...	2	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	4	...
Mining	...	3	1	...	...	12	2	...	...	...	1	...
Geology	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Physics	1	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	10	...	...	...
Mineralogy and Blow-piping	2	...	1	1	2	...	4	1	1	...	3	1
Chemistry, Analytical	2	...	5	4	10	...	17	10	6	...	10	5
" Theoretical	1	...	3	1	6	...	14	3	3	...	8	2
Fire Assaying	2	...	1	4	2	...	4	2	1	...	2	1
Electricity	...	2	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
Practical Geometry, Plane and Solid	1	...	...	...	46	...	...	...	35	...	...	...
Numbers of Students of Subjects					349	334	123	48	...	...	...	...
Number of Distinct Scholars on Roll					327	320	67	42	...	..	...	...
Average Nightly Attendance					222	...	19	5	...	...	...	...

Number of Masters: Hobart, 11; Launceston, 9; Zeehan, 5; Beaconsfield, 3.

EXPENDITURE.

	Hobart.			Launceston.			Zeehan.			Beaconsfield.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Government aid	850	0	0	850	0	0	700	0	0	250	0	0	2650	0	0
Total Expenditure	850	0	0	850	0	0	865	12	11	250	0	0	2815	12	11
Average cost per scholar	3	7	2	2	13	1½	12	18	5	5	19	0	24	17	8½
Average cost per student of subjects	2	7	8	2	1	3	7	0	9	5	4	2	16	13	10

Note.—Zeehan Special Expenditure, Building Fnnd, &c., Government, £50; Expenditure, £241 7s. 1d.; per Scholar, £2 11s. 4d.; per Student of Subjects, £1 10s. 9d.

PRINCIPAL GRAMMAR SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES, 1905.

Name of Institution.	Year founded.	Religious Denomination.	Teachers.		Accommodation—Students.	Total Students—On Roll December Quarter.				Bursaries and Scholarships.		Endowments and Grants-in-Aid.	
			Permanent.	Visiting.		Under 6 years.	6 years and under 13.	13 years and upwards.	Total.	No.	Amount.	From Government.	From other sources.
			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		£ s.		£
Devonport High School	1901	Ch. of England	2	...	...	...	7	14	21	...	...	...	...
Commercial College	1894	Undenominational	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tasmanian College	1900	Undenominational	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hutchins' School, Hobart[a]	1846	Ch. of England	3	...	100	...	23	35	58	5	11 15	...	...
Church Grammar School, Launceston	1846	Ch. of England	6	1	150	...	19	100	119	2	26 0	...	...
Queen's College, Hobart	1892	Undenominational	5	2	200	2	33	67	102	...	...	...	...
St. Mary's College, Hobart	1866	Roman Catholic	10	...	300	70	120	86	276	...	...	...	...
Launceston High School	1884	Undenominational	3	...	200	...	21	30	51	3	37 16	...	...
Ladies' Grammar School	1895	Ch. of England	7	4	100	9	40	26	75	...	...	...	...
Launceston Ladies' College	1886	Wesleyan	4	2	150	2	16	42	60	...	...	...	...
Friends High School, Hobart	1887	Society of Friends	11	6	200	1	99	59	159	3	48 0	...	...
Presentation Convent, Launceston	1870	Roman Catholic	16	...	...	44	372	77	493	...	...	...	...
Broadland House School	1884	Undenominational	6	4	110	...	36	72	108	...	...	...	...
Officer College	1888	Presbyterian	2	...	120	...	10	24	34	2	21 0	...	...
Collegiate School	1892	Ch. of England	8	11	140	...	...	...	111	...	...	...	...
Convent of Mercy, Deloraine	1895	Roman Catholic	6	...	200	6	143	44	193	...	...	...	...
Maitland House	1893	Ch. of England	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clifton School	1892	Ch. of England	1	..	30	...	10	11	21	...	...	...	...
Buckland's School	1893	Undenominational	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Leslie House School	1900	Undenominational	6	4	160	3	47	76	126	...	...	...	...
King's Grammar School	1904	Ch. of England	6	3	100	...	15	65	80	...	...		
Total	...	...	102	37	2260	137	1011	828	2027	15	144 11	—	—

[a] The ground on which this School stands was granted by Government.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Heads of the various Establishments.]

PRINCIPAL GRAMMAR SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

RETURN giving Students' Ages and Average Attendance for Four Quarters of 1905.

Name of Institution.	1st Quarter.						2nd Quarter.						3rd Quarter.						4th Quarter.					
	Males.			Females.			Males.			Females.			Males.			Females.			Males.			Females.		
	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.	Under 6 years.	6 and under 13.	13 years and over.
Devonport High School	...	[illegible]	17	...	...	...	...	7	17	...	...	...	...	7	14	...	...	...	...	7	14	...	...	...
Hutchins School, Hobart	...	21	30	...	...	...	...	21	30	...	...	...	...	21	33	...	...	...	...	21	34	...	...	...
Church Grammar School, Launceston	...	36	87	...	...	...	...	31	91	...	...	...	...	20	99	...	...	...	...	19	100	...	...	...
Queen's College, Hobart	...	27	50	3	8	17	...	26	51	3	9	19	...	24	53	2	8	16	...	26	51	2	7	16
St. Mary's College, Hobart	20	42	12	30	58	52	21	44	14	33	59	56	22	44	13	36	61	58	26	54	12	36	62	59
Launceston High School	...	18	31	...	...	...	...	19	26	...	...	...	...	19	29	...	...	...	...	18	28	...	...	...
Ladies' Grammar School	4	11	...	1	25	26	5	13	...	...	26	24	5	12	...	2	25	23	7	14	...	2	25	24
Launceston Ladies' College	...	...	...	50	70	80	...	...	...	48	72	48	...	...	...	50	80	90	...	...	...	45	88	92
Friends' High School, Hobart	...	43	47	...	43	42	27	44	41	...	41	43	22	42	46	...	42	42	22	42	39	...	42	42
Presentation Convent, Launceston	23	115	27	29	189	16	17	103	29	20	184	17	21	103	37	20	158	21	17	94	20	18	163	28
Broadland House School	...	...	...	...	35	56	...	...	...	...	32	62	...	...	...	...	37	63	...	...	...	...	22	65
Officer College	...	6	19	...	...	...	...	6	22	...	...	...	...	9	19	...	...	...	...	8	24	...	...	...
Collegiate School	...	...	...	...	30	62	...	...	...	...	30	70	...	...	...	...	31	80	...	...	...	...	31	80
Convent of Mercy, Deloraine	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	2	...	...	15	...	...	2	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maitland House	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Clifton School	...	3	...	...	3	9	...	6	...	...	6	9	...	4	...	...	5	10	...	6	...	...	4	11
Buckland s School	...	8	16	...	...	...	...	8	17	...	...	...	...	6	14	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	...
Leslie House School	...	20	42	...	23	30	...	24	46	...	29	34	...	21	43	...	23	33	1	21	44	2	22	30
King's Grammar School	...	16	55	...	...	...	...	14	50	...	..	...	...	14	60	...	...	...	...	15	65	...	...	...
TOTAL	47	373	433	113	498	390	70	368	443	104	503	382	70	348	460	110	485	436	73	346	436	105	466	447

RAGGED SCHOOLS.

AVERAGE Number and Average Daily Attendance, 1905.

SCHOOL.	NUMBER OF CHILDREN.					
	Average Number on Rolls.			Average Daily Attendance.		
	Boys.	Girls.	TOTAL	Boys.	Girls.	TOTAL.
RAGGED SCHOOL ASSOCIATION—						
Watchorn-street School	29	35	64	28	26	54
Collins-street School	33	34	67	24	25	49
Cascade Road School	35	31	66	28	23	51
St. Luke's Ragged School	74	68	142	53	46	99
TOTALS	171	168	339	133	120	253

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the responsible officers of the respective Schools.]

RAGGED SCHOOLS.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure, 1905.

	Ragged School Association.	St. Luke's Ragged School.	TOTAL.
DEBIT.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Balance from last year	Dr. 9 0 0	Dr. 14 7 4	Dr. 23 7 4
Receipts during 1905 :—			
From Government	300 0 0	50 0 0	350 0 0
From private subscriptions	52 9 0	...	52 9 0
From other sources	40 8 2	52 14 6	93 2 8
Total Receipts during 1905	392 17 2	102 14 6	495 11 8
Total Debit	383 17 2	88 7 2	472 4 4
CREDIT.			
By Expenditure during 1905	360 15 3	115 4 7	475 19 10
Balance	Cr. 23 1 11	Dr. 26 17 5	Dr. 3 15 6
Total Credit.	383 17 2	88 7 2	472 4 4

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the responsible officers or the respective Establishments.]

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS UNDER BENEVOLENT INSTITUTIONS.

NUMBER of Children maintained, 1905.

Establishment.	Remaining from previous Year.		Admitted.		Discharged.		Died.		Remaining at end of Year.		Average Daily Number during Year.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Boys' Home, Hobart	24	...	5	...	8	...	...	...	21	...	23	...
St. Joseph's Orphanage, ditto	...	41	...	7	...	8	...	1	...	39	...	...
Girls' Industrial School, ditto	...	29	...	4	...	8	...	...	...	25	...	...
Ditto, Launceston	...	28	...	5	...	9	...	...	...	24	...	26
Totals	24	98	5	16	8	25	...	1	21	88	23	26

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS UNDER BENEVOLENT INSTITUTIONS.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure, 1905.

Establishment.	Receipts.									Expenditure.			Balance from last Year.			Balance at end of the Year.			Proportion per cent. which Private Subscriptions bore to Government Grant.
	From Private Subscriptions.			From Government.			From other sources.			Total.									
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Boys' Home, Hobart	109	9	11	322	2	0	244	19	8	676	11	7	713	1	6	209	3	1	172	13	2	33·85
St. Joseph's Orphanage, ditto	230	15	0	244	13	5	324	17	1	800	5	6	802	5	2	13	17	7	11	17	11	98·38
Girls' Industrial School, ditto	25	0	6	221	6	4	299	16	11	546	3	9	565	7	10	239	4	8	220	0	7	11·76
Ditto, Launceston	*...			...			...			...			...			...			...			...
Total	365	5	5	788	1	9	869	13	8	2023	0	10	2080	14	6	462	5	4	404	11	8	46·32

* Information not available at date.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

TRAINING SCHOOLS, 1904-5.

Training School for Boys, New Town.

Number of Wards or Rooms (exclusive of Offices)	60		
Aggregate capacity in cubic feet	33,420		
Number of Inmates the Wards or Rooms are capable of containing	60		
Number of Inmates—			
a. At beginning of year	39		
b. Admitted during year	36		
c. Discharged and licensed	37		
d. Absconded	—		
e. Died	—		
f. Remaining at end of year	38		
g. Average number during year	39		
Number of cases of sickness during year	20		
Education of Inmates on 30th June, 1905 –			
Unable to read	2		
Able to read only	—		
Able to read and write	36		
Of superior education	—		
Ages of Inmates on 30th June, 1905—			
Under 7 years	—		
Under 9 years	—		
Under 11 years	1		
Under 13 years	7		
13 years and over	30		
Receipts—	£	*s.*	*d.*
Government Aid	370	9	9
Private Contributions	—		
Other sources (earnings of Establishment, &c.)	577	1	10
Total Receipts	£947	11	7
Expenditure—			
Salaries and Allowances	354	11	8
Provisions	248	13	5
Repairs to Buildings	11	4	6
Farm Expenses	148	18	10
Miscellaneous	27	15	4
Clothing, Bedding, Stores, and Stationery	123	8	11
Fuel and Light	32	18	11
Total Expenditure	£947	11	7
Cost of each Inmate per year on Gross Expenditure*	24	5	11
,, ,, on Net Expenditure*	9	10	0

* Estimated on basis of daily average.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished from respective Establishments.]

TASMANIAN INSTITUTION FOR BLIND, DEAF, AND DUMB.

For Year ending 31st January, 1906.

Remaining from previous year			17
Admitted			10
Discharged			1
Remaining at end of year (15 males and 11 females)			26

Receipts and Expenditure.	Dr.	£	s.	d.
Balance at beginning of year		89	16	3
Donations and Subscriptions		133	15	9
Government Grants		518	15	9
Sales of Goods		766	11	5½
Other Receipts		1064	16	9
		£2573	15	11½
Expenditure—				
Salaries		461	13	4
Materials and Labour, Industrial Departments		1088	0	7½
Furniture, Repairs, and Fittings		165	8	6
Maintenance		394	17	1
Investments		300	0	0
Balance forward		163	16	5
		£2573	15	11½

Position of Blind Society, 31st January, 1906.

In Banks and in hand	263	16	5
Outstanding accounts	150	13	9
Furniture, Plant, and Stock	1620	18	11
Government Inscribed Stock	900	0	0
	£2935	9	1
Less accounts owing, and overdrafts	170	8	9
	£2765	0	4

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Report furnished.]

PUBLIC LIBRARIES, MECHANICS' INSTITUTES, &c.

RETURN for the Year 1905 *of the Public Libraries, Mechanics' Institutes, &c., in Tasmania which have furnished Returns to the Government Statistician.*

Name of Institution.	Cost of Erection.	Receipts— From Government.[a]	Receipts— From other sources.	Receipts— Total.	Total Number of Volumes in the Institution.	Hours during which it is open.	Approximate Number of Visits paid during the Year.
	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	No.		No.
Bagdad Public Library	373	—	34 18 0	34 18 0	573	From 3 P.M. to 5 P.M., Wednesday, and every Friday evening.	455
Bellerive Institute	[b]	5 5 6	25 11 3	30 16 9	1010	From 3 P.M. to 10 P.M.	3000
Beaconsfield Public Library[b]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bothwell Public Library	700	6 4 9	9 19 6	16 4 3	2762	From 12 noon to 10 P.M.	[b]
Bushy Park Library	250[d]	9 2 4	22 7 0	31 9 4	1400	Every Saturday and Wednesday, 6 P.M., 10 P.M., and when required.	3000
Burnie Public Library	1500	5 0 0	171 0 0	176 0 0	1600	From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.	—
Campbell Town Institute	[f]	16 15 8	55 15 11	72 11 7	2150	From 10 A.M. to 10 P.M.	8050
Deloraine Public Library	2000	3 16 9	60 15 6	64 12 3	3267	From 2 P.M. to 5 P.M.; 7 P.M. to 8·30 P.M.; Saturdays to 9 P.M.	—
Devonport Public Library	[b]	19 3 8	78 11 0	97 14 8	3100	From 11 A.M. to 1 P.M., 3 P.M to 5 P.M., 7 P.M. to 9 P.M.	10,500
Evandale Public Library	400	4 15 11	20 10 0	25 5 11	4175	From 8·45 A.M. to 6 P.M.	6300
Franklin Institute	700	—	10 5 0	10 5 0	1200	From 7 P.M. to 9 P.M. Saturdays.	[b]
Geeveston Public Circulating Library	[b]	—	5 14 9	5 14 9	568	One hour per week.	1000
George Town Public Library	[g]	[g]	[g]	[g]	[g]	From 7 P.M. to 10 P.M. twice a week.	—
Glenorchy Public Library	[d]	—	12 11 1	12 11 1	2000	From 3 P.M to 5 P.M. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.	1000
Kempton Public Library and Reading-room	600	8 12 8	21 1 3	29 13 11	1016	From 9·30 A.M. to 6 P.M.	5000
Hamilton Library[b]	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hamilton-on-Forth Institute	—	—	8 1 6	18 1 6	872	From 3 P.M. to 5 P.M. Thursday; 7 P.M to 9 P.M Saturday.	—
Launceston Institute	8000	150 0 0	546 17 6	696 17 6	25,640	From 9 A.M to 10 P.M., Reading-room; Library, 11 A.M. to 6 P.M., and 7 till 9 P.M.	23,244
Latrobe Free Library	350	15 1 10	20 9 0	35 10 10	4008	From 3 P.M. to 5 P.M.; 7·30 P.M. to 9 P.M.	—
Longford Library	800	17 5 6	49 8 8	66 14 2	2864	Reading-room, 9·30 A.M. to 9 30 P.M.; Library, 9·30 A.M. to 11 A.M., and 2 P.M to 4 P.M., 7 P.M. to 8 P.M	15,000
Macquarie Plains Public Library	300	—	1 10 0	1 10 0	680	From 2 P.M. to 5 P.M. Wednesday.	—
New Norfolk Library	1000	17 15 1	68 17 3	86 12 4	3128	From 3 P.M. to 5 P.M., 7 P.M. to 9·30 P.M.	3740
New Town Library	[d]	9 2 4	14 14 9	23 17 1	1640	Reading-room, 10 A.M. to 9 P.M.	6000
Oatlands Institute and Library	[d]	6 4 9	32 0 0	38 4 9	1567	From 10 A.M. to 10 P.M., Sundays 2 P.M to 6 P.M.	—
Port Esperance Public Library	110	—	30 7 4	30 7 4	2380	Four nights a week, and Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, 2 P.M. to 10 P.M.	[b]
Penguin Public Library	[b]	6 14 9	19 10 2	26 4 11	850	Tuesday and Thursday, 3 to 5 P.M., Saturday, 7 to 9 P.M.	—
Queenstown Library	150	—	29 1 0	29 1 0	512	From 3 P.M. to 5 P.M.; evenings, 7 P.M. to 10 P.M.	7684
Richmond Public Library	200	10 13 6	25 14 4	36 7 10	1500	From 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.	—
Ross	1000	11 19 11	45 6 11	57 6 10	2183	Reading-room, 9 A.M. to 10 P.M.; Library, 9 to 1 P.M., 3 P.M. to 6 P.M., 7 P.M. to 10 P.M.	4992
Scottsdale Institute	530	15 13 6	251 19 0	267 12 6	2300	From 9·30 A.M. to 9·30 P.M.	6000
Sheffield Library	100	4 1 7	14 18 9	19 0 4	1500	From 7 P.M. to 10 P.M.	—
Sorell Public Library	450	7 4 8	26 14 0	33 18 8	1200	Three hours daily.	1500
St. Helens Public Library	[f]	—	5 13 0	5 13 0	450	From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M	—
St. Marys Library	[e]	—	7 11 6	7 11 6	3065	From 3 P.M. to 4 P.M. every Friday.	780

Swansea Library	[e]	—	14 19 10	14 19 10	1130	From 3 P.M. to 5 P.M. every Thursday.	780
Tasmanian Public Library, Hobart	2000	300 0 0	537 14 7	837 14 7	11,839	From 10 A.M. to 9·30 P.M.; Sundays, 2 P.M. to 6 P.M.	112,540
Ringarooma Public Library	[f]	3 7 2	9 15 0	13 2 2	372	From 9·30 A.M. to 9·30 P.M.; Library, Thursdays, 3·30 P.M. to 4·30 P.M.; Saturdays, 7·30 P.M. to 8·30 P.M.	160
Westbury Public Library	[b]	13 18 1	65 8 1	79 6 2	2000	From 9 A.M. to 9 P.M.	—
Wynyard Public Library and Town Hall	400	5 5 6	43 8 6	48 14 0	1181	From 3 P.M. to 6 P.M.	2050
Woodbridge Public Library	600	4 6 4	11 11 0	15 17 4	1216	Reading Room, 9 A.M to 10 P.M. 3 P.M. to 4 P.M. Friday.	52
Working Men's Club Library, Hobart	—	—	8 16 1	8 16 1	320	From 10·30 A.M. to 10·30 P.M.	7000
Waratah Public Library	225	13 18 4	48 13 0	62 11 4	1500	From 7 P.M. to 10 P.M. daily.	5000
TOTALS	—	691 10 1	2467 19 0	3159 11 1	100,718		

[a] Grant-in-aid Public Libraries generally, £300; Hobart Library, £300; Launceston Library, £150. [b] Not supplied. [d] Part of building only used for Library. [e] No specific building. [f] Building rented. [g] Closed.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the various Secretaries.]

TASMANIAN MUSEUM AND BOTANICAL GARDENS.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure for 1905.

RECEIPTS—	£	s.	d.
Museum—			
Grant in aid / Grant from Gardens for Salary	549	19	8
Botanical Gardens—			
Grant in aid	800	0	0
Sale of Plants	43	8	2
Balance, 31st December, 1905	296	5	9
	£1689	13	7

EXPENDITURE—	£	s.	d.
Balance from previous years	275	2	10
Museum—			
Salaries and Wages	398	15	0
Sundries	193	15	1
Botanical Gardens –			
Salaries and Wages	598	10	0
Contribution to Director's Salary, as per contra	50	0	0
Sundries	158	15	5
Bank charges and Stamp Duty	14	15	3
	£1689	13	7

ALEX. MORTON, *Director and Secretary.*

ROYAL SOCIETY OF TASMANIA.

RECEIPTS and Expenditure for the Year 1905.

RECEIPTS—	£	s.	d.
Balance	4	12	7
Subscriptions	126	0	0
	£130	12	7

EXPENDITURE—	£	s.	d.
Salaries	56	0	0
Sundries	51	8	8
Balance	23	3	11
	£130	12	9

ALEX. MORTON, *Secretary.*

HOSPITALS, AND HOSPITALS FOR INSANE.

RETURN relative to Hospitals, and Hospitals for Insane, in Tasmania, showing the Number of Wards or Rooms, with their Capacity, the Number of Patients treated, and Persons maintained, in the Year 1905.

ESTABLISHMENTS.	Accommodation.				Numbers.																		Cases of Sickness treated.		
	No. of Wards or Rooms.	Aggregate Capacity of Wards or Rooms in cubic feet.	No. of Beds		Remaining on 1st January from previous Year.		Admitted during Year.		Discharged.						Died.		Remaining at end of Year.		Daily Average during Year.						In-Patients.		Out-Patients.
			For Males	For Females.					Cured or relieved.		Incurable.		At their own request or on other grounds.						Chargeable to Colonial Government.		Chargeable to Imperial Government.		Total.				
					M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.
HOSPITALS—																											
General Hospital, Hobart †	30	273,800	150		47	36	760	511	694	477	—	—	1	—	60	30	53	40	50	30	—	—	50	30	807	547	1662
Hospital for Contagious Diseases, Hobart ‡	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	4	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—
Ditto, Launceston †	2	4788	—	12	—	4	—	8	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	3	—	—	—	3	—	12	—
General Hospital, Launceston †	28	185,321	74	60	52	37	659	591	550	503	12	10	26	22	62	40	61	53	57	48	—	—	57	48	711	628	1418
Campbell Town Benevolent Hospital	4	83	8	4	3	1	42	12	37	11	—	—	1	1	2	—	5	1	24	39	—	—	24	39	45	13	—
Mount Bischoff Provident Hospital, Waratah	3	8959	5	3	—	—	30	4	28	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	30	4	—
Devon Cottage Hospital	4	31,600	9	8	—	—	112	68	99	58	—	—	—	—	13	10	—	—	11	7	—	—	11	7	112	68	—
Beaconsfield Cottage Hospital	6	26,677	9	10	4	1	58	39	50	36	—	—	—	—	6	2	6	2	3	2	—	—	3	2	62	40	—
Zeehan Cottage Hospital	6	25,968	20	7	7	1	137	45	119	42	—	—	—	—	15	2	10	2	9	4	—	—	9	4	144	46	—
Strahan Cottage Hospital	2	6162	6	2	—	—	4	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	334
Queenstown Cottage Hospital	4*	26,736	23		1	—	71	18	59	15	2	—	—	—	9	2	2	1	6	1	—	—	6	1	72	18	683
Homœopathic Hospital, Hobart	6	25,000	8	4	4	11	69	71	39	47	5	6	13	23	12	5	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	73	82	168
„ „ Launceston	5	12,000	3	5	1	2	23	36	20	35	—	—	1	—	2	1	1	2	1	3	—	—	1	3	24	38	—
Total Hospitals	100	635,373	432		119	93	1965	1408	1698	1241	19	16	41	46	182	93	144	105	162	137	—	—	162	137	2084	1501	4265
HOSPITALS FOR INSANE—																											
New Norfolk	254	594,500	260	222	239	221	39	32	15	11	—	—	—	—	21	9	242	233	241	225	—	—	241	2:5	278	253	—
TOTAL HOSPITALS AND HOSPITALS FOR INSANE	354	1,229,873	914		358	314	2004	1440	1713	1252	19	16	41	46	203	102	386	338	403	362	—	—	403	362	2362	1754	4265

* And 1 room, Temporary capacity, 9600 cub. feet. † For year ended 30th June, 1906. ‡ Room in Gaol.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished.]

HOSPITALS.—AGES AND BIRTH-PLACES OF INMATES.

RETURN showing the Ages and Birth-places of Inmates, for the Year 1905.

ESTABLISHMENT.	AGES.																			BIRTH-PLACES OF INMATES.													
	Ages unknown.		*Under* 10.		10 *and under* 15.		15 *and under* 25.		25 *and under* 35.		35 *and under* 45.		45 *and under* 55.		55 *and under* 65.		65 *and upwards.*		*Average Age of all Inmates.*	*Australian States, including Tasmania.*		*England and Wales.*		*Ireland.*		*Scotland.*		*Other British Possessions.*		*Foreign Countries.*		*Birth-places elsewhere, or not stated.*	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. & F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	F.	M.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
General Hospital, Hobart * §	...	...	67	41	37	55	187	174	140	108	114	73	111	45	48	33	85	38	38	694	515	61	10	23	16	15	2	1	...	13	4	...	...
Hospital for Contagious Diseases, Cascades*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	4	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto, Launceston *	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	1	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
General Hospital, Launceston * §	...	...	93	82	46	47	159	197	99	114	117	79	90	68	48	23	59	18	35	563	563	80	35	23	16	15	8	5	2	25	4	...	...
Campbell Town Hospital *	...	...	4	5	1	...	8	3	7	1	10	...	3	2	4	...	8	2	43	29	11	14	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...
Waratah Hospital *	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	3	13	...	5	1	2	...	2	...	1	...	33	25	4	2	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
Homœopathic Hospital, Hobart	...	...	7	8	6	3	12	19	8	18	14	16	10	7	11	5	5	6	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto, Launceston	...	...	4	3	3	6	4	16	5	8	1	3	3	1	2	1	2	...	32	17	35	5	2	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk†	...	...	1	2	17	22	57	52	57	40	52	45	35	25	10	27	13	20	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Devon Cottage Hospital	...	...	11	7	12	5	21	15	14	6	23	8	10	12	9	8	12	7	44	95	49	8	10	2	3	1	1	1	2	5	3	...	...
Beaconsfield Cottage Hospital*	...	...	7	5	9	8	12	10	15	9	4	3	8	3	4	...	3	2	30	48	39	5	1	3	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	1	...
Zeehan Cottage Hospital *	...	...	10	6	7	4	35	7	37	14	29	8	19	4	6	3	1	...	30	111	39	16	1	5	1	4	3	...	...	8	2	...	...
Strahan Cottage Hospital*	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	30	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Queenstown Cottage Hospital ‡	...	...	...	1	1	2	17	2	19	10	15	2	13	...	3	...	3	1	35	49	13	7	3	7	1	4	...	1	...	3	1	...	...
Total Hospitals	...	...	206	160	139	132	519	513	415	329	385	238	304	167	147	100	192	95	...	1635	1283	195	62	66	37	43	16	11	5	57	15	1	...

* In these Institutions the Total In-patients have been classified. † In this Institution inmates on 31st December have alone been classified. ‡ In this Institution Patients admitted have alone been classified.
§ For year ended 30th June, 1906.

Children :—Average age, Hobart, 5 ; Homœopathic Hospital, Hobart, 6; Launceston, 5; Campbell Town, 6; Beaconsfield, 5; Devon, 11 ; Zeehan, 5 ; Queenstown, 9; Waratah, 15; New Norfolk, 14; Strahan, 6; Homœopathic Hospital, Launceston, 9.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the various Institutions.]

HOSPITALS, AND HOSPITALS FOR INSANE.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

RETURN of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Hospitals, and Hospitals for Insane, in the State of Tasmania, for the Year 1905.

NAME OF ESTABLISHMENT.	Cases of In-patients during the year.	Average No. of Inmates.	RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.				TOTAL EXPENDITURE	
			From Government.		Private Contributions.	Other sources.	Building and Repairs.	Maintenance.	Miscellaneous.		Average.	
			Colonial.	Imperial.							Per Inmate per year.	Per Case per year.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Hospital, Hobart ‡	1354	80	5188 13 11	...	1191 5 9	579 17 0	6959 16 8	82 6 11	6313 4 9[a]	564 5 0	6959 16 8	87 10 5	5 2 9
Hospital for Contagious Diseases, Cascades	4	...	7 14 0	...	...	...	7 14 0	...	7 14 0	...	7 14 0	†	1 18 6
Ditto, Launceston	12	3	163 0 0	...	...	...	163 0 0	...	148 0 0[c]	15 0 0	163 0 0	49 8 0	13 11 8
General Hospital, ditto ‡	1339	105	5580 3 6	...	...	1708 10 7	7288 14 1	423 18 4	4852 7 11[d]	1961 19 3	7238 5 6	68 17 9	5 8 4
Campbell Town Hospital	58	6	60 0 0	...	338 18 9	263 17 9	662 16 6	7 7 8	289 15 0[e]	157 6 2	454 8 10	75 14 9	7 13 3
Waratah Hospital	34	1	100 0 0	...	25 15 3	361 4 11	487 0 2	1 11 0	403 0 0[f]	64 14 11	469 5 11	†	13 16 0
Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk	475	467	10,227 11 11	300 0 0	4122 13 0	138 2 1	14,788 7 0	533 11 8	11,064 13 2[g]	3190 2 2	14,788 7 0	31 12	31 13 4
Devon Cottage Hospital	180	18	180 0 0	...	26 0 0	1483 0 0	1689 0 0	57 0 0	845 0 0[h]	635 0 0	1537 0 0	85 7 9	8 10 9
Beaconsfield	102	5	200 0 0	...	301 18 7	33 11 8	535 10 3	45 4 2	457 5 5[i]	29 4 7	531 14 2	106 6 10	5 4 3
Zeehan	190	13	400 0 0	...	2469 12 7	108 15 5	2978 8 0	82 15 1	2333 7 1[j]	502 10 1	2918 12 3	224 10 3	15 7 2
Strahan	5	...	100 0 0	...	234 5 3	78 15 3	413 0 6	...	332 17 5[k]	104 13 10	437 11 3	†	83 6 3
Queenstown	90	7	450 0 0	...	15 4 4	561 15 5	1026 19 9	149 1 10	1114 13 11[l]	...	1263 15 9	180 10 10	14 0 10
Homœopathic, Hobart	155	5	200 0 0	...	277 17 8	763 16 10	1241 14 6	8 0 0	868 18 4[m]	350 12 3	1227 10 7	245 10 1	7 11 11
Ditto, Launceston	62	4	200 0 0	...	164 11 9	169 7 0	533 18 9	44 5 3	498 5 6[n]	96 5 9	638 16 6	138 14 10	10 6 0
TOTAL	4060	714	23,057 3 4	300 0 0	9168 2 11	6250 13 11	38,776 0 2	1435 1 11	29,529 2 6	7671 14 0	38,635 18 5	50 5 8	9 10 3

* Based upon the average inmates per day per year, as ascertained by the actual number of diets provided for In-patients per year. † Too low a daily average to compare. ‡ For year ended 30th June, 1906. § For year ended 30 June, 1905.

[a] Salaries and Allowances, £2660 12*s.* 10*d.* [c] Salaries and Allowances, £65. [d] Salaries and Allowances, £2618 8*s.* 5*d.* [e] Salaries and Allowances, £218 19*s.* [f] Salaries and Allowances, £314 0*s.* 6*d.* [g] Salaries and Allowances, £6626 5*s.* 4*d.* [h] Salaries and Allowances, £355. [i] Salaries and Allowances, £224 7*s.* 2*d.* [j] Salaries and Allowances, £1539 17*s.* 4*d.* [k] Salaries and Allowances, £332 17*s.* 5*d.* [l] Salaries and Allowances, £450 10*s.* 1*d.* [m] Salaries and Allowances, £368 7*s.* 10*d.* [n] Salaries and Allowances, £126 10*s.*

HOSPITALS, AND HOSPITALS FOR THE INSANE.

TOTAL Expenditure, Average per Inmate per year—Decennial Return.

Hospitals.	1896.			1897.			1898.			1899.			1900.			1901.			1902.			1903.			1904.			1905.		
	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*	£	*s.*	*d.*
General Hospital, Hobart	80	15	8	68	17	4	75	12	10	83	8	6	87	3	1	92	6	9	85	6	7	85	0	10	46	12	6‡	87	10	5§
Isolation Hospital		...			...			...			...			...			...		72	4	4		...			...			...	
Hospital for Contagious Diseases, Cascades	3	10	1	51	16	4	90	12	8	57	9	5	86	12	2	81	19	1	137	15	10		...			†			†	
Ditto, Launceston	30	6	6	31	14	3	32	16	10	27	10	0	21	5	4	34	15	6	32	0	7	52	10	0	43	11	11	49	8	0
General Hospital, Launceston	75	11	0	79	6	10	82	2	5	81	3	0	79	10	4	76	0	4	78	14	3	59	5	2	46	12	7‡	68	17	9
Hospital for Insane, New Norfolk	28	9	9	29	12	2	31	14	3	32	4	4	35	1	9	35	14	2	35	12	0	38	1	5	30	3	3	31	12	9
Campbell Town Hospital	58	10	0	48	6	7	63	11	2	49	4	5	75	15	9	76	0	4	160	0	0	59	5	2	98	1	1	75	14	9
Waratah Hospital		...		320	19	4	199	4	1	120	15	2	298	12	11	865	12	0		†			†			†			†	
Devon Cottage Hospital	214	0	7	196	0	7	83	2	2	83	6	0	76	8	4	71	9	9	69	3	4	70	8	6	87	9	4	85	7	9
Beaconsfield Cottage Hospital	121	16	2	104	15	11	297	3	8	123	8	7	119	15	2	116	15	6	124	17	0	85	5	9	94	19	6	106	6	10
Zeehan Cottage Hospital	110	8	2	406	15	2	34	6	8	185	15	9	161	8	7	202	0	0†	260	0	0	242	8	0	105	13	10	224	10	3
Strahan Cottage Hospital	79	10	6	120	2	3	697	17	8	67	4	7	255	17	7	116	1	6†		†			†			†			†	
Queenstown Cottage Hospital		...			...		103	0	2	78	7	8	132	0	7	83	14	8	110	6	7	131	6	0	193	17	4	180	10	10
Homœopathic Hospital, Launceston		...			...			...			...		123	4	0	143	13	9	177	0	8	172	5	0	147	5	7	138	14	10
,, ,, Hobart		...			...			...			...			...		146	6	1	101	4	0		†		133	13	4	245	10	1
All	45	13	2	48	10	8	50	0	10	52	15	2	56	14	6	56	16	6	56	19	4	56	13	3	45	4	4	50	5	8

* Not to be ascertained. † Too low a daily average for comparison. ‡ For year ended 30 June, 1904. § For year ended 30 June, 1906.

[The above Returns are compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

HOSPITALS, AND HOSPITALS FOR INSANE, MAINTAINED BY GOVERNMENT.

DAILY Average Number of Persons maintained.—Decennial Return.*

	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.		1901.		1902.		1903		1904.		1905.	
HOSPITALS.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Hobart	53	26	56	27	57	40	46	40	42	40	50	38	59	30	56	30	54	37	50	30
Isolation Hospital	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	12	..		..	..	..	..
Contagious Diseases, Hobart	..	9	..	4	..	6	..	4	..	2	..	2·6	..	1·37	..	..	..	..	..	...
Ditto, Launceston	..	5	..	6	..	5	..	6	..	9	..	5·4	..	5·19	..	2·77	..	3	...	3
Launceston	45	31	45	32	42	37	44	33	44	36	46	43	48	45	54	40	59	47	57	48
Total Hospitals	98	71	101	69	99	88	90	83	86	87	96	89	119	93·56	110	72·77	113	87	107	81
HOSPITALS FOR INSANE.																				
New Norfolk	192	171	192	172	199	182	207	182	202	190	228	190	239	198	241	207	243	215	241	225
Total Hospitals for Insane	192	171	192	172	199	182	207	182	202	190	228	190	239	198	241	207	243	215	241	225
GRAND TOTAL	290	242	293	241	298	270	297	265	288	277	324	279	358	291·56	351	279·77	356	302	348	306

* In round numbers.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from official Returns.]

CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS—ACCOMMODATION AND NUMBERS.

RETURN relative to Charitable Establishments in Tasmania, showing the Number of Wards or Rooms, with their Capacity, and the Number of Persons maintained, in the Twelve Months ending 30th June, 1905.

ESTABLISHMENTS.	*Accommodation.*				*Numbers.*																*Cases of Sickness treated.*	
	No. of Wards or Rooms.	Aggregate Capacity of Wards or Rooms in cubic feet.	No. of Beds.		Remaining on 1st January from previous Year.		Admitted during Half-year.		Discharged.		Died.		Remaining at end of Year.		Daily Average during Half-year.							
			For Males.	For Females.											Chargeable to Colonial Government.		Chargeable to Imperial Government.		TOTAL.			
					M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
New Town Charitable Establishment	24	526,583	230	140	229	132	179	125	129	110	65	24	214	123	205	118	1	—	206	118	62	28
Invalid Depôt, Launceston	18	13,246	55	20	58	15	85	25	68	20	20	7	56	15	52	17	1	—	53	17	17	30
TOTAL CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS	42	539,829	285	160	287	147	264	150	197	130	85	31	270	138	257	135	2	—	259	135	79	58

CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS.

RETURN showing the Ages, Education, and Birthplaces of Inmates for the Year 1905.

ESTABLISHMENTS.	NO. OF INMATES.			AGES.																EDUCATION.						BIRTHPLACES OF INMATES.											
				Under 10.		10 and under 15.		15 and under 25.		25 and under 35.		35 and under 45.		45 and under 55.		55 and under 65.		65 and upwards.		Average of all Ages.*		Unable to read.		Able to read only.		Able to read and write.		Australian States and Tasmania.		England and Wales.		Ireland.		Scotland.		Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.		Birthplaces elsewhere.	
	Persons.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M. F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F. †	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
New Town Charitable Establishment	665	408	257	—	16	—	7	5	19	9	19	19	21	31	14	41	17	303	144	67·23*		83	113	33	44	292	100	77	112	185	46	95	74	30	21	6	1	15	3	—	—
Invalid Depôt, Launceston	110	85	25	—	—	—	—	—	6	1	3	6	4	9	—	14	1	55	11	69·80*		19	2	6	6	60	17	20	15	43	6	16	4	4	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
Total Charitable Establishments..	775	493	282	—	16	—	7	5	25	10	22	25	25	40	14	55	18	358	155	—		102	115	39	50	352	117	97	127	228	52	111	78	34	21	8	1	15	3	—	—

* Average age of Adults only. † Including 10 Males and 1 Female of superior education.

[This and the two preceding Returns compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS.

DAILY Average Number of Persons maintained.—Decennial Return.

	1896.		1897.		1898.		1899.		1900.		1901.		1902.		1903.		1904.*		1905.*	
PAUPER ESTABLISHMENTS:—	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
New Town	328	188	312	186	290	180	242	164	219	153	208	140	185	127	223	135	214	127	206	118
Launceston	144	45	145	52	140	48	130	43	125	41	112	37	120	34	58	13	58	12	53	17
TOTAL PAUPER ESTABLISHMENTS	472	233	457	238	430	228	372	207	344	194	320	177	305	161	281	148	272	139	259	135
Training Schools	54	12	49	12	58	15	54	11	52	12	55	9	56	10	46	8	41	5	39	...
TOTAL	526	245	506	250	488	243	426	218	396	206	375	186	361	171	327	156	313	144	39	†

* At end of year 30th June, 1905. † Girls Training School closed.

CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

RETURN of the Receipts and Expenditure of the Charitable Establishments in the State of Tasmania for the year ended 30 *June*, 1905.

NAME OF ESTABLISHMENT.	Average No. of Inmates.	RECEIPTS.					EXPENDITURE.				
		From Government.		Private Contributions.	Other Sources, (including labour of Inmates.)	TOTAL.	Maintenance.	Building, &c., Repairs.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	Total Expenditure per head on Gross Expenditure.
		Colonial.	Imperial.								
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New Town Charitable Establishment, (Male and Female)	324	3796 10 9	...	...	295 6 0	4091 16 9	2696 15 6*	272 6 6†	1122 14 9§	4091 16 9	12 12 3
Invalid Depôt, Launceston, (Male and Female)	71	967 12 0	...	...	58 9 5	1026 5 1	768 7 8‡	2 8 6	255 5 3	1026 1 5	14 7 2
TOTAL	395	4764 2 9	...	...	353 15 5	5118 1 10	3465 3 2	274 15 0	1378 0 0	5117 18 2	12 19 1

* Salaries and Allowances, £834 15*s.* 8*d.* † Including Fuel and Light, and Farm Expenses. ‡ Salaries and Allowances, £297 7*s.* § Extraordinary expenditure, £189 18*s.* 8*d.*

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Superintendents of the respective Establishments.]

CHARITABLE ESTABLISHMENTS.

AVERAGE Cost of Inmates per Head per Annum.—Decennial Return.

Establishments.	1896. £ s. d.	1897. £ s. d.	1898. £ s. d.	1899. £ s. d.	1900. £ s. d.	1901. £ s. d.	1902. £ s. d.	1903. £ s. d.	1904. Half-year 30th June. £ s. d.	1905.* £ s. d.
New Town	10 12 1	10 16 4	11 19 6	11 0 9	11 18 4	12 19 3	13 7 6	13 9 8	6 11 9	12 12 3
Launceston	11 4 1	10 10 9	11 9 0	11 16 1	13 7 1	14 9 7	12 19 1	16 2 7	7 16 9	14 7 2

* 30th June, 1904, to 30th June, 1905.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from official records.]

CHARITABLE GRANTS DEPARTMENT.

RETURN showing the Expenditure of the Charitable Grants Department for the Year ending 30th June, 1905, and the Receipts for the same period.

Expenditure.	£	s.	d.
Salaries	638	6	8
Out-door Relief, Hobart and suburbs	443	6	5
Ditto, Launceston and suburbs	294	17	4
Ditto, medical attendance on Paupers in Country Districts, and temporary provision for Tramps	1914	1	1
Maintenance of Deaf, Dumb, and Blind	94	9	2
Maintenance of Persons in Country Hospitals	877	2	0
Maintenance of Destitute Persons not otherwise provided for	166	18	6
Examination of Insane	105	17	0
Transport and Funeral expenses	268	3	9
Stationery and Stores	3	4	8
Miscellaneous Expenses	17	11	2
Postage, Telephones, Telegrams	74	5	2
Printing	20	13	0
	£5008	15	11

Receipts.	£	s.	d.
Repayments on account of Out-door Relief	49	0	1
Repayments on account of Deaf, Dumb, and Blind, &c.	110	5	10
Repayments on account of Transport and Funeral expenses	20	5	4
Balance, being net cost to the State	4829	4	8
	£5008	15	11

DECENNIAL Return of Expenditure for Out-door Relief in Tasmania during the Years from 1896 to 1905 inclusive.

Year.	Expenditure.						Repayments to be deducted.			Total Expenditure.		
	Hobart and Suburbs.			Launceston Municipal and Police Districts.			Municipalities & Police Districts.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1896	740	0	0	†380	0	0	1862	7	11	22	16	4	*2959	11	7
1897	740	0	0	380	0	0	1898	6	2	32	0	8	*2986	5	6
1898	889	8	10	780	0	0	1942	15	4	23	6	10	*3612	3	4
1899	740	0	0	380	0	0	1954	11	5	29	19	4	*3044	12	1
1900	740	0	0	380	0	0	1920	6	8	80	1	8	*2960	5	0
1901	740	0	0	380	0	0	2008	12	0	14	10	10	*3114	1	2
1902	740	0	0	380	0	0	1912	0	5	37	1	10	*2994	18	7
1903	644	10	4	350	0	0	1924	6	2	51	11	3	*2867	5	3
1904 (½-year to 30/6/04)	230	4	8	172	10	11	942	9	11	13	15	9	*1359	1	3
1904–5	443	6	5	294	17	4	1914	1	1	49	0	1	*2603	4	9

* This amount includes expenditure for medical attendance on paupers in country districts and temporary provision for tramps, which in former years was included in a separate vote on the Estimates.

† Launceston and Suburbs.

RETURN showing the Expenditure of Out-door Relief, Medical Attendance on Paupers, and Temporary Provision for Tramps in the various Municipal and Police Districts during the Year ending 30th June, 1905, and the Expenditure per head of Population.

Districts.	Municipal or Police.	Estimated Population.	Expenditure during Year.	Expenditure per Head of Population.
			£ s. d.	s. d.
Brighton	M	1920	55 1 1	0 6·88
Bothwell	M	1231	14 19 9	0 2·92
Campbell Town	M	1757	131 1 9	1 5·91
Clarence	M	1694	22 2 9	0 3·13
Deloraine	M	5821	132 11 5	0 5·46
Devon East	P	14,844	280 14 3	0 4·54
Devon West	P	7062	157 17 1	0 5·36
Emu Bay	P	8426	70 2 2	0 1·99
Evandale	M	2150	57 16 2	0 6·45
Fingal	M	4351	91 0 10	0 5·02
Franklin	P	7373	67 13 9	0 2·20
Glamorgan	M	893	34 5 10	0 9·21
George Town	P	5185	47 0 7	0 2·17
Glenorchy	M	2477	5 4 4	0 0·50
Green Ponds	M	1213	15 7 6	0 3·04
Hamilton	M	2419	26 15 3	0 2·65
Kingborough	P	2968	10 8 11	0 0·84
Longford	M	4505	162 9 2	0 8·65
Macquarie	P	17,846	32 19 1	0 0·44
New Norfolk	M	5046	167 9 2	0 7·96
Oatlands	M	3583	41 17 10	0 2·80
Portland	P	1825	12 0 0	0 1·57
Ross	M	718	10 10 0	0 3·51
Richmond	M	2216	51 2 8	0 5·53
Ringarooma	P	5922	5 7 11	0 0·22
Spring Bay	M	699	16 16 0	0 5·76
Sorell	M	2153	37 2 6	0 4·08
Westbury	M	5000	156 3 6	0 7·49
Total	...	121,297	1914 1 1	0 3·78
Municipal Districts	...	49,846	1229 17 4	0 5·92
Police Districts	...	71,451	684 3 9	0 2·29

F. R. SEAGER,
Administrator Charitable Grants.

BOARDING-OUT SYSTEM.

RETURN showing the Number of Children provided for under the Boarding-out System during the Ten Years ending 30th June, 1905, the Total Expenditure, and the Cost per Head per annum.

Year.	Number of Children.			Expenditure.	Cost per Head.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
				£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1895	67	30	97	1193 4 3	12 6 0¼
1896	68	40	108	1449 13 2	13 8 5½
1897	76	51	127	1660 16 5	13 1 6½
1898	97	74	171	1932 11 8	11 6 0
1899	100	88	188	2092 15 7	11 2 8
1900	114	106	220	2192 0 5	9 19 3
1901	120	101	221	2205 15 2	9 19 7
1902	124	94	218	2086 3 1	9 11 5
1903	90	85	175	1808 6 9	10 6 8
1904-5	81	71	152	1608 6 5	10 11 7

F. R. SEAGER,
Secretary, Department for Neglected Children.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

RETURN showing the Number of Persons relieved by the Benevolent Societies at Hobart and Launceston, during the Year 1905.

LOCALITY.	NUMBER OF PERSONS WHO RECEIVED RELIEF.											
	Permanent.						*Occasional.*					
	Adults.			Children.			Adults.			Children.		
	Male.	Female.	TOTAL.	Male.	Female.	TOTAL.	Male.	Female.	TOTAL.	Male.	Female.	TOTAL.
Hobart Benevolent Society.	—	—	—	—	—	—	301	352	653	408	419	827
Launceston Benevolent Society*	20	85	105	32	43	75	107	810	917	54	109	163
TOTALS	20	85	105	32	43	75	408	1162	1570	462	528	990

* Remaining at the end of the year.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Secretaries of the respective Societies.]

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.

RETURN showing the Receipts and Expenditure of the Benevolent Societies, Hobart and Launceston, during the Year 1905.

PARTICULARS.	BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES.	
	Hobart.	Launceston.
	Out-door Relief.	Out-door Relief.
DEBIT.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
To Balance from last year	63 5 11	212 8 1
Receipts during 1905 :—		
From Government	200 0 0	200 0 0
From private subscriptions and donations	303 16 0	501 6 3
From interest	303 5 5	94 5 6
From capital, &c.	2 17 6	500 0 0
From rent	105 19 10	...
Total Receipts during 1905	915 18 9	1295 11 9
Total Debit	979 4 8	1507 19 10
CREDIT.		
By Expenditure during 1905—Management, &c.	216 15 8	683 5 5
" " Relief	471 17 3	92 0 2
" " Invested	...	625 0 0
Balance	290 11 9	107 14 3
Total Credit	979 4 8	1507 19 10

*NOTE.—Relief, permanent—Launceston, Adults, 105; Children, 75. Relief, occasional—Hobart, 1480; Launceston, 1080.

STATEMENT of Assets.

How invested.	Hobart.	Launceston.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Treasury Bills	6900 0 0	...
Bank Deposits	1903 7 8	307 4 3
Building Society	750 0 0	525 0 0
Land and buildings	2420 16 8	...
Town Hall Debentures	300 0 0	...
Electric Light Bonds	...	1350 0 0
Balance	...	0 10 0
TOTAL	£12,274 4 4	£2182 14 3

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Secretaries of the Societies.]

POLICE PROVIDENT FUND.

RETURN showing the Number of Members, Receipts and Expenditure, and the way in which the Balances are expended.

1905.	Superannuation Branch.	Reward Branch.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Number of members retired and pensioned 16		
Number of members, 31st December, 1905 212		
RECEIPTS.		
Balance, 1st January, 1905	922 8 2	44 0 0
Contributions, current year	1141 11 9	419 19 3
Interest and other receipts	851 15 2	6 3 8
TOTAL	£2915 15 1	£470 2 11
EXPENDITURE.		
Retiring allowances	916 16 10	...
Invested, current year	1700 0 0	...
Rewards and Transfer to Superannuation Branch	...	426 2 11
Balance, 31st December, 1905	298 18 3	44 0 0
TOTAL	£2915 15 1	£470 2 11
DISPOSITION OF FUNDS.		
Current account	298 18 3	44 0 0
Local Inscribed Stock	15,330 5 9	206 0 0
Tasmanian Government Debentures	200 0 0	...
	£15,829 4 0	£250 0 0

FRED. J. PATERSON, *Secretary.*

POLICE PROVIDENT FUNDS.

COMPARATIVE RETURN showing the Number of Members, Receipts and Expenditure, and the way in which the Balances of the Provident Funds in connection with the Police Force of Tasmania are invested.

Year.	Number of Members retired and pensioned.	Number of Members at end of Year.	Receipts.				Expenditure.					How Funds are disposed of at end of each Year.				
												Banks.				
			Balance at beginning of Year.	Contributions current Year.	Interest & other Receipts, &c.	Total.	Retiring Allowances.	Invested current Year.	Rewards and Petty Expenses, &c.	Balance at end of Year.	Total.	Current Account.	Deposit.	Debentures.	Other Investments.	Total.
			£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1895	41	214	2076	761	2989	5826	1599	2116	508	1603	5826	1603	9375	8386	6262	25,626
1896	9	208	2603	825	2343	4771	873	2017	230	1651	4771	1651	8900	10,386	5747	26,084
1897	8	201	1651	947	1655	4253	1075	1733	291	1154	4253	1154	9900	10,386	6062	27,502
1898	57	215	1154	1522	10,253	12,929	1107	2997	6984	1841	12,929	1841	6400	7986	8289	24,516
1899	28	232	1135	1729	200	2064	270	1500	169	125	2064	125	7900	200	—	8235
1900	14	234	125	1854	1298	3277	552	1609	1112	4	3277	4	9510*	200	—	9714
1901	14	236	4	1759	913	2676	432	1526	507	211	2676	211	—	200	10,936†	11,347
1902	18	231	211	1742	934	2887	729	1000	506§	652	2887	652	—	200	11,936†	12,788
1903	20	222	652	1636	909	3197	1232	500	495	970	3197	971	—	200	12,436	13,607
1904	14	218	970	1554	1062	3586	823	1400	397	966	3586	966	—	200	13,837	14,903
1905	16	212	966	1561	858	3385	917	1700	426	343	3386	343	—	200	15,536	16,079

* Bank and Inscribed Stock. †Local Inscribed Stock. § Transferred to Superannuation Branch, £459.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

AGES, Conjugal and Financial Condition of Members for Year 1905.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	No. of Members financial and unfinancial.	AGES.													Registered Wives.	ANALYSIS.		
		Under 20.	20–25.	25–30.	30–35.	35–40.	40–45.	45–50.	50–55.	55–60.	60–65.	65–70.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.		Financial.	Unfinancial	Honorary.
Independent Order of Odd Fellows (Manchester Unity.)																		
Hobart District—																		
Albemarle Lodge	184	9	11	23	20	35	42	25	10	5	2	..	2	..	136	182	2	..
Rose of Tasmania Lodge	256	4	16	25	41	30	43	41	29	12	7	5	3	..	149	256	..	..
Tasmania's Hope Lodge	333	18	41	36	28	49	49	55	27	12	9	5	4	..	220	330	3	..
Fingal Lodge	90	6	18	12	14	10	14	7	3	2	1	1	2	..	47	89	1	..
Mathinna	107	5	25	25	22	14	13	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	60	107	..	4
Buckingham District—																		
Southern Star Lodge	533	11	91	77	65	61	53	51	48	27	25	14	10	..	384	482	51	2
Franklin Lodge	103	2	25	23	19	11	5	3	3	5	4	..	3	..	29	99	4	..
Raglan Lodge	378	19	51	40	66	48	63	52	14	7	7	7	4	..	249	340	38	..
Pride of Devonshire Lodge	77	..	3	7	6	8	12	20	11	5	3	2	..	..	68	73	4	..
Prince Alfred Lodge	163	8	35	34	19	18	20	5	9	9	3	3	..	..	103	155	8	2
Bellerive Lodge	17	..	..	3	2	4	2	1	1	2	2	..	..	..	13	14	3	..
Derwent Lodge	42	1	6	8	7	7	4	7	1	1	..	..	..	..	18	41	1	4
Dulverton	59	11	8	10	11	13	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	54	5	2
Cornwall District—																		
Cornwall Lodge	595	18	100	92	75	64	81	54	34	31	23	10	13	..	380	582	13	2
Pride of the West Lodge, Deloraine	208	2	16	34	24	33	31	22	15	6	14	4	7	..	137	208	..	7
Clarendon Lodge	193	4	20	35	24	24	30	29	11	9	4	1	2	..	125	193	..	..
Rose of Latrobe Lodge	218	17	48	33	31	34	32	13	3	5	2	..	..	..	146	217	1	3
Don Lodge	69	4	12	8	8	3	8	8	8	5	5	..	..	..	37	69	..	..
Westbury Lodge	99	5	9	9	26	20	10	6	4	7	2	1	..	..	67	99	..	..
Beaconsfield Lodge	180	21	30	36	30	25	14	12	5	6	..	1	..	..	95	171	9	1
Midland Star Lodge	89	6	10	14	17	11	17	10	1	3	..	..	..	..	56	89	..	..
Bischoff Lodge	178	7	24	26	22	25	33	16	7	2	..	..	..	16	104	177	1	..
Mersey Lodge	95	10	16	18	18	13	8	2	3	6	..	1	..	..	47	85	10	4
Wellington Lodge	169	14	36	28	32	24	16	11	6	1	1	..	..	..	77	157	12	..
Rose of Sheffield Lodge	76	1	19	18	16	17	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37	76	..	2
Scottsdale Lodge	113	13	25	24	21	16	8	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	54	111	2	..
St. Mary's Lodge	19	..	..	2	..	4	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	16	3	..
Star of the Sea Lodge	141	9	28	28	24	28	13	6	2	..	..	..	..	3	71	138	3	2
Lakin Lodge, Gormanston	55	9	3	18	12	5	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	20	39	16	..
Silver Star Lodge	164	13	33	35	21	32	25	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	81	158	6	..
Macquarie Lodge	56	10	6	10	9	17	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	55	1	1
Pride of Lefroy Lodge	‡	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maids of Cornwall	132	24	72	21	9	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	112	20	6
Do Deloraine	13	4	3	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..
Do Mersey	33	9	20	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	27	6	6
Hamilton (Williamsford)	62	2	21	17	14	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	36	26	..
Derby Lodge	81	8	15	22	21	9	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	81	..	..
Victoria Lodge	213	33	82	64	21	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	130	198	15	2
King Edward, Penguin†	142†	..	5	20	14	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	32	10	..

Independent Order of Odd Fellows.																		
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—																		
Cornwall Lodge, No. 1	23	9	26	25	27	39	37	27	20	7	9	4	4	..	133	196	38	..
Forth Lodge	92	1	13	13	15	18	9	5	1	7	5	3	2	..	58	76	16	3
Waratah Lodge	104		30	23	13	3	10	8	2	5	1	..	..	..	52	67	37	10
Table Cape Lodge	181	2	18	36	43	38	20	10	4	4	2	..	..	4	130	148	33	19
Leven Lodge	31	2	3	2	3	1	3	4	6	5	2	..	..	..	18	29	2	1
Wellington Lodge	163	5	15	19	22	39	21	17	10	8	4	..	..	3	111	151	12	3
Zeehan Lodge	155	8	34	35	36	28	11	3	..	..	..	..		..	87	132	23	..
Queenstown	204	10	36	48	61	36	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	88	184	20	5
Loyal Jubilee	230	14	32	60	43	41	33	5	2	..	..	..	..	.	16	203	27	..
Loyal Derwent Star, No.17†	124†	7	30	23	23	21	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	78	105	19	9
Loyal Dundas	41	..	10	7	5	12	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	27	34	7	..
Federal	55	5	19	16	5	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	52	3	7
Gormanston	113	14	26	33	22	14	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	87	26	4
Centenary, Longley	27	1	8	5	4	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	2	2
Independent Order of Rechabites (Salford Unity.)																		
Southern Cross District—																		
Victoria Tent	202	10	24	28	28	27	28	18	13	9	6	6	5	..	68	202	..	..
United Brothers' Tent	113	1	13	16	10	12	20	19	6	5	6	3	2	..	62	113	..	..
Heart and Hand Tent	50	4	8	6	6	6	10	5	3	1	..	1	..	..	1	50	..	..
Guiding StarTent	79	6	9	7	7	6	10	7	8	8	..	2	2	7	..	79	..	..
Star of Hope Tent	81	8	7	10	18	10	14	4	7	3	..	..	..	..	5	79	2	8
Pride of Zeehan	28	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	..	..
New Town Hope Tent	33	1	6	5	4	4	5	4	..	2	..	2	..	..	6	33	.	..
Hope of Rechab	67	67	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	67	..	..
Baden-Powell	22	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	..	..
Hope of Zeehan	37	7	7	6	4	6	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	37	..	8
Hope of Oatlands	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	..
Tasmania District—																		
Star of Tasmania Tent	69	2	9	6	7	7	16	9	4	5	..	2	2	..	47	66	3	..
Olive Branch Tent	226	5	39	25	25	38	22	24	29	6	4	..	9	..	128	226	..	3
Future Help Tent	15	1	2	1	..	4	2	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	15	..	..
Fidelity Tent	7	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	5	7	..	..
Longford Star Tent	96	2	6	31	20	30	..	4	..	..	..	2	1	..	54	96	..	..
Star of the West Tent	95	5	14	10	9	19	16	11	5	4	1	1	..	..	28	95	..	..
Perseverance Tent	85	6	10	12	13	11	14	6	3	5	4	..	1	..	39	81	4	1
Star of the Forth Tent	117	20	21	14	23	10	8	7	7	2	2	..	2	1	33	117	..	1
Juvenile Tent, Launceston	12	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	..
Friendship Tent	97	7	33	23	15	16	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	97	..	..
Star of Peace Tent, Emu Bay	31	8	2	6	5	1	4	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	29	2	..
Dawn of Hope Tent	26	3	6	3	2	1	2	4	1	2	1	..	..	1	10	16	10	1
Jubilee Tent	25	..	9	1	5	1	5	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	17	22	3	..
Diamond Tent	25	..	..	5	3	2	5	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	13	25	..	..
Star of Ulverstone	81	11	29	18	9	4	3	4	2	..	1	..	..	..	26	74	7	..
Star of Devonport	45	4	10	6	6	7	6	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	23	43	2	4
Rising Star, Westbury	26	1	3	2	8	2	2	1	.	2	2	3	..	..	14	26	..	..
Excelsior	60	6	11	20	10	4	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	56	4	..
Gladstone, Mathinna	12	1	2	4	2	3	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	10	2	..
Federal Star	14	5	2	4	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	14	..	1
Ancient Order of Foresters.																		
Tasmania District—																		
Sherwood Court	929	182	252	187	98	89	24	25	15	14	13	8	3	19	535	887	42	1
Pride of Tasmania Court	304	25	55	56	46	42	22	20	14	13	6	2	3	..	189	283	21	..
Robin Hood Court	174	5	21	33	27	33	14	11	14	5	4	7	..	..	114	163	11	1

AGES, Conjugal and Financial Condition of Members for Year 1905—continued.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	No. of Members financial and unfinancial.	AGES.													Registered Wives.	ANALYSIS.		
		Under 20	20–25.	25–30.	30–35.	35–40.	40–45.	45–50.	50–55.	55–60.	60–65.	65–70.	70 and upwards.	Unspecified.		Financial.	Unfinancial	Honorary.
Ancient Order of Foresters—continued.																		
Epping Court	244	34	37	47	48	41	33	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	107	225	19	1
Kermandie Court	81	7	16	15	7	10	10	6	9	..	1	..	..	..	47	76	5	1
United Brothers (Loyal)	58	..	4	4	6	10	4	4	7	6	3	3	7	..	..	58	..	.
Florence Nightingale	152	39	40	37	25	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	138	14	3
Myrtle	80	5	10	23	27	12	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	57	76	4	.
Pride of the West, Queenstown	111	18	25	22	18	19	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	99	12	..
Laurel, Gormanston	56	3	12	15	11	12	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	41	15	..
United Ancient Order of Druids.																		
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—																		
Heart of Oak Lodge	399	56	83	34	35	56	43	34	19	20	5	5	..	9	280	390	9	41
Oak Branch Lodge	262	7	50	34	48	49	36	14	17	4	3	..	..	..	263	255	7	24
Mistletoe Lodge	145	17	40	21	23	20	15	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	55	128	17	1
Strahan Lodge	109	11	20	27	22	19	14	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	101	8	10
Tamar Lodge	197	19	34	44	45	32	15	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	116	179	18	10
Mathinna†	83	8	14	23	23	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	70	13	15
Acorn, Beaconsfield	207	12	56	55	39	29	15	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	99	190	17	4
Fern Bower Lodge	285	17	49	68	54	49	32	9	7	..	..	..	..	..	151	270	15	25
Tamar Maidens	61	20	28	6	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	44	17	2
Oak of Zeehan	149	10	32	31	34	14	17	9	2	..	..	..	..	..	10	149	..	..
Pride of Queenstown	153	12	40	54	19	23	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60	137	16	..
Ringarooma	41	5	7	10	9	6	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	41	..	..
Ophir Lodge, Devonport	61	4	10	13	21	9	4	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	48	13	11
Ulverstone	48	3	10	7	8	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	15	42	6	..
Penguin	38	1	12	9	7	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	28	10	4
Huonville	136	32	44	31	16	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	53	130	6	5
Duke of York, Sheffield	82	3	25	24	16	9	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	73	9	5
Commonwealth, Burnie	60	8	10	18	21	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	58	2	7
Stonehenge, Lottah	55	5	14	18	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	46	9	1
Ruby, Derby	70	5	22	22	11	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	55	15	2
Coronation Lodge, Forth	18	2	2	2	4	2	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	15	3	2
Native Laurel, Stanley	27	2	..	21	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	24	3	3
Colonel Cameron, Morven	55	9	23	8	4	10	1	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	18	52	3	11
Linda, Linda Valley	50	3	6	13	14	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	33	17	4
Clyde, Hamilton	21	11	3	3	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	21	..	.
Ivy, Bradshaw's Creek	24	4	10	3	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	23	1	3
Bothwell	56	15	19	11	9	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	48	5	1
Tullah	24	5	8	6	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	..	..
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society.																		
Tasmania District—																		
Good Samaritan	182	..	23	42	29	21	16	16	18	17	..	..	..	..	115	159	23	4
Hope of Tasmania	126	7	23	20	16	22	21	8	4	4	..	..	..	1	61	117	9	7
New Town	53	2	3	5	7	9	6	6	3	8	2	2	..	..	29	49	4	..
Star of Tasmania	113	2	8	13	16	10	20	21	15	1	7	..	..	..	87	111	2	..
Derwent Valley	21	..	1	1	5	5	5	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	6	16	5	..
Royal Standard	98	37	9	10	14	7	9	2	6	..	4	.	..	..	25	95	3	..
Mersey	124	5	17	18	25	29	19	6	2	3	..	..	..	..	29	106	18	4
North Progressive	44	6	4	6	9	7	2	5	3	2	..	..	..	..	17	43	1	.

H.A.C.B. Society.																		
Hibernian Australian Catholic Benefit Society, St. Joseph's Branch	134	12	21	16	24	20	14	9	7	1	2	..	..	8	93	118	16	21
Ditto, Launceston, St. Patrick's Branch	115	2	6	12	17	19	29	13	2	4	6	3	2	..	62	106	9	7
Ditto, Zeehan	51	5	10	5	9	14	6	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	33	18	4
Ditto, St. Itas, Launceston	33	2	11	8	5	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	16	7
Ditto, Gormanston	30	3	3	11	7	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	28	2	..
Ditto, Hobart	56	5	11	3	9	14	8	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	5*	26	30	..
Ditto, St. Joseph's, Lyell	56	2	7	6	17	12	8	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	25	42	14	4
Various Societies.																		
St. John's Friendly Society, Hobart	167	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	167	..	167	..	..
ditto, Launceston	243	..	..	11	21	25	28	16	18	18	28	31	26	21	..	243	..	..
Tasmanian Government Railways Provident Society	235	1	1	40	54	51	36	22	7	7	2	..	14	..	..	235	..	..
Launceston Fire Brigade Benefit Society	35	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	..	33	2	..
Golden Gate Benefit Society	40	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	..	40	..	..
Southern Accident Society	71	..	..	8	8	9	20	12	5	2	..	..	7	..	..	71	..	..
Portland Accident Society	145	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	145	..	145	..	..
Australian Natives' District.																		
Australian Natives' Association, Hobart	185	39	81	39	21	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	72	158	27	41
Ditto, Launceston	57	6	13	16	6	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	52	5	28
Ditto, Zeehan	55	5	14	19	11	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	47	8	13
Ditto, Queenstown	92	18	25	25	15	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	47	45	12
Ditto, Burnie	26	3	6	8	3	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	26	..	..
Ditto, Lyell†	17	1	6	5	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	14	3	6
Irish National Foresters.																		
St. Patrick's, Hobart	‡	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pat. Sarsfield, Gormanston	52	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	52	..	52	..	..
TOTAL	17,635	1473	3011	2951	2544	2282	1670	1015	601	388	251	145	142	562	7952	15,812	1223	494

* Husbands. † Figures for previous year inserted owing to failure of Society to furnish returns in time. ‡ Returns not supplied, though repeatedly applied for.

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NAME OF SOCIETY.	MEMBERS ADMITTED.			DEPARTURES.				REGISTERED WIVES.	NO. ON ROLL.		SICK EXPERIENCE.					
	TOTAL.	By Initiation.	By Clearance.	TOTAL.	By Arrears, &c.	By Clearance.	By Death.		At beginning of Year.	At end of Year.	No. of Members.	No. of Weeks.				
												First 6 months.		Second 6 months.		Third 6 Months and after.	
												wks.	dys.	wks.	dys.	wks.	dys.
Independent Order of Odd Fellows (M.U.)																	
Hobart District—																	
Albemarle Lodge	20	20	..	4	3	1	..	136	168	184	35	174	4	..		156	0
Rose of Tasmania Lodge	14	14	..	19	13	..	6	149	261	256	75	229	3	98	0	240	3
Tasmania's Hope Lodge	19	19	..	11	10	..	1	220	325	333	55	218	3	121	3	178	0
Fingal Lodge	17	17	..	..	..	..	..	47	73	90	13	61	0	21	0	54	2
Mathinna	17	17	..	9	6	..	3	60	99	107	30	122	4	25	0	27	3
Buckingham District—																	
Southern Star Lodge	27	27	..	19	11	3	5	384	525	533	80	308	0	25	5	509	4
Raglan Lodge	19	19	..	10	9	..	1	249	369	378	86	280	2	18	4	..	
Franklin Lodge	11	11	..	8	6	1	1	29	100	103	16	60	1	..		52	0
Pride of Devonshire Lodge	1	1	..	2	..	..	2	68	78	77	20	152	2	32	2	58	0
Prince Alfred Lodge	31	31	..	9	7	..	2	103	141	163	23	96	1	5	1	91	0
Bellerive Lodge	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	13	18	17	1	..		12	0	..	
Dulverton Lodge	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	9	61	59	9	27	2	26	0	63	0
Derwent	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	18	43	42	9	48	3	4	0	..	
Cornwall District—																	
Cornwall Lodge	29	25	4	39	28	4	7	380	605	595	98	439	4	56	0	832	0
Pride of the West Lodge, Deloraine	8	8	..	7	6	..	1	137	207	208	46	142	0	41	0	156	0
Clarendon Lodge	5	5	..	4	3	..	1	125	192	193	39	135	5	3	0	200	3
Rose of Latrobe Lodge	10	8	2	3	3	..	..	146	211	218	46	154	1	28	2	43	0
Don Lodge	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	37	71	69	25	89	5	42	0	58	0
Westbury Lodge	8	8	..	..	..	..	..	67	91	99	18	119	0	37	0	..	
Beaconsfield Lodge	23	20	3	23	19	..	4	95	180	180	76	189	0	..		..	
Midland Star Lodge	6	5	1	4	4	..	..	56	87	89	14	26	3	36	0	..	
Bischoff Lodge	17	17	..	6	3	2	1	104	167	178	34	147	1	..		..	
Mersey Lodge	17	16	1	12	8	4	..	47	90	95	19	90	1	..		..	
Wellington Lodge	52	52	..	23	23	..	..	77	140	169	19	79	2	..		..	
Rose of Sheffield Lodge	4	4	..	13	11	1	1	37	85	76	9	40	4	..		..	
Scottsdale Lodge	5	5	..	10	8	..	2	54	118	113	21	95	2	18	0	..	
St. Mary's Lodge	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	17	21	19	1	2	0	..		..	
Star of the Sea Lodge	20	20	..	9	9	..	..	71	130	141	25	83	3	17	0	..	
Lakin Lodge	9	9	..	25	22	2	1	20	71	55	9	53	2	..		..	
Silver Star Lodge	13	12	1	10	9	1	..	81	161	164	25	81	0	10	0	..	
Macquarie Lodge	18	17	1	8	8	..	..	35	46	56	6	17	3	..		..	
Pride of Lefroy Lodge	‡	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..		..	
Maids of Cornwall	13	12	1	1	..	1	..	..	120	132	14	68	2	13	0	41	5
ditto Mersey	10	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	33	3	10	5	..		..	
ditto Deloraine	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	13	..	..		..		..	
King Edward, Penguin†	13	13	..	19	19	..	..	13	48	42	12	56	1	12	0	..	
Derby	8	8	..	7	6	..	1	24	80	81	6	29	0	..		..	
Victoria Lodge	26	18	8	38	34	3	1	130	225	213	37	170	3	0	3	16	5
Hamilton (Williamsford)	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	19	59	62	3	4	1	..		..	
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.																	
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—																	
Cornwall Lodge, No. 1	42	40	2	8	4	3	1	133	200	234	31	183	1	13	5	52	0
Forth Lodge	3	3	..	5	5	..	..	58	94	92	14	73	2	..		..	

Waratah Lodge	20	20	..	8	6	2	..	52	92	104	24	104	5	2	2	52	0
Table Cape Lodge	14	13	1	13	13	..	..	130	182	183	27	82	4	..		..	
Leven Lodge	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	18	22	31	4	11	3	..		..	
Wellington Lodge	10	10	..	21	16	5	..	111	174	163	30	93	2	..		..	
Zeehan Lodge	32	30	2	10	6	3	1	87	133	155	34	133	1	..		52	0
Queenstown	67	67	..	19	15	4	..	88	156	204	31	71	3	..		45	0
Loyal Jubilee	36	35	1	23	22	1	..	16	217	230	36	176	4	..		52	0
Loyal Derwent Star, No. 17	28	26	2	26	26	..	..	78	122	124	18	55	5	..		..	
Loyal Dundas	6	6	..	6	5	1	..	27	41	41	10	45	1	2	2	..	
Gormanston	12	12	..	22	21	..	1	30	123	113	23	86	2	..		..	
Federal	9	9	..	9	9	..	..	30	55	55	9	26	4	..		..	
Centenary	29	28	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	27	3	6	3	..		..	
Independent Order of Rechabites. (S.U.)																	
Southern Cross District—																	
Victoria Tent	9	..	9	..	..	..	..	68	193	202	31	235	2	9	0	208	0
United Brothers' Tent	5	4	1	11	11	..	..	62	119	113	19	53	5	8	2	..	
Heart and Hand Tent	2	2	..	3	3	..	..	1	51	50	11	28	1	23	1	61	4
Guiding Star Tent	4	4	..	5	4	..	1	..	80	79	12	47	2	90	0	..	
Pride of Zeehan	8	8	..	12	10	2	..	..	32	28	..	..		..		..	
Star of Hope Tent	7	7	..	6	3	1	2	5	80	81	42	134	2	..		24	0
New Town Hope Tent	2	1	1	2	2	..	..	6	33	33	8	8	0	42	0	127	0
Hope of Rechab Lodge	24	24	..	29	23	6	..	..	72	67	..	..		..		..	
Baden-Powell Lodge	16	16	..	15	15	..	..	..	21	22	..	..		..		..	
Hope of Zeehan	5	3	2	2	2	..	..	..	34	37	9	33	0	..		..	
Hope of Oatlands	..	..	..	7	7	..	..	..	16	9	..	..		..		..	
Tasmania District—																	
Star of Tasmania Tent	3	2	1	4	3	..	1	47	70	69	9	68	5	2	0	26	0
Olive Branch Tent	10	9	1	8	7	..	1	128	224	226	34	186	3	28	5	68	3
Future Help Tent	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	14	15	1	7	3	..		..	
Fidelity Tent	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	5	8	7	1	5	5	..		..	
Longford Star Tent	1	1	..	6	3	3	..	54	101	96	17	53	3	..		104	0
Star of the West Tent	8	7	1	9	8	..	1	28	96	95	23	92	3	..		101	0
Perseverance Tent	5	5	..	8	6	1	1	39	88	85	24	123	5	24	4	..	
Star of the Forth Tent	10	10	..	6	6	..	..	33	113	117	21	59	5	5	0	99	0
Juvenile Tent, Launceston	4	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	8	12	..	..		..		..	
Friendship Tent	4	4	..	4	4	..	..	..	97	97	22	107	0	32	2	58	1
Star of Peace Tent	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	6	31	31	6	8	0	..		52	0
Dawn of Hope Tent	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	10	23	26	2	16	3	..		..	
Jubilee Tent	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	25	25	2	2	0	..		..	
Diamond Tent	..	..	..	8	8	..	..	13	33	25	6	27	3	..		..	
Star of Ulverstone	9	9	..	8	7	..	1	26	80	81	16	76	4	40	3	12	0
Star of Devonport	4	4	..	4	2	2	..	23	45	45	11	45	3	..		47	0
Rising Star, Westbury	1	1	..	4	4	..	..	14	29	26	7	39	0	2	0	52	0
Excelsior	7	7	..	1	1	..	..	18	54	60	13	81	0	..		..	
Gladstone	..	..	..	5	5	..	..	..	17	12	3	8	1	..		..	
Federal Star	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	11	14	..	..		..		..	
Ancient Order of Foresters.																	
Tasmania District—																	
Sherwood Court	63	61	2	24	22	..	2	535	890	929	263	809	2	168	0	520	0
Pride of Tasmania Court	35	35	..	12	10	..	2	189	281	304	62	294	3	114	4	141	0
Robin Hood Court	13	13	..	4	3	..	1	114	165	174	24	111	5	40	3	70	1
Epping Court	20	20	..	10	9	..	1	107	234	244	60	299	4	2	5	44	0
Kermandie Court	13	13	..	3	3	..	..	47	71	81	19	33	2	..		..	
United Brothers (Loyal)	2	2	..	2	..	..	2	..	58	58	9	20	1	..		28	3
Florence Nightingale Court	14	14	..	24	24	..	..	..	162	152	14	69	3	..		..	

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												No. of Weeks.		
	TOTAL.	By Initiation.	By Clearance.	TOTAL.	By Arrears, &c.	By Clearance.	By Death.		At beginning of Year.	At end of Year.	No. of Members.	First 6 months.	Second 6 months.	Third 6 Months and after.
Ancient Order of Foresters—continued.														
Myrtle	20	20	..	1	..	..	..	57	61	80	10	57 0	14 0	..
Pride of the West, Queenstown	26	26	..	22	20	2	..	43	107	111	22	54 4	4 4	..
Laurel, Gormanston	7	6	1	16	13	3	..	..	65	56	13	28 2	37 3	18 0
United Ancient Order of Druids.														
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—														
Heart of Oak Lodge	56	48	8	14	11	2	1	280	357	399	79	394 3	82 0	54 0
Oak Branch Lodge	40	37	3	6	2	2	2	263	228	262	41	212 3	36 0	2 4
Mistletoe Lodge	28	12	16	17	16	1	..	55	156	167	36	115 2	15 0	50 0
Fern Bower Lodge	51	47	4	14	11	2	1	151	248	285	37	141 4	45 1	33 0
Tamar Lodge	35	32	3	26	19	6	1	116	188	197	32	125 1	..	..
Oak of Zeehan	22	22	..	38	35	3	..	10	165	149	40	109 4	30 0	..
Pride of Queenstown	45	45	..	..	..	..	..	60	108	153	71	..	1 4	69 0
Strahan Lodge	29	26	3	10	8	2	..	51	90	109	13	34 4	..	..
Tamar Maidens	32	32	..	3	3	..	..	..	32	61	6	4 0	28 3	..
Mathinna	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Acorn, Beaconsfield	76	74	2	15	13	2	..	99	146	207	72	122 1	..	..
Ringarooma	14	14	..	4	4	..	..	11	31	41	3	11 4	..	..
Devonport, Ophir	21	21	..	13	13	..	..	34	53	61	10	36 1	..	..
Ulverstone	25	25	..	2	1	..	1	15	25	48	4	12 1	..	..
Penguin	5	5	..	10	9	1	..	18	43	38	7	11 0	..	..
Huonville	74	71	3	2	2	..	..	53	64	136	23	54 5	4 4	..
Duke of York, Sheffield	11	9	2	2	2	..	..	33	73	82	12	37 6	..	..
Commonwealth, Burnie	30	29	1	12	11	1	..	28	42	60	2	4 3	..	..
Stonehenge, Lottah	11	11	..	10	9	1	..	17	54	55	18	44 4	31 2	19 0
Ruby, Derby	22	22	..	4	4	..	..	18	52	70	8	15 5	28 0	..
Coronation Lodge, Forth	2	2	..	9	9	..	..	8	25	18	1	21 2	..	..
Native Laurel, Stanley	..	..	..	8	8	..	..	11	35	27	1	0 4	..	..
Colonel Cameron	8	8	..	4	4	..	..	18	51	55	9	27 1	..	..
Linda, Linda Valley	50	50	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	50	6	..	4 2	2 0
Clyde, Hamilton	12	12	..	7	7	..	..	5	16	21	..	..	..	..
Ivy, Bradshaw's Creek	12	12	..	1	1	..	..	3	13	24	2	2 0	..	..
Bothwell	56	56	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	56	..	..	..	..
Tullah	40	40	..	16	15	1	..	..	..	24	3	..	2 3	..
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society.														
Tasmania District—														
Good Samaritan Lodge	8	8	..	12	9	..	3	115	186	182	32	121 0	48 0	83 0
Hope of Tasmania Lodge	18	17	1	10	9	..	1	61	118	126	23	64 4	..	..
New Town Lodge	4	4	..	3	2	..	1	29	52	53	5	13 4	..	52 0
Star of Tasmania Lodge	4	4	..	5	3	2	..	87	114	113	18	91 5	..	..
Derwent Valley Lodge	..	..	..	6	6	..	..	6	27	21	..	..	..	..
Royal Standard Lodge	29	28	1	8	7	..	1	25	77	98	18	79 1	17 0	..
Mersey Lodge	12	12	..	8	7	..	1	29	120	124	17	80 5	5 0	..
North Progressive	1	1	..	4	3	..	1	17	47	44	8	25 5	..	..
H.A.C.B. Society.														
Hibernian Aust'n. Cath. Ben. Soc., St. Joseph's B'ch.	14	11	3	16	11	3	2	93	136	134	17	59 0	..	53 0
Ditto, Launceston, St. Patrick's Branch	8	4	4	9	6	1	2	62	116	115	22	65 0	2 0	257 3
Ditto, Zeehan	14	12	2	4	3	1	..	21	41	51	8	13 3	..	..
Ditto, St. Itas, Launceston	4	4	..	7	6	..	1	..	36	33	1	5 4	..	..

H.A.C.B. Society—continued.															
Hibernian Au-t'n. Cath. Ben Society	4	4	..	6	5	1	..	6	32	30	8	9	0	..	..
Gormanston	..	..	..	12	..	12	..	..	12	..	..	..		..	..
Ditto, St. Mary's, Zeehan	15	15	..	8	8	..	..	5*	49	56	4	4	3	..	..
Ditto, ditto, Hobart	7	7	..	11	10	1	..	25	60	56	10	..		..	37	2
Ditto, St. Joseph's, Lyell															
Various Societies.															
St. John's Friendly Society, Hobart	13	13	..	74	58	..	16	..	228	167	..	..		..	..
St. John's Friendly Society, Launceston	9	9	..	39	24	..	15	..	273	243	..	..		..	..
Tasmanian Government Railways Provident Society	8	8	..	17	14	..	3	..	244	235	68	182	0	..	..
Launceston Fire Brigade Benefit Society	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	31	33	35	4	6	2	..	..
Golden Gate Benefit Society	16	16	..	80	80	..	..	..	104	40	27	62	2	..	..
Southern Accident Society	..	..	..	5	5	..	..	..	76	71	3	28	1	1	4	..
Portland Accident Society	73	73	..	39	39	..	..	..	111	145	53	85	3	40	0	..
Australian Natives' District.															
Australian Natives Association, Hobart	40	38	2	31	27	2	2	72	176	185	48	47	2	..	52	0
Ditto, Launceston	11	8	3	13	11	2	..	32	59	57	13	48	5	..	..	
Ditto, Zeehan	21	20	1	4	2	2	..	17	38	55	5	8	2	..	..	
Ditto, Queenstown	47	46	1	25	20	3	2	28	70	92	14	76	4	13	0	..
Ditto, Burnie	6	6	..	7	6	1	..	3	27	26	2	2	5	..	..	
Ditto, Lyell†	7	7	..	22	22	..	..	3	32	17	3	6	0	..	..	
Irish National Foresters.															
St. Patrick's, Hobart	‡	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	
Pat. Sarsfield, Gormanston	4	4	..	22	21	..	1	..	70	52	12	62	1	..	..	
TOTAL	2385	2269	116	1573	1334	119	120	7969	15,164	15,976	3176	10,088	5	1845	4	5656	4

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SICK and Funeral Funds.—Receipts and Expenditure for the Year 1905.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	RECEIPTS.					EXPENDITURE.							TOTAL RECEIPTS.	TOTAL EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR.	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR.
	Contributions & Levies.	Initiation and Clearance Fees.	Interest.	Funeral Donations.	Other Receipts.	Sick Pay.		Levies to District.	Funeral Donations.	Other Expenditure.	Management.					
											Medical Attendance and Medicines.	Other Expenditure under this head.				
Independent Order Odd Fellows, M.U.																
Hobart District—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Rose of Tasmania Lodge	435	3	7	240	36	363	..	134	270	20	..	..	721	767	1378	1332
Albemarle Lodge	293	..	9	20	..	214	..	88	20	..	..	..	322	322	511	511
Tasmania's Hope Lodge	504	..	29	40	6	354	..	166	40	..	..	..	579	560	1431	1450
Fingal Lodge	143	..	6	..	..	90	..	36	..	..	..	..	149	126	253	276
Mathinna	136	..	..	75	..	148	..	49	75	..	..	..	211	272	115	54
Buckingham District—																
Southern Star Lodge	735	15	57	..	592	455	45	230	..	..	..	..	1399	730	3478	4147
Franklin Lodge	143	8	9	..	..	58	..	42	..	..	..	..	160	100	470	530
Raglan Lodge	536	14	43	..	2	294	..	163	..	..	..	..	595	457	2037	2175
Pride of Devonshire Lodge	130	..	6	..	1	87	..	34	..	..	..	..	137	121	311	327
Prince Alfred Lodge	212	15	2	..	..	121	..	65	..	..	..	..	229	186	635	678
Bellerive Lodge	24	..	5	..	..	9	..	8	..	..	..	..	29	17	258	270
Dulverton Lodge	74	..	1	..	..	64	..	29	..	..	..	..	75	93	286	268
Derwent Lodge	62	..	9	..	..	52	..	18	..	..	..	..	71	70	486	487
Cornwall District—																
Cornwall Lodge	1068	14	50	..	66	973	80	179	..	..	..	..	1198	1232	2417	2383
Pride of the West Lodge	346	..	35	60	4	211	4	124	60	..	..	..	445	399	1030	1076
Clarendon Lodge	323	3	30	..	1	238	..	95	..	..	..	..	357	333	817	841
Rose of Latrobe Lodge	318	8	12	..	20	187	20	111	..	..	..	..	358	318	910	950
Don Lodge	108	..	17	..	..	130	..	36	..	..	..	..	125	166	312	271
Westbury Lodge	155	2	43	10	..	141	..	52	..	..	..	..	210	193	954	971
Beaconsfield Lodge	276	7	18	140	..	189	..	135	80	..	..	..	441	404	183	220
Midland Star Lodge	129	1	37	..	..	48	..	41	..	..	..	..	167	89	1013	1091
Bischoff Lodge	260	8	32	..	1	147	..	84	..	..	..	..	301	231	1248	1318
Wellington Lodge	213	16	26	..	..	79	..	73	..	1	..	..	255	153	1085	1187
Mersey Lodge	129	10	22	..	40	90	31	49	..	..	..	..	201	170	503	534
Rose of Sheffield Lodge	115	1	10	..	..	40	..	40	..	..	..	..	126	80	318	364
Scottsdale Lodge	179	3	16	..	2	106	2	57	..	..	..	..	200	165	555	590
St. Mary's Lodge	19	..	..	..	..	1	..	23	..	..	..	..	19	24	134	129
Star of the Sea Lodge	206	10	..	..	24	93	..	66	..	..	..	..	240	159	636	717
Lakin Lodge	59	4	2	..	..	53	..	..	..	..	..	..	65	53	292	304
Silver Star Lodge	270	5	52	..	12	69	16	75	..	..	..	..	339	160	1124	1303
Macquarie Lodge	54	9	4	..	..	17	..	33	..	..	..	..	67	50	187	204
Pride of Lefroy Lodge	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maids of Cornwall	85	2	15	..	..	44	..	14	..	..	..	..	102	57	366	411
ditto Mersey	19	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	5	35	50
ditto Deloraine	12	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	64	78
King Edward, Penguin	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Derby	92	6	7	..	9	29	3	..	..	..	..	..	114	32	290	372
Victoria Lodge	327	9	18	..	9	177	11	20	..	..	..	..	363	208	632	787
Hamilton (Mt. Read)	32	..	..	..	22	4	..	..	..	21	..	..	54	25	114	144
Independent Order Odd Fellows.																
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—																
Cornwall Lodge, No. 1	560	12	5	..	394	205	..	111	..	17	186	76	971	595	190	566
Forth Lodge	216	3	8	..	..	78	..	14	..	5	84	25	227	206	217	238
Waratah Lodge	150	11	5	..	3	121	..	52	..	28	..	34	169	235	150	84
Table Cape Lodge	457	8	15	..	5	83	..	94	..	14	214	50	485	455	496	526
Leven Lodge	61	7	2	..	..	12	..	12	..	..	22	13	70	59	35	46

Wellington Lodge	419	10	26	..	55	93	..	25	..	37	205	57	510	417	792	885
Zeehan Lodge	363	18	..	..	22	146	..	74	..	2	112	45	403	379	75	99
Queenstown	341	44	7	15	1	83	..	90	15	53	14	52	408	307	347	448
Loyal Jubilee	546	15	5	..	54	190	..	114	15	23	192	54	620	588	391	423
Loyal Derwent Star, No. 17†	282	14	..	..	2	56	..	62	..	5	156	35	298	314	114	98
Loyal Dundas	103	4	..	..	..	47	..	19	..	3	37	11	107	117	88	78
Gormanston	176	8	..	..	4	86	..	59	..	9	5	36	188	195	239	232
Federal	133	4	..	..	1	27	..	30	..	..	68	11	138	136	31	33
Centenary	131	..	..	..	..	6	..	28	..	12	52	25	131	123	..	8
Independent Order of Rechabites, Salford Unity.																
Southern Cross District—																
Victoria Tent†	369	..	25	..	..	282	..	86	..	..	..	..	394	368	819	845
United Brothers Tent	190	2	..	..	..	58	..	45	..	..	..	..	192	103	1216	1305
Heart and Hand Tent	81	..	..	..	..	56	..	15	..	..	..	..	81	71	483	493
Guiding Star Tent	64	..	7	..	..	35	..	12	..	..	..	..	71	47	441	465
Star of Hope Tent	140	..	5	70	..	146	10	25	70	..	..	..	215	251	141	105
Hope of Zeehan	56	..	2	..	..	33	..	10	..	..	..	..	58	43	116	131
New Town Hope Tent	58	..	..	..	..	54	..	8	..	..	..	..	58	62	209	205
Hope of Rechab	11	1	..	..	3	..	..	2	..	5	..	..	15	7	92	100
Baden Powell	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	1	15	18
Pride of Zeehan	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	6	3	2	5
Hope of Oatlands	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	9	10
Tasmania District—																
Star of Tasmania Tent	102	..	61	..	..	76	..	29	..	..	..	..	163	105	1167	1225
Olive Branch Tent	227	..	198	..	..	218	..	..	..	..	..	..	425	218	2315	2522
Future Help Tent	25	..	3	..	..	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	28	16	98	110
Fidelity Tent	11	..	10	..	..	6	..	3	..	..	..	..	21	9	273	285
Longford Star Tent	72	..	35	..	..	79	..	..	..	..	..	..	107	79	1005	1033
Star of the West Tent	98	..	61	..	..	119	..	..	..	..	..	..	159	119	1252	1292
Perseverance Tent	129	..	6	..	..	136	..	35	..	..	..	..	135	171	163	127
Star of the Forth	164	..	25	..	..	87	..	43	..	..	..	..	189	130	641	700
Friendship Tent	74	..	22	..	..	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	96	69	455	482
Star of Peace Tent	22	..	..	..	..	21	..	2	..	..	..	..	22	23	3	2
Dawn of Hope Tent	35	..	1	..	..	16	..	12	..	..	..	..	36	28	53	61
Jubilee Tent	25	..	18	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	2	268	309
Diamond Tent	30	..	6	..	..	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	27	140	149
Star of Ulverstone	83	..	8	..	..	100	4	..	..	..	..	..	91	104	146	133
Star of Devonport	48	..	6	..	..	57	..	..	..	..	..	..	54	57	129	126
Rising Star	27	..	6	..	..	53	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	53	157	137
Excelsior	64	..	9	..	..	81	..	11	..	..	..	..	73	92	205	186
Gladstone	20	..	..	..	..	8	..	5	..	..	..	..	20	13	45	52
Federal Star	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	..	39	57
Ancient Order of Foresters																
Tasmania District—																
Sherwood Court	1199	24	374	..	2	1235	..	..	114	..	..	..	1599	1349	8227	8477
Pride of Tasmania Court	384	8	51	60	34	406	..	111	60	..	..	..	537	577	1105	1065
Robin Hood Court	193	6	57	53	..	164	..	..	29	1	..	..	309	194	2213	2328
Epping Court	263	9	17	..	11	314	..	..	30	..	..	..	300	344	461	417
Kermandie Court	58	2	..	30	..	34	..	37	30	..	..	..	90	101	17	6
United Brothers (Loyal)	97	1	13	..	..	30	..	31	..	..	..	..	111	61	357	407
Florence Nightingale Court	223	5	9	..	..	35	..	..	12	1	122	34	237	204	235	268
Myrtle	74	3	..	..	26	68	26	33	..	..	..	..	103	127	73	49
Pride of the West, Queenstown	153	6	2	12	..	60	..	36	12	..	..	..	173	108	220	285
Laurel, Gormanston	51	3	..	..	..	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	54	55	63	62

SICK and Funeral Funds.—Receipts and Expenditure for the Year 1905—continued.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	RECEIPTS.					EXPENDITURE.							TOTAL RECEIPTS.	TOTAL EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR.	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR.
	Contributions & Levies.	Initiation and Clearance Fees.	Interest.	Funeral Donations.	Other Receipts.	Sick Pay.		Levies to District.	Funeral Donations.	Other Expenditure.	Management.					
											Medical Attendance & Medicines.	Other Expenditure under this head.				
United Ancient Order of Druids.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—																
Heart of Oak Lodge	574	6	130	70	2	447	..	167	80	1	..	..	782	695	2970	3057
Oak Branch Lodge	349	5	48	150	1	231	..	95	150	17	..	..	553	493	1301	1361
Mistletoe Lodge	195	2	9	10	..	135	9	60	10	..	..	..	216	214	254	256
Fern Bower Lodge	370	6	22	70	..	173	..	117	70	12	..	..	468	372	705	801
Tamar Lodge	255	2	62	40	..	125	..	47	40	..	..	..	359	212	1193	1340
Oak of Zeehan	60	1	18	..	163	125	..	11	10	..	..	..	252	146	437	543
Pride of Queenstown	212	..	6	..	..	72	..	90	..	15	..	..	218	177	470	511
Strahan Lodge	117	3	4	10	3	36	3	49	10	..	..	..	137	98	164	203
Tamar Maidens	25	..	1	..	..	15	..	5	..	..	..	..	26	20	50	56
Mathinna	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Acorn, Beaconsfield	237	10	2	..	..	126	..	79	..	..	..	..	249	205	69	113
Ringarooma	32	..	..	..	..	11	..	6	..	..	..	..	32	17	82	97
Deloraine	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ophir, Devonport	62	2	..	10	..	36	..	23	10	1	..	..	74	70	33	37
Ulverstone	51	3	..	60	..	12	..	15	60	1	..	..	114	88	80	106
Penguin	58	..	1	..	..	11	..	10	..	..	..	..	59	21	111	149
Huonville	93	9	2	..	1	57	..	42	..	1	..	..	105	100	82	87
Duke of York, Sheffield	110	2	..	..	..	38	..	35	..	1	..	..	112	74	16	54
Commonwealth, Burnie	56	..	..	..	1	5	..	18	..	..	..	..	57	23	7	41
Stonehenge, Lottah	85	2	..	..	10	66	..	24	..	6	..	..	97	96	23	24
Ruby, Derby	33	3	..	..	..	30	..	22	..	..	..	..	36	52	43	27
Coronation Lodge, Forth	33	..	..	..	..	21	..	8	..	..	..	..	33	29	49	53
Native Laurel, Stanley	25	1	..	..	..	1	..	26	..	..	..	..	26	27	2	1
Colonel Cameron, Morven	71	1	..	..	..	28	..	25	..	..	..	..	72	53	26	45
Linda, Linda Valley	74	..	..	..	..	4	..	28	..	..	23	..	74	55	..	19
Clyde, Hamilton	31	4	..	2	..	..	..	10	..	2	..	10	37	22	..	15
Ivy, Bradshaw's Creek	34	3	..	..	..	2	..	12	..	..	..	..	37	14	..	23
Bothwell	17	7	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	24	8	..	16
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society.																
Tasmania District—																
Good Samaritan Lodge	302	2	24	135	21	184	13	75	135	1	..	..	484	408	526	602
Hope of Tasmania Lodge	138	4	25	60	1	68	..	51	60	2	..	..	228	181	402	449
New Town Lodge	62	1	9	30	13	28	..	25	30	..	..	..	115	83	343	375
Star of Tasmania Lodge	141	2	47	15	..	95	..	52	15	..	..	..	205	162	968	1011
Derwent Valley Lodge	25	..	3	..	1	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	29	4	144	169
Royal Standard Lodge	97	5	9	..	..	96	..	36	..	..	..	..	111	132	264	243
Mersey Lodge	136	2	..	30	..	88	..	51	30	..	..	..	168	169	276	275
North Progressive Lodge	59	..	9	..	..	28	..	22	..	..	..	..	68	50	266	284
H.A.C.B.S. District.																
Hibernian Australasian Catholic Benefit Society, St. Joseph's Branch	177	2	17	40	5	72	..	57	40	..	..	..	241	169	356	428
Ditto, Launceston, St. Patrick's Branch	178	1	17	62	41	98	..	1	72	..	..	..	299	201	371	469
Ditto, Zeehan	51	2	..	..	..	14	..	38	..	..	..	..	53	22	175	206
Ditto, St. Itas, Launceston	18	..	7	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	25	5	88	108
Ditto, Gormanston	41	1	..	..	..	9	..	7	..	..	..	..	42	16	73	99

Ditto, St. Mary's, Zeehan	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	5	..	9	18	9
Ditto, St. Mary's, Hobart	31	..	5	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	36	5	252	283
Ditto, St. Joseph's, Lyell	73	3	..	..	..	37	..	16	..	..	..	..	76	53	98	121
Various Societies.																
St. John's Friendly Society, Hobart	363	3	1	..	5	..	..	..	117	1	199	25	372	342	41	71
Ditto, Launceston	385	..	54	..	..	..	..	75	235	..	128	38	439	476	1187	1150
Tasmanian Government Railways Provident Society	384	2	..	..	4	182	..	..	25	150	..	30	390	387	133	136
Launceston Fire Brigade Benefit Society	84	2	11	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	33	5	97	44	286	339
Golden Gate Benefit Society	95	..	..	..	..	62	..	..	..	..	..	15	95	77	71	89
Southern Accident Club	45	..	5	..	..	29	..	..	..	..	..	4	50	33	130	147
Portland Accident Society	162	..	..	..	9	105	..	..	..	..	..	..	165	105	205	265
Australian Natives Association.																
Australian Natives' Association, Hobart	283	2	5	..	..	60	..	64	..	..	..	..	290	124	716	882
Ditto, Launceston	66	1	..	..	..	49	..	18	..	..	..	..	67	67	160	160
Ditto, Queenstown	110	1	..	..	..	83	..	25	..	..	..	..	111	108	76	79
Ditto, Zeehan	76	1	2	..	..	8	..	15	..	..	..	..	79	23	92	148
Ditto, Burnie	40	..	..	..	..	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	40	7	52	85
Ditto, Lyell†	27	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	8	..	..	..	27	14	42	55
Irish National Foresters.																
St. Patrick's, Hobart‡	‡	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pat. Sarsfield, Gormanston	82	..	..	20	..	62	..	21	20	..	..	..	102	103	125	124
TOTAL	24,097	522	2296	1639	1739	14,119	283	5445	2159	453	1854	691	30,293	25,004	71,204	76,493

† Figures for previous year inserted owing to failure of Society to furnish return in time.

‡ Return not supplied, though repeatedly applied for.

INCIDENTAL and Management Fund.—Receipts and Expenditure during the Year ending 31st December, 1905.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.				TOTAL RECEIPTS.	TOTAL EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR.	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR.
	Contributions.	Initiations and Proposals.	Interest.	Other Receipts.	Medical Attendance and Medicines.	Expenses of Management.	Levies.	Other Expenditure.				
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, (M.U.)	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart District—												
Rose of Tasmania Lodge	293	2	7	15	236	68	9	5	317	318	234	233
Albemarle Lodge	208	3	9	9	171	30	6	..	229	207	63	85
Tasmania's Hope Lodge	384	2	29	10	301	50	9	..	425	360	192	257
Fingal Lodge	95	2	6	8	84	12	3	1	111	100	84	95
Mathinna Lodge	152	3	..	25	132	43	11	24	180	210	13	— 17
Buckingham District—												
Southern Star Lodge	576	..	57	209	453	103	58	659	842	1273	892	461
Franklin Lodge	112	9	..	8	90	16	14	5	129	125	100	104
Raglan Lodge	408	..	43	36	356	49	48	23	487	476	142	153
Pride of Devonshire Lodge	101	..	6	2	81	24	8	..	109	113	22	18
Prince Alfred Lodge	168	..	2	37	145	23	16	42	207	226	26	7
Bellerive Lodge	20	..	4	..	10	8	2	1	24	21	2	5
Derwent Lodge	58	..	9	14	44	17	5	7	81	73	8	16
Dulverton Lodge	90	..	4	2	62	17	7	9	96	95	4	5
Cornwall District—												
Cornwall Lodge	766	..	..	193	504	156	31	192	959	882	237	314
Pride of the West Lodge, Deloraine	311	..	6	73	243	60	21	30	390	354	107	143
Clarendon Lodge	213	..	..	65	172	56	21	33	278	282	2	— 2
Rose of Latrobe Lodge	262	..	..	37	164	56	27	49	299	296	311	314
Don Lodge	90	..	4	11	61	28	7	4	105	100	161	166
Westbury Lodge	163	..	5	32	153	23	17	2	200	195	93	98
Beaconsfield Lodge	255	..	..	55	199	36	34	37	310	306	78	82
Midland Star Lodge	137	..	2	11	102	25	10	12	150	149	50	51
Bischoff Lodge	73	..	..	34	..	56	24	67	107	147	150	110
Mersey Lodge	131	..	6	65	81	33	14	59	202	187	100	115
Wellington Lodge	239	..	2	10	173	40	17	13	251	243	86	94
Rose of Sheffield Lodge	125	..	..	26	88	25	9	29	151	151	35	35
Scottsdale Lodge	202	..	6	32	120	62	18	29	240	229	120	131
St. Mary's Lodge	17	..	..	5	..	10	5	..	22	15	— 7	..
Star of the Sea Lodge	182	..	..	53	124	29	14	48	235	215	30	50
Lakin Lodge	51	..	..	5	10	16	9	5	56	40	1	17
Silver Star Lodge	85	..	..	219	176	52	18	39	304	285	131	150
Macquarie Lodge	68	..	..	2	60	17	2	2	70	81	10	— 1
Pride of Lefroy Lodge	‡	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maids of Cornwall	74	..	..	3	55	19	2	..	77	76	53	54
ditto Mersey	19	..	..	5	12	9	..	..	24	21	— 12	— 9
ditto Deloraine	10	..	..	..	7	2	..	..	10	9	2	3
King Edward, Penguin	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Victoria Lodge	124	..	3	46	19	74	..	34	173	127	250	296
Hamilton (Mt. Read)	5	..	..	10	11	15	..	..	15	26	— 22	— 33
Derby Lodge	111	..	..	38	98	19	..	..	149	117	65	97
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.												
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—												..
Cornwall Lodge	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Forth Lodge	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waratah Lodge	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Table Cape Lodge	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Leven Lodge	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

Wellington	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	
Somerset	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Queenstown	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Loyal Jubilee	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Federal	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Sorrento	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Independent Order of Rechabites, Salford Unity.													
Southern Cross District—													
Victoria Tent	293	..	..	1	144	38	..	62	294	244	50	100	
Hope of Zeeha	47	2	..	1	23	14	..	10	50	47	— 41	— 38	
United Brothers' Tent	137	1	..	48	78	32	..	36	186	146	— 80	— 120	
Heart and Hand Tent	59	..	..	12	44	18	..	22	71	84	40	27	
Guiding Star Tent	67	..	15	..	36	15	..	22	82	73	21	30	
Star of Hope Tent	107	..	..	15	78	24	..	21	122	123	14	13	
New Town Hope Tent	39	..	..	3	33	10	..	3	42	46	— 13	— 17	
Tasmania District—													
Star of Tasmania Tent	102	..	..	17	64	32	8	16	119	120	27	26	
Olive Branch Tent	389	8	..	33	209	58	205	20	430	492	197	135	
Future Help Tent	20	..	..	..	15	2	..	3	20	20	4	4	
Fidelity Tent	5	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	5	5	—	—	
Longford Star Tent	134	..	..	12	69	25	49	21	146	164	51	33	
Star of the West Tent	164	..	..	19	101	35	70	24	183	230	105	58	
Perseverance Tent	99	..	..	13	57	24	11	14	112	106	36	42	
Star of the Forth Tent	95	1	1	5	53	21	13	11	102	98	25	29	
Juvenile Tent, Launceston	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	1	3	9	7	
Friendship Tent	84	2	..	..	42	27	18	..	86	87	5	4	
Star of the Peace Tent, Emu Bay	30	..	..	2	25	5	2	..	32	32	1	1	
Dawn of Hope Tent	5	..	..	1	..	3	..	3	6	6	2	2	
Jubilee Tent	39	..	..	..	20	5	12	..	39	37	3	5	
Diamond Tent	41	..	..	..	34	9	..	1	41	44	3	..	
Star of Ulverstone	118	2	..	29	53	17	42	37	149	149	29	29	
Star of Devonport	75	2	..	18	36	12	25	18	95	91	13	17	
Rising Star	45	..	..	8	30	4	10	..	53	44	— 8	1	
Excelsior	103	4	..	2	56	13	39	..	109	108	17	18	
Gladstone	32	..	..	..	26	5	2	..	33	33	3	2	
Federal Star	16	..	..	4	7	4	7	3	20	21	9	8	
Ancient Order of Foresters.													
Tasmania District—													
Sherwood Court	1091	16	19	38	787	234	..	22	1164	1043	505	626	
Pride of Tasmania Court	384	8	..	52	268	50	28	20	444	366	509	587	
Robin Hood Court	193	5	..	5	147	47	1	..	203	195	41	49	
Epping Court	351	9	..	5	246	52	..	23	365	321	105	149	
Kermandie Court	139	2	1	2	130	18	..	4	144	152	30	22	
Myrtle	178	6	..	1	99	39	..	..	185	138	20	67	
United Brothers	97	..	..	..	70	24	..	3	97	97	16	16	
Pride of the West, Queenstown	43	6	..	30	10	41	8	7	79	66	5	18	
Laurel	51	3	..	26	10	35	25	2	80	72	12	20	
United Ancient Order of Druids.													
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—													
Heart of Oak Lodge	656	18	..	20	296	168	62	37	694	563	— 98	33	
Oak Branch Lodge	377	41	..	8	247	75	48	22	426	392	73	107	
Mistletoe Lodge	195	3	1	4	123	55	27	1	203	206	62	59	
Strahan Lodge	161	10	1	7	89	27	16	21	179	153	25	51	
Tamar Maidens	40	5	..	5	28	24	1	2	50	55	6	1	
Mathinna	115	8	..	..	99	19	6	2	123	126	3	..	
Acorn, Beaconsfield	217	32	..	48	149	43	30	73	297	295	5	7	
Fern Bower Lodge	419	22	..	20	262	73	42	40	461	417	17	61	
Tamar Lodge	319	9	..	7	183	91	18	35	335	327	147	155	
Oak of Zeehan	296	12	..	54	78	52	15	221	362	366	40	36	
Pride of Queenstown	40	27	..	2	..	55	3	9	69	67	3	5	
Ringarooma	53	15	..	..	46	9	9	1	68	65	4	7	

INCIDENTAL and Management Fund.—Receipts and Expenditure during the Year ending 31st December, 1905—continued.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	RECEIPTS.				EXPENDITURE.				TOTAL RECEIPTS.	TOTAL EXPENDITURE.	BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR.	BALANCE AT END OF YEAR.
	Contributions.	Initiations and Proposals.	Interest.	Other Receipts.	Medical Attendance and Medicines.	Expenses of Management.	Levies.	Other Expenditure.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—*continued.*												
Ulverstone	51	9	..	17	32	22	13	11	77	78	10	9
Bothwell	52	21	..	2	29	7	33	1	75	70	..	5
Ophir, Devonport	80	10	..	4	38	27	8	6	94	79	2	17
Penguin	52	11	1	2	52	15	3	2	66	72	7	1
Huonville	167	31		10	102	39	13	14	208	168	3	43
Duke of York, Sheffield	115	3	..	2	84	19	12	5	120	120	4	4
Commonwealth, Burnie	79	24	..	4	54	25	12	13	107	104	..	3
Stonehenge, Lottah	69	9	..	10	43	15	10	16	88	84	11	15
Ruby, Derby	94	7	..	6	60	22	10	9	107	101	—1	5
Coronation Lodge, Forth	29	..	..	1	21	13	4	1	30	39	—21	—30
Linda, Linda Valley	..	27	..	7	..	29	..	4	34	33	..	1
Native Laurel, Stanley	20	4	..	..		16	13	..	24	29	9	4
Col. Cameron, Morven	101	3	..	1	64	20	10	7	105	101	1	5
Ivy, Bradshaw's Creek	38	8	..	9	31	10	4	8	55	53	..	2
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society.												
Tasmania District—												
Good Samaritan Lodge	232	..	2	13	168	45	38	12	247	263	53	37
Hope of Tasmania Lodge	164	3	..	9	117	33	19	11	176	180	..	—4
New Town Lodge	78	1	3	2	50	18	11	..	84	79	25	30
Star of Tasmania Lodge	150	1	..	1	92	39	18	1	152	150	—6	—4
Derwent Valley Lodge	25	1	..	4	31	6	8	1	30	46	—33	—49
Royal Standard Lodge	102	5	..	3	67	16	13	8	110	104	33	39
Mersey Lodge	139	2	..	1	95	23	21	3	142	142	46	46
North Progressive Lodge	75	..	..	3	40	18	8	4	78	70	19	27
Hibernian Australian Catholic Benefit Society District.												
Hibernian Australian Catholic Benefit Society, Hobart, St. Joseph's Branch	190	2	.	12	125	48	39	1	204	213	210	201
Ditto, Launceston, St. Patrick's Branch	162	1	..	3	92	44	16	26	166	178	79	67
Ditto, St. Fursens, Zeehan	50	3	..	10	39	8	..	13	63	60	—39	—36
Ditto, St. Itas, Launceston	22	1	1	..	14	10	1	..	24	25	49	48
Ditto, Gormanston	14	2	..	..	..	16	6	..	16	22	5	—1
Ditto, Ditto, Hobart	23	3	..	1	25	5	1	..	27	31	—36	—40
Ditto, St. Joseph's, Lyell	40	3	..	..	6	29	6	4	43	45	10	8
Various Societies.												
Portland Accident Society	..	..	..	..	19	17	..	5	..	41	—122	—163
Australian Native Association.												
Australian Natives Association, Hobart	249	8	1	6	184	63	15	..	264	262	106	108
Ditto, Launceston	104	3	..	..	43	54	5	1	107	103	7	11
Ditto, Queenstown	33	22	2	8	7	33	6	5	65	51	—31	—17
Ditto, Zeehan	90	6	..	2	67	31	3	2	98	103	14	9
Ditto, Burnie	29	2	..	5	17	10	1	..	36	28	—12	—4
Ditto, Lyell	13	2	..	8	2	34	2	1	23	39	—7	—23
Irish National Foresters.												
St. Patrick's, Hobart	‡	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pat. Sarsfield, Gormanston	14	6	3	..	..	..	5	22	23	27	7	—11
TOTAL	17,084	544	261	2148	11,409	3954	1736	2569	20,037	19,688	6413	6782

‡ See note page4 23.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—*continued.*

RETURN showing Receipts and Expenditure of other Funds of Lodges in 1905.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.					Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of Year.	Balance at end of Year.
	Contributions.	Interest.	Other Receipts.	Sick Pay or Donations.	Funeral Donations.	Medicines.	Management.	Miscellaneous.				
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart District—												
Albemarle (Distress Fund)	10	...	...	10	...	....	...	...	10	10	1	1
Tasmania's Hope (ditto).....	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	11	16	151	146
Rose of Tasmania (ditto)	10	6	...	11	...	...	...	32	16	43	200	173
Mathinna (ditto)	8	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	8	1	17	24
Buckingham District—												
Southern Star (Distress Fund)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Franklin (Distress Fund)	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	7
Raglan (ditto)	...	...	20	2	...	...	...	...	20	2	34	52
Prince Alfred Lodge, (Hall Fund).....	...	...	113	...	...	...	32	61	113	84	76	105
Cornwall District –												
Cornwall (Distress Fund)	14	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	14	6	76	84
Cornwall (Anniversary).....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Latrobe Lodge	10	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	10	2	11	19
Pride of the West, Deloraine (Hall Account).....	33	...	...	...	...	...	32	9	33	41	56	48
Midland Star (Distress Fund)..	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	1	14	17
Bischoff Lodge (Distress Fund)	9	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	9	1	3	11
Bischoff Lodge (Hall)	...	...	46	...	...	...	16	19	46	35	...	11
Rose of Sheffield	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	71	87
Maids of Cornwall(Anniversary & Social Fund)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	14
Victoria Distress Fund.....	17	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	17	2	9	24
Guiding Star Trust Fund.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	67
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—												
Cornwall Lodge, No. 1 (W. & O. Fund)	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	394	2	394	392	...
Zeehan Lodge (W. & O. Fund)...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	26	26
Zeehan Lodge (Distress Fund).	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	16
Dundas Lodge (W. & O. Fund)	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	34	40
Wellington Lodge (W. & O. Fund).....	34	22	...	...	...	...	1	...	56	1	632	687
Ditto (Anniversary Fund)..	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	5	9	5	1	5
Derwent Star (Contingent Fund)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Forth Lodge (W. & O. Fund) .	62	...	...	...	...	...	...	35	62	35	247	274
Waratah Lodge (W.& O. Fund)	19	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	398	421
Leven Lodge (W. & O. Fund).	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	58	62
Table Cape (W. & O. Fund)	33	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	38	...	313	351
Table Cape (Anniversary Fund)	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	1	16
Dispensary, Hobart	1013	13	168	...	...	535	439	132	1194	1106	380	468
Ditto, Launceston.....	839	...	586	...	...	929	527	...	1425	1456	96	65
Ditto, ditto, Building Fund...	107	1	...	...	...	...	...	153	108	153	53	8
Good Samaritan Lodge (Distress Fund)	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	43	41
Southern Cross District—												
Victoria (Trust Fund)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	29
Star of Hope (Special Fund)...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Ancient Order of Foresters—												
Sherwood (Supplementary Fund)	33	37	1	...	...	...	...	...	71	...	1010	1081
Sherwood (Anniversary and Contingent Fund).....	13	2	...	9	...	...	...	3	15	12	43	46
Pride of Tasmania (Benevolent Fund).....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Royal Standard (Contingent Fund).....	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	9	8	9	7	6
Kermandie (Incidental Fund) ..	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	10	16
Mersey (Distress Fund)..	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	6	8	6	16	18
Robin Hood (Hall Fund)	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	42	59
Robin Hood (Social Fund)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Laurel, Gormanston.....	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	21	...	...	21
A.N.A., Hobart (Contingent Fund)	18	1	6	...	...	...	...	11	25	11	16	30
A.N.A., Hobart (Building Fund)	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	11
A.N.A., Zeehan (Contingent Fund)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
A.N.A., Queenstown (Contingent Fund	...	...	157	...	...	...	...	231	157	231	120	46
P.A.F.S., New Town Lodge (Distress and Contingent)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	24
P.A.F.S., North Progressive Lodge	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	21	23
P.A.F.S., Hope of Tasmania	11	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	11	1	39	49
Hibernian Australian Catholic Benefit Society (Hall Fund)....	...	...	19	...	...	...	...	...	19	...	307	326
Ditto, St. Patrick's Branch...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	3
Ditto, St. Fursæus Branch ...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	5	7	5	6	8
Ditto, St. Joseph's Branch ...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	4	1	1	4
Ditto, St. Itas Branch	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5
TOTAL	2318	91	1246	50	...	1464	1038	1121	3655	3673	5199	5181

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—*continued.*

RETURN showing Disposal of Funds at time of last Balancing prior to 31st December, 1905.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	TOTAL.	INVESTMENTS AT INTEREST.			Bank or otherwise, not bearing interest.	Cash in hand of Trustees or other Officers.
		Banks.	Mortgages, Halls, Bldg. Societies.	Other investments.		
Independent Order of Odd Fellows (Manchester Unity).	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart District—						
Rose of Tasmania Lodge	1739	275	...	1443	8	13
Albemarle Lodge	596	577	...	...	...	19
Tasmania's Hope Lodge	1854	832	800	...	200	22
Fingal Lodge	371	...	...	350	...	21
Mathinna	61	...	...	...	55	6
Buckingham District—						
Southern Star Lodge	4609	...	1000	3400	201	8
Franklin Lodge	640	126	...	500	...	14
Raglan Lodge	2381	191	...	1900	261	29
Pride of Devonshire Lodge	344	123	...	200	...	21
Prince Alfred Lodge	790	119	639	...	31	1
Bellerive Lodge	274	262	...	...	...	12
Derwent Lodge	503	190	...	300	...	13
Dulverton Lodge	273	120	...	150	2	1
Cornwall District—						
Cornwall Lodge	2783	624	...	2150	...	9
Pride of the West Lodge	1267	237	181	816	29	4
Clarendon Lodge	839	52	...	750	37	...
Rose of Latrobe Lodge	1283	100	673	400	110	...
Don Lodge	437	252	...	185	...	...
Westbury Lodge	1070	219	...	880	—29	...
Beaconsfield Lodge	523	...	220	150	153	...
Midland Star Lodge	1159	29	...	1130	...	...
Bischoff Lodge	1450	121	240	998	80	11
Mersey Lodge	649	30	...	603	16	...
Wellington Lodge	1281	...	...	1050	231	...
Rose of Sheffield Lodge	487	245	50	150	42	...
Scottsdale Lodge	721	16	75	550	80	...
St. Mary's Lodge	129	...	...	...	129	...
Star of the Sea Lodge	767	201	451	100	15	...
Lakin Lodge ...	322	181	65	...	76	...
Silver Star Lodge	1453	303	300	850	...	1
Macquarie Lodge	203	55	...	116	30	2
Pride of Lefroy*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maids of Cornwall	479	59	...	420	...	...
„ Mersey	41	41	...	...	...	...
„ Deloraine	80	80	...	...	...	...
King Edward, Penguin †	63	...	...	...	63	...
Victoria Lodge	1106	250	...	800	56	...
Hamilton, Mount Read	100	...	...	...	100	...
Derby Lodge	469	...	...	200	269	...
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.						
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—						
Cornwall Lodge	566	172	...	340	54	...
Forth Lodge	512	...	220	200	92	...
Waratah Lodge	505	...	...	381	124	...
Table Cape Lodge	894	124	...	571	199	...
Leven Lodge	108	60	...	...	48	...
Wellington Lodge	1577	121	...	1328	123	5
Zeehan Lodge	141	...	...	...	141	...
Queenstown	448	...	...	313	135	...
Loyal Jubilee	423	364	...	...	59	...
Loyal Derwent Star†	114	...	...	100	14	...
Loyal Dundas	118	51	...	...	57	10
Gormanston	232	...	...	150	82	...
Federal	33	...	...	...	15	18
Centenary	8	...	...	...	...	8
Independent Order of Rechabites (Salford Unity).						
Southern Cross District—						
Victoria Tent	975	55	400	520	...	...
United Brothers Tent	1425	118	...	1202	100	5
Heart and Hand Tent	520	...	461	...	...	59
Guiding Star Tent	561	158	...	400	...	3

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—*continued.*

RETURN showing Disposal of Funds at time of last Balancing prior to 31st December, 1905—continued.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	TOTAL.	INVESTMENTS AT INTEREST.			Bank or otherwise, not bearing interest.	Cash in hand of Trustees or other Officers.
		Banks.	Mortgages, Halls, Bldg. Societies.	Other investments.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Independent Order of Rechabites (Salford Unity)—continued.						
Southern Cross District—*continued.*						
Star of Hope Tent	119	118	...	...	...	1
Hope of Zeehan	93	72	...	...	21	...
New Town Hope Tent	187	40	147	...	...	...
Hope of Rechab.	100	99	...	...	...	1
Baden-Powell	18	15	...	...	...	3
Pride of Zeehan	5	5	...	...	...	...
Hope of Oatlands	10	9	...	...	...	1
Tasmania District—						
Star of Tasmania Tent	1251	15	...	1209	...	27
Olive Branch Tent	2656	...	...	2500	156	...
Future Help Tent	114	88	...	...	20	6
Fidelity Tent	285	...	...	274	...	11
Longford Star Tent	1066	...	360	680	26	...
Star of the West Tent	1350	...	...	1200	150	...
Perseverance Tent	169	...	...	100	69	...
Star of the Forth Tent	730	261	...	383	86	...
Juvenile Tent, Launceston	7	7	...	...	...	...
Friendship Tent	486	...	...	470	16	...
Star of the Peace Tent (Emu Bay)	3	...	...	...	3	...
Rising Star, Westbury	138	...	...	118	20	...
Dawn of Hope Tent	62	...	...	25	37	...
Jubilee Tent	314	133	...	160	5	16
Diamond Tent	149	...	...	131	18	...
Eastern Star Tent†	65	30	...	...	35	...
Star of Ulverstone	163	11	...	170	—18	...
Star of Devonport	143	41	...	100	2	...
Excelsior	204	...	...	175	29	...
Gladstone	54	24	...	...	...	30
Federal Star	65	65	...	...	...	...
Ancient Order of Foresters.						
Tasmania District—						
Sherwood Court	10,230	480	...	9750	...	...
Pride of Tasmania Court	1653	76	...	1500	...	77
Robin Hood Court	2439	...	1275	1032	132	..
Epping Court	565	226	10	291	38	...
Kermandie Court	56	41	...	13‡	...	2
United Brothers (Loyal)	423	162	...	250	...	11
Florence Nightingale Court	268	111	...	150	...	7
Myrtle	116	50	...	...	66	...
Pride of the West, Queenstown	302	...	...	202	100	...
Laurel, Gormanston	103	...	...	...	103	...
United Ancient Order of Druids.						
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—						
Heart of Oak Lodge	3090	350	50	2690	...	...
Oak Branch Lodge	1468	2	...	1454	10	2
Fern Bower Lodge	862	832	...	...	30	...
Tamar Lodge	1495	45	...	1450	...	...
Oak of Zeehan	579	16	...	520	43	...
Mistletoe Lodge	314	...	...	300	12	2
Pride of Queenstown	516	...	...	409	103	4
Strahan Lodge	254	226	...	...	28	...
Tamar Maidens	56	56	...	...	...	...
Mathinna †	39	...	...	...	39	...
Acorn, Beaconsfield	120	119	...	...	...	1
Ringarooma	104	...	...	...	81	23
Bothwell	21	...	...	...	...	21
Ophir, Devonport	54	...	...	...	54	...
Ulverstone	115	...	...	...	115	...

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—*continued.*

RETURN showing Disposal of Funds at time of last Balancing prior to 31st December, 1905—continued.

NAME OF SOCIETY.	TOTAL.	INVESTMENTS AT INTEREST.			Bank or otherwise, not bearing interest.	Cash in hand of Trustees or other Officers.
		Banks.	Mortgages, Halls, Bldg. Societies.	Other investments.		
United Ancient Order of Druids—continued.						
Grand Lodge of Tasmania—						
Penguin	151	145	...	...	...	6
Huonville	130	109	...	...	20	1
Duke of York, Sheffield	57	...	...	...	57	...
Commonwealth, Burnie	44	...	...	...	44	...
Stonehenge, Lottah	40	...	...	...	36	4
Ruby, Derby	32	...	...	...	32	...
Coronation Lodge, Forth	23	23	...	...	...	...
Native Laurel, Stanley	5	...	...	...	5	...
Colonel Cameron, Morven	50	...	...	...	50	...
Linda, Linda Valley	20	...	...	...	20	...
Clyde, Hamilton	15	10	...	...	...	5
Ivy, Bradshaw's Creek	25	...	...	...	18	7
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society.						
Tasmania District—						
Good Samaritan	681	673	...	...	...	8
Hope of Tasmania	494	77	...	380	37	...
New Town	429	209	...	200	...	20
Star of Tasmania	1007	96	...	909	...	2
Derwent Valley	120	114	...	...	...	6
Royal Standard	288	282	...	...	...	6
Mersey	338	137	...	175	21	5
North Progressive	334	23	...	310	...	1
Hibernian Australian Catholic Benefit Society District.						
Hibernian Australian Catholic Benefit Society, Hobart, St. Joseph's Branch	1006	26	...	850	71	59 ¶
Ditto, Launceston, St. Patrick's Branch	539	221	...	315	...	3
Ditto, St. Fursaeus, Zeehan	175	9	...	126	39	1
Ditto, St. Itas, Launceston	161	56	...	100	...	5
Ditto, Gormanston	98	90	...	...	6	2
Ditto, St. Mary's, Zeehan	9	...	...	...	9	...
Ditto, St. Mary's, Hobart	243	...	...	200	43	...
Ditto, St. Joseph's, Lyell	133	100	...	...	33	...
Various Societies.						
St. John's Friendly Society, Hobart	71	70	...	...	...	1
St. John's Friendly Society, Launceston	1150	72	178	900	...	...
Tasmanian Govt. Railways Provident Society	136	136	...	...	...	...
Launceston Fire Brigade Benefit Society	339	339	...	...	...	...
Golden Gate Benefit Society	89	89	...	...	...	...
Hobart United Friendly Societies' Dispensary. §	1118	100	640§	310	68	...
Launceston United Friendly Societies' Dispensary †	2309	...	2236†	...	73	...
Southern Accident Society	147	47	...	100	...	...
Portland Accident Society	102	69	...	...	33	...
Australian Natives' Association, Hobart	1031	212	...	750	69	...
Ditto, Launceston	171	71	...	100	...	...
Ditto, Zeehan	157	130	...	...	27	...
Ditto, Burnie	80	...	...	...	80	...
Ditto, Lyell*	32	...	...	...	32	...
Ditto, Queenstown	107	64	...	...	43	
Irish National Foresters.						
St. Patrick's Hobart*	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pat. Sarsfield, Gormanston	113	113	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	91,803	14,870	10,471	59,477	6082	703

* See Note page 423. † Building, £1652; Fittings, £136; Stock, £448; ‡ Goods; ¶ Regalia, £25; § Fittings, £65; Stock, £575.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—*continued.*

RETURN giving Receipts and Expenditure of District Lodge Funds for Year 1905.

FUNERAL FUND.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.		Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of Year.	Balance at end of Year.
	Contributions from Lodges.	Interest.	Other Receipts.	Funeral Donations.	Other Expenditure.				
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, (M.U.)	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart District	474	36	10	365	..	520	365	3570	3725
Buckingham District	592	69	..	505	..	661	505	2607	2763
Cornwall District	729	346	..	810	..	1075	810	8417	8682
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.									
Grand Lodge of Tasmania	625	329	10	130	..	964	130	5609	6443
Independent Order of Rechabites, (Salford Unity.)									
Southern Cross District	192	..	..	193	..	192	193	1484	1483
Tasmanian District	462	437	20	322	..	919	322	9348	9945
Ancient Order of Foresters.									
Tasmanian District	285	25	..	222	..	310	222	656	744
United Ancient Order of Druids	927	52	..	545	..	979	545	1606	2040
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society	302	110	..	210	1	412	211	3046	3247
H.A.C.B. District	141	12	..	122	..	153	122	380	411
A.N.A. District	130	9	434	50	..	573	50	..	523
TOTAL	4859	1425	474	3474	1	6758	3475	36,723	40,006

MANAGEMENT FUND.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.		Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of Year.	Balance at end of Year.
	Contributions from Lodges.	Interest.	Other Receipts.	Management.	Other Expenditure.				
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, M.U.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart District	37	37	149	101	96	223	197	174	200
Buckingham District	146	10	28	81	55	184	136	20	68
Cornwall District	249	..	120	134	270	369	404	61	26
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.									
Grand Lodge of Tasmania	248	4	20	70	195	272	265	217	224
Independent Order of Rechabites, S.U.									
Southern Cross District	..	55	105	121	38	160	159	48	49
Tasmanian District	125	352	52	197	289	529	486	533	576
Ancient Order of Foresters.									
Tasmanian District	68	..	13	23	43	81	66	108	123
United Ancient Order of Druids	393	..	175	413	179	568	592	178	154
A.N.A. District	31	..	76	37	5	107	42	..	65
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society	115	4	30	125	84	149	209	197	137
H.A.C.B. District	48	..	..	32	5	48	37	9	20
TOTAL	1460	462	768	1334	1259	2690	2593	1545	1642

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—*continued.*

OTHER FUNDS.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	RECEIPTS.			EXPENDITURE.			Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of Year.	Balance at end of Year.
	Contributions.	Interest.	Other Receipts.	Funeral Donations.	Sick Pay.	Other Expenditure.				
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, M.U.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Cornwall District—										
Widow and Orphan Fund ..	523	296	..	310	..	148	819	458	8841	9202
Benevolent Fund	..	148	..	..	..	..	148	..	197	345
Tasmanian District—										
Guarantee Fund	..	4	9	..	..	..	13	..	70	83
Maintenance Fund	..	..	124	..	..	124	124	124	6	6
Juvenile Funeral Fund ...	21	6	..	..	..	..	27	..	110	137
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society Lodge Relief Fund	34	4	..	..	39	..	38	39	109	108
Guarantee Fund	..	..	17	..	..	..	17	..	..	17
TOTAL	578	458	150	310	39	272	1186	621	9333	9898

DISPOSAL OF FUNDS.

NAME OF DISTRICT.	Total Funds.	INVESTMENTS AT INTEREST.			Bank Current Account.	Cash in hands of Treasurer or other Officer.
		Savings Banks, &c.	Mortgages, Halls.	Other Investments.		
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, M.U.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Hobart District	4026	1166	2251*	500	104	5
Buckingham District	2831	341	..	2350	127	13
Cornwall District	18,256	688	1435	16,133	..	..
Independent Order of Odd Fellows.						
Grand Lodge of Tasmania	6667	711	..	5956	..	..
Independent Order of Rechabites, S.U.						
Southern Cross District	1632	242	100†	1290	..	..
Tasmanian District	10,748	..	80	10,585	83	..
United Ancient Order of Druids	2194	..	..	1500	694	..
Ancient Order of Foresters.						
Tasmanian District	867	262	..	600	2	3
H.A.C.B. District	431	111	..	300	20	..
A.N.A. District.....	588	73	..	450	65	..
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society	3534	2575	..	825§	134	..
TOTAL ..... £	51,774	6169	3866	40,489	1229	21

* Exclusive of £500 mortgage on hall from Tasmania's Hope Lodge. † Goods. § Including £25 guaranteed shares.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—*continued.*

GENERAL SUMMARY, 1905.

Receipts and Capital.

	Contributions and Levies.	Interest.	Funeral Donations.	Other Receipts.	Total.	Grand Total.	Capital.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
District Lodges—							
Funeral Fund	4859	1425	...	474	6758	...	...
Management Fund	1460	462	...	168	2690	...	...
Other Funds	778	458	...	150	1186	10,634	51,774
Other Lodges—							
Sick and Funeral Fund	24,097	2296	1639	2261	30,293	...	...
Management Fund	17,084	261	...	2692	20,037	...	...
Other Funds	2318	91	...	1246	3655	53,985	91,803
Total	50,396	4993	1639	7591	64,619	64,619	143,577

Expenditure.

	Levies or Payments to Districts.	Sick Pay.	Funeral Donations.	Medical Attendance and Medicines.	Management.	Other Expenditure.	Total.	Grand Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
District Lodges—								
Funeral Fund	...	...	3474	...	...	1	3475	...
Management Fund	...	...	...	...	1334	1259	2593	...
Other Funds	...	39	310	...	...	272	621	6689
Other Lodges—								
Sick and Funeral Fund	5445	14,402	2159	1854	691	453	25,004	...
Management Fund	1736	...	...	11,409	3954	2589	19,688	...
Other Funds	...	50	...	1464	1038	1121	3673	48,365
Total	7181	14,941	5943	14,727	7017	5695	55,054	55,054

Net Receipts, £63,429. Net Expenditure, £53,864.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.—*DECENNIAL RETURN.*

Year.	No. of Lodges and Districts which filed Returns.	No. of Members.	Receipts.†	Expenditure.†	Capital.
			£	£	£
1896	123	10,426	32,979	29,490	89,145
1897	127	11,347	35,585	31,277	91,945*
1898	130	11,871	37,837	34,639	95,202
1899	129	12,883	39,761	34,807	100,562
1900	136	13,548	42,327	34,872	108,968
1901	159	14,716	44,339	39,455	114,305
1902	171	15,546	47,554	40,578	115,945
1903	163‡	16,073	50,509	43,183	127,586
1904	166‡	16,287	61,137	53,373	136,786
1905	164‡	15,976	64,619	55,054	143,577

*1675 Deposits of Branches not included.

† Deducting cross entries, £95 in 1894, £138 in 1895, £335 in 1896, £67 in 1897, £95 in 1898, £149 in 1899, £244 in 1900, £163 in 1901, £577 in 1902. £536 in 1903, £293 in 1904, and £1190 in 1905.

‡ Juvenile Lodges not included.

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Secretaries of the various Lodges.]

AMALGAMATED MINERS' ASSOCIATION OF VICTORIA, 1905.

RETURN of Receipts and Expenditure of the Amalgamated Miners' Association of Victoria for the year 1905.

Branch.	Contributions and Donations.	Funeral Account.	Levies.	Other Receipts.	Accident Pay.	Funeral Account.	Levies and Donations.	Management.	Miscellaneous.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of year.	Balance at end of year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Zeehan Branch (Members, 520) General Account ...	1170	50	216	—	223	120	366	194	379†‡	1436	1664	228	382
Sports Account	24	—	—	212	—	—	19	6	123	236	148	30	118
Mount Read Strike	2036*	—	—	192†	—	—	1924*	199	—	2228	2123	—	105
Sub-Committee	75	—	—	—	6	—	52	18	3	75	79	9	5
Mount Farrell Sub-Committee	128	—	—	—	14	—	67	24	21	128	126	10	12

* Strike pay. † Including Loan Mount Read Strike. ‡ And £127 insurance.

ASSETS, 1905.

	£
Hall and shops, valued at	600
General Accounts—Current Account Bank of Australasia	378
Fixed Deposits	127
Mount Farrell Sub-Committee	12
Mount Read Sub-Committee	5
Cash in hand	4
Strike Account—Cr. Bank of Australasia	105
Sports Account—Cr. Bank of Australasia, Fixed Deposit	153
Cr. Bank of Australasia, Current Acconnt	32
	£1416

[Compiled by Government Statistician from Returns furnished by Secretary A.M.A.].

TRADES UNION.

RETURN of Receipts and Expenditure of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers for Year 1904.

Name of Union.	Contributions.	Levies.	Other Receipts.	Benefits.	To District.	Management.	Other Expenditure.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of year.	Balance at end of Year
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
District Lodge (Members, 51)	147	13	14	19	150	20	8	174	197	261	238
Launceston Branch	97	8	7	18	150	8	8	112	184	228	156
Queenstown	24	2	2	1	...	7	...	28	8	13	33
Zeehan	26	3	5	...	...	5	...	34	5	20	49
Total	147	13	14	19	150	20	8	174	197	261	238

RETURN of Receipts and Expenditure of the Amalgamated Society of Engineers for Year 1905.

Name of Union.	Contributions.	Levies.	Other Receipts.	Benefits.	To District.	Management.	Other Expenditure.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Balance at beginning of year.	Balance at end of year.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
District Lodge (Members, 58).....	150	11	17	26	—	25	4	180	55	238	363
Launceston Branch	89	7	9	15	—	13	4	105	32	156	229
Queenstown	32	2	7	—	—	6	—	41	6	33	68
Zeehan	31	2	1	11	—	6	—	34	17	49	66
Total.....	152	11	17	26	—	25	4	180	55	238	363

[Compiled by Government Statistician from returns furnished by Secretaries of the various Unions.]

LIFE ASSURANCE.

LIFE Assurance and principal Mutual Provident Societies in Tasmania, in the Years 1895, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, *and* 1905.

	1895.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
SOCIETIES..... No.	10	11	10	10	10	10	10
Policies in force in Tasmania on 31 Dec.; viz.—							
Life Assurance..... No.	16,549	18,538	19,140	19,805	20,893	21,181	21,920
Endowment ..... No.	735	792	776	580	832	799	919
Annuities ..... No.	36	63	73	77	77	80	87
Total Policies in force on 31 Dec..... No.	17,320	19,393	19,989	20,462	21,802	22,060	22,926
Policies issued during year—							
Life Assurance..... No.	5326	3448	2725	2617	3030	2874	3122
Endowment ..... No.	112	97	98	139	139	87	262
Annuities ..... No.	6	11	10	5	6	7	9
Total Policies issued during year..... No.	5444	3596	2833	2723	3175	2968	3393
Policies voided during year—							
Life Assurance..... No.	5674	2801	2006	1903	1980	2510	2229
Endowment ..... No.	122	81	109	95	85	128	139
Annuities ..... No.	...	2	—	2	4	5	...
Total Policies voided during year ..... No.	5796	2884	2115	2000	2069	2643	2368
Balance of Transfers with other Countries—							
Life Assurance	80†	32*	117†	49†	38*	76†	59†
Endowment	2†	16*	5†	2†	2†	8*	...
Annuities	...	2*	—	1*	1†	...	2†
Total balance of Transfers with other Countries...	82†	50*	112†	50†	35*	68†	61†
Policies in force in Tasmania on 31 Dec.—							
Life Assurance... Amount £	2,864,360	3,229,855	3,324,636	3,477,999	3,604,217	3,655,981	3,786,903
Endowment..... Amount £	53,248	65,903	65,863	66,214	75,230	77,481	78,190
Total..... Amount £	2,917,608	3,295,758	3,390,499	3,544,213	3,679,447	3,733,462	3,865,093
Annuities...Annual Amount £	2187	3789	4258	4580	4952	4629	4789
Policies issued during year —							
Life Assurance... Amount £	270,000	317,946	351,558	398,516	382.077	379,704	439,044
Endowment..... Amount £	10,270	9100	10,100	8450	17,875	13,885	11,555
Total..... Amount £	280,270	327,046	361,658	406,966	399,952	393,589	450,599
Annuities...Annual Amount £	286	346	515	337	142	241	242
Policies voided during year—							
Life Assurance... Amount £	329,350	217,682	239,417	226,438	250,224	310,616	300,115
Endowment..... Amount £	8756	5864	9638	7635	8578	12,536	11,289
Total..... Amount £	338,106	223,546	249,055	234,073	258,802	323,152	311,404
Annuities...Annual Amount £	...	159	—	94	120	672	...
Balance of Transfers with other Countries—							
Life Assurance .. Amount £	11,871†	5558	17,359†	19,087	94	—17,774	—8605†
Endowment..... Amount £	162†	96*	502†	462	— 271	893	80*
Total..... Amount £	12,033†	5654*	17,861†	19,549	— 177	—16,881	8515†
Annuities ... Annual Value £	...	245*	40†	80	17	...	80†
Average Amount assured per Policy Holder § ..... £	169·44	171·45	171·25	174·92	168·80	171·05	170·18
Ditto per Society §..... £	266,761	302,254	342,312	354,421	368,036	379,388	390,178
Ditto per Head of Population § ..... £	£18 8*s.* 10*d.*	£19 4*s.* 5*d.*	£19 12*s.*10*d*	£20 0*s.* 4*d.*	£20 14*s.* 8*d.*	£21 4*s.* 2*d.*	£21 9*s.* 9*d.*
Policies secured per 100 of Population ..... No.	10·88	11·21	11·47	11·56	12·28	12·33	12·65
Estimated ditto per 100 of adult ditto ..... No.	21·74	22·38	22·87	23·05	24·23	24·68	25·26

* In favour of Tasmania. † Against Tasmania. § Including estimated *Capital Value* of Annuities.

BUILDING SOCIETIES.

BUILDING Societies in Tasmania on 31st December, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, and 1905, with particulars relating to Members' Shares, Income, Expenses, Assets, and Liabilities.

	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of Societies	4*	4*	4*	4*	4*	4*	4*
Number of Members	2625	2677	2730	2714	2552	2514	2427
Number of Shares	10,265	7501	7674	7194	6971	7494	7493
Advances made during 12 months prior to date of last balancing	£35,991	£47,213	£40,799	£29,803	£34,355	£46,235	£44,795
Total Income during 12 months prior to date of last Balance Sheet (exclusive of deposits)	£88,031	£89,869	£87,683	£82,547	£90,334	£76,769	£76,231
Working Expenses during 12 months prior to date of last Balance Sheet	£3033	£3097	£3046	£3058	£3292	£3109	£3198
Assets at date of last Balance :— Balance due on Mortgage Securities (not including prospective interest)	£263,225	£269,248	£266,812	£242,120	£220,095	£223,488	£213,987
Amount invested in other Securities, and Cash	£23,791	£21,508	£18,412	£24,211	£25,855	£15,828	£16,833
Liabilities at date of last Balance :— To the Holders of Shares	£110,745	£115,865	£115,283	£116,563	£117,263	£114,138	£104,596
To Depositors and other Creditors	£176,271	£174,891	£140,777	£151,768	£128,687	£124,129	£126,224
Amount of Deposits at date of last Balance	£140,869	£147,322	£139,427	£118,466	£96,842	£91,457	£93,065

* All of which are Permanent.

[Compiled by the Government Statistician from Returns furnished by the Secretaries of the various Societies.]

ADAMS' (TATTERSALL'S) CONSULTATIONS.

(Act 60 Vict. No. 7, and Regulations gazetted 19th May, 1897.)

Year.	Number of Events on which Consultations were Promoted.	Number of Consultations Drawn.	Amount Invested.	Amount of Money unclaimed on Account of Consultations within each year.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1897*	13	20	290,000 0 0	1052 14 0
1898	30	39	508,750 0 0	1649 4 2
1899	30	48	456,812 10 0	1041 5 1
1900	28	38	511,925 0 0	1749 19 10
1901	26	33	547,625 0 0	1827 17 0
1902	22	25	340,800 0 0	837 5 11
1903	19	31	441,000 0 0	1178 16 8
1904	21	33	553,625 0 0	1696 11 0
1905	22	32	570,000 0 0	1053 14 9
Total, 1897-1905	211	299	4,220,537 10 0	9620 0 2†

*From June 5th, 1897: First Sweep under Tasmanian Government Licence. † On 30th June, 1906.

TOTALISATOR.

(Lotteries Amendment Act, 1899, 63 Vict. No. 3.)

Year.	No. of Totalisator Licences issued for Meetings held during the Year.	Racing Days.	Total Amount Invested by the Public.	Amount paid to the Treasury. †
			£	£
1899*	26	26	14,694	130
1900	83	87	77,550	475
1901	82	86	73,417	453
1902	83	85	89,750	512
1903	74	77	111,656	553
1904	87	90	£149,710 10*s.*	796
1905	77	80	£133,089 5*s.*	£1330 7*s.* 1*d.*

* From 29th September, 1899.

† These moneys relate to the Meetings held within the year up to the 29th September, 1904. The Tax payable to the Treasury was 1 per cent. of the total sum of money placed in or upon the Totalisator, not exceeding Ten Pounds for the use of the Totalisator or Totalisators for each day. From that date the tax was 1 per cent. of the total moneys placed in or upon the Totalisator.

APPENDIX A. TO STATISTICS OF TASMANIA FOR 1905.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY RELATING TO TASMANIA 1816 to 1905.

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MISCELLANEOUS PARTICULARS.

PARTICULARS RELATING TO POPULATION, MAINLY BASED ON THE FIGURES OF CENSUS 1901.

	1905.	Per cent. to Total.
Population, Total, (1st *January*, 1906)...	181,105	
Population per square mile	5·93	
Males	93,469	51·69
Females	87,636	48·31
Males, 21 years and over.....	47,996	†51·35
Males at soldier's age (20 to 40).....	29,471	†31·53
Females, 21 years and over.....	42,784	‡48·82
Persons, ditto ditto	90,780	50·13
Children at school age (7 to 14).....	31,838	17·58
Dwellings (Inhabited)—		
Total number (householders)	35,880	
Dwellings per square mile	1·37	
Ditto having one room.....	3140	8·75
Ditto having more than one room	32,740	91·25
Ditto under £20 rental.....	23,860	66·50
Ditto £20 and over.....	12,020	33·50
Ages—		
Under 5 years	21,950	12·12
5 to 65	151,766	83·80
65 and over.....	7389	4·08
Conjugal Condition—		
Married persons	53,967	29·80
Ditto males.....	27,003	†28·89
Ditto females	26,964	‡30·78
Education—		
Read and write (5 years and over)	140,279	88·14
Ditto, adults (21 years and over)	83,427	91·90
Birthplaces—		
Tasmania	143,472	79·22
Other Australasian States.....	13,148	7·26
United Kingdom	20,809	11·49
Elsewhere	3676	2·03

	1905.	Per cent. to Total.
Breadwinners—		
Males	60,382	†64·58
Females	16,661	‡19·00
Persons	77,023	42·56
Electors—		
Legislative Council—		
Males	15,764*	
Females	3935*	
Persons	19,699*	
Electors per 100 adults	...	21·70
House of Assembly—		
Males	46,916*	
Females	41,320*	
Persons	88,236*	
Electors per 100 adults.....	...	97·20

Religion—	1905.	Per cent. to Total.	Per cent. to specified.
Church of England	88,017	48·60	49·84
Church of Rome	31,838	17·58	18·03
Methodists	26,205	14·47	14·84
Presbyterians	12,098	6·68	6·85
Independents	5813	3·21	3·30
Baptists.....	4944	2·73	2·80
Other Christian Sects	7082	3·91	4·01
Non-Christian Sects	580	0·32	0·33
Total specified religions	176,577	97·50	100·00
No Denomination	543	·30	
No Religion	435	·24	
Persons who "object" to state religion.....	3043	1·68	
Others	507	·28	
Total	181,105	100·00	

* Court revision, July, 1906. † Per cent. to total Males. ‡ Per cent. to total Females.

GENERAL PROGRESS OF TASMANIA SINCE 1820.

	1820.	1830.	1840.	1850.	1860.	1870.	1880.	1890.	1900.	1905.	1905. True Annual Rate of Increase, since 1850.	since 1895.
Population (Est. 31 Dec.)No.	5400	24,279	45,999	70,571	87,775	100,765	114,762	145,290	172,979	181,105	1·73	1·53
Revenue .... £	...	18,879	94,009	74,560	263,574	270,128	442,145	758,100	1,054,980	900,657	4·63	1·69
Public Debt..... ..... £	...	...	...	...	...	1,268,700	1,943,700	6,432,800	8,511,005	9,698,816	...	1·72
External Trade ..... £	70,000	401,278	1,855,363	1,272,390	2,030,580	1,441,625	2,881,154	3,328,318	4,684,274	6,363,368	2·97	10·01
Shipping ..... tons	30,000	51,627	151,782	212,865	234,415	212,910	413,303	951,247	1,232,918	2,119,409	4·27	8·50
Railways—												
Miles open ..... No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	168	399	594	618	...	2·67
Capital invested ..... £	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,541,272	3,088,882	4,336,448	5,046,562	...	2·95
Gross Receipts ..... £	...	...	...	...	...	...	73,740	186,934	282,991	320,475	...	7·03
Net Receipts ..... £	...	...	...	...	...	...	5253	19,594	75,683	108,414	...	12·06
Land in Crop ..... acres	..	...	...	...	152,860	157,410	140,788	157,376	224,352	230,237	...	0·80
Live Stock—Cattle ..... No.	6889	85,942	92,101	82,761	83,366	101,459	127,187	162,440	164,916	206,211	1·68	2·39
Sheep..... No.	42,003	680,740	1,089,987	1,822,320	1,700,930	1,349,775	1,783,611	1,619,256	1,683,956	1,583,561	—2·26	0·38
Horses ... No.	111	3387	11,850	18,391	21,034	22,679	25,267	31,165	31,605	37,101	1·28	1·62
Pigs... ... No.	...	...	...	31,000	31,290	49,432	48,029	81,716	62,291	72,810	1·56	0·37
Wool Exports ..... £	...	29,191	223,667	248,869	370,427	246,402	542,244	419,173	261,214	391,957	·83	6·86
Gold, Silver, Copper, and Tin Exports ..... £	...	...	...	...	...	7475	543,391	400,618	1,631,374	1,665,093	...	10·32
Coal produced..... tons	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,219	53,812	50,811	51,993	...	4·54
Agricultural Products..... £	...	...	...	...	1,042,541	...	...	962,751	1,187,091	1,476,078	...	0·56
Pastoral Products... ..... £	...	...	...	...	811,654	...	...	1,414,505	1,423,958	1,374,984	...	1·52
Property assessed - Annual value ..... £	...	...	...	...	...	...	708,348	1,080,139	1,001,308	1,137,598	...	1·50
Private Wealth*... million £	...	...	...	...	...	25	31	42	43	44·5		
Population — True annual rate of increase during last decade	...	16·22	16·60	4·38	2·21	1·39	1·31	2·39	1·76	1·53		

NOTE.—The sign —, or Minus, signifies a decrease.

* Only represents the present capital value of *instruments of production, minus* the present capital value of human labour and services. The present capital value of annual consumable wealth is estimated at £159,600,000 in the year 1905.

AREA, POSITION, &c.

AREA OF TASMANIA (including Islands and Lakes)—26,215 sq. miles, or 16,778,000 acres.

POSITION—Southern Hemisphere, between parallels of 40° 40′ and 43° 38′ S. latitude, and between 144° 30′ and 148° 30′ E. longitude.

DISCOVERED BY ABEL JANSZOON TASMAN.—Year 1642

TAKEN POSSESSION OF AS A BRITISH COLONY—Year 1803.

FIRST SETTLED—Year 1804.

DECLARED AN INDEPENDENT BRITISH COLONY—Year 1825.

REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENT INSTITUTED—Year 1856.

CHIEF PRODUCTS—Bark, Fruits, Timber, Wool, Gold, Silver, Tin, Copper.

STATE DEPARTMENTS TRANSFERRED TO COMMONWEALTH.

The formal transfer of the several State Departments to the Commonwealth was as follows:—

Customs and Excise, 1st January, 1901
Posts and Telegraphs, 1st March, 1901
Defences, 1st March, 1901.

The Commonwealth Uniform Customs Tariff came into operation on the 9th October, 1901.

POPULATION OF CHIEF CITIES, 31ST DECEMBER, 1905.

HOBART—City	24,624	LAUNCESTON—City	18,296
Suburbs.....	10,335	Suburbs	3409
TOTAL	34,959	TOTAL	21,705

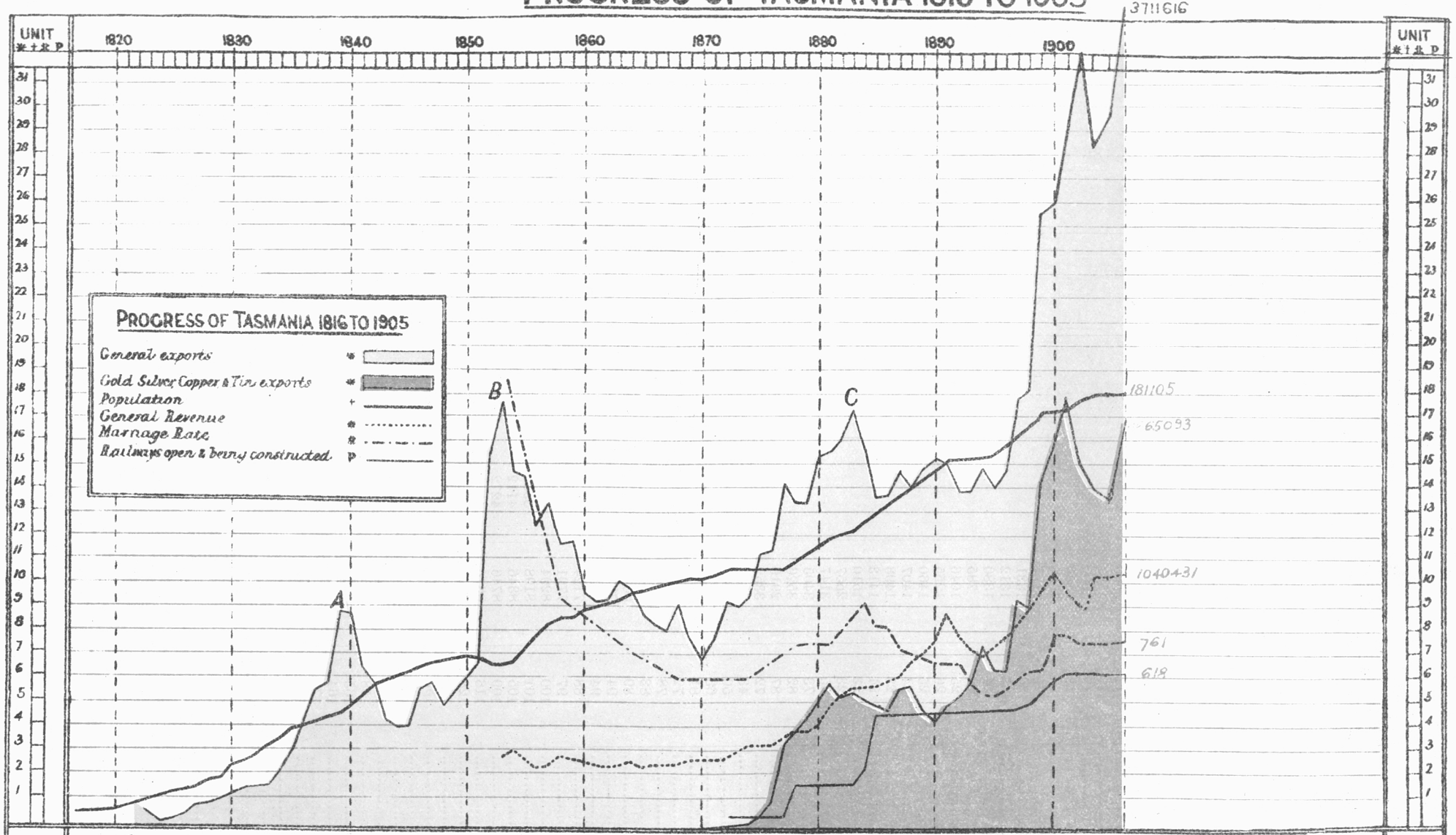
Year.	Population.					Vital and Meteorological.*					
	Total on 31st December.	Males.	Females.	Immigrants.	Emigrants.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Barometer, Mean.	Thermometer, Mean.	Rainfall in inches.
									inches.	degrees.	inches.
1816	1461	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..
1817	3114	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1818	3240	2549	691	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1819	4411	3678	733	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1820	5400	4057	1343	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1821	5827	4636	1191	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1822	7684	6316	1223	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
1823	10,009	7740	2269	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1824	12,303	9514	2789	...	...	177	132	75	...	...	...
1825	14,192	10,979	3213	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1826	14,992	11,501	3491	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1827	16,833	12,786	4047	...	...	168	245	106	...	...	...
1828	18,128	14,047	4081	...	...	309	250	120	...	...	...
1829	20,015	15,143	4872	...	...	301	260	166	...	...	...
1830	24,279	18,108	6171	...	...	460	270	163	...	...	...
1831	26,640	19,815	6825	...	...	422	282	114	...	...	...
1832	28,903	21,169	7734	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1833	34,328	25,023	9305	...	...	455	379	257	...	...	...
1834	37,688	26,977	10,711	...	...	714	557	370	...	...	...
1835	40,172	28,749	11,423	...	...	730	525	356	...	...	...
1836	43,679	31,185	12,504	...	...	684	443	496	...	...	...
1837	42,698	30,265	12,433	...	...	754	597	381	...	...	...
1838	45,764	31,932	13,882	...	...	717	403	331	...	...	...
1839	44,033	30,967	13,066	...	...	249	485	423	...	...	...
1840	45,999	32,040	13,959	...	...	404	501	457	...	...	...
1841	57,420	39,559	17,861	...	...	738	484	407	29·830	55·88	13·95
1842	58,851	40,767	18,084	...	...	1101	577	482	29·729	54·70	23·60
1843	...	...	...	...	...	1348	1140	579	29·771	55·73	13·42
1844	...	...	...	...	...	1551	786	845	29·785	52·26	26·25
1845	...	...	...	...	...	1506	697	658	29·794	54·04	16·68
1846	...	...	...	...	...	1567	736	669	29·801	53·15	21·96
1847	67,918	46,023	21,895	5538	4787	1531	953	862	29·746	52·62	14·46
1848	...	...	...	4410	3799	1653	773	799	29·746	52·33	23·62
1849	...	...	...	4191	3617	1766	1013	734	29·747	50·98	33·51
1850	...	...	...	...	4612	2025	1070	923	29·834	54·37	14·51
1851	69,187	43,631	25,556	3930	7463	2081	1103	993	29·708	53·08	17·98
1852	63,445	36,063	27,382	12,632	21,920	2114	1449	1213	29·779	52·65	23·62
1853	65,954	37,793	28,161	14,997	12,684	2233	2017	1479	29·753	52·08	14·53
1854	64,874	34,509	29,365	9525	11,280	2603	1928	1343	29·785	53·09	30·56
1855	69,962	38,680	31,282	10,887	7055	2948	1692	1257	29 768	58·58	18·25
1856	...	...	...	4956	7636	2956	1335	933	29·696	57·04	22·73
1857	82,997	47,058	35,939	6063	5231	3246	1418	897	29·917	56·02	17·14
1858	84,080	47,290	36,790	4003	4496	3138	1562	779	29·873	56·65	33·07
1859	85,968	48,075	37,883	2975	2921	3244	1410	706	29·879	55·91	23·31
1860	87,775	48,602	39,173	3432	3114	3238	1749	689	29 944	56·36	21·05
1861	90,211	49,234	40,977	3684	4861	8207	1477	717	29·873	56·88	28·19
1862	90,728	49,243	41,485	3174	4444	3149	1362	636	29·800	56·28	21·72
1863	91,519	49,737	41,782	3621	4410	2998	1418	698	29·850	55·01	40·67
1864	93,307	50,936	42,371	3711	3521	3031	1433	698	29·912	54·97	28·11
1865	95,201	52,158	43,043	3597	3509	3069	1263	591	29·848	54·60	23·07
1866	97,368	53,546	43,822	4769	4079	2805	1327	571	...	...	23·55
1867	98,455	54,271	44,184	3559	4025	2971	1418	597	...	...	22·27
1868	100,706	55,504	45,202	5043	4320	2990	1469	654	29·918	56·06	18·08
1869	100,592	56,190	45,402	6521	7159	2859	1339	651	29·875	56·10	23·87
1870	100,765	53,464	47,301	5982	5888	3054	1409	670	29·914	55·96	27·53
1871	101,785	53,911	47,874	4648	5326	3053	1363	598	29·882	57·12	18·25
1872	102,925	54,418	48,507	5665	6127	3010	1416	639	29·837	57·34	31·76
1873	104,127	55,368	48,849	6787	7039	3048	1512	652	29·903	58·43	23·43
1874	104,176	55,117	49,049	6265	7714	3097	1690	712	29·894	57·52	24·09
1875	103,663	54,643	49,020	6535	8075	3105	2079	689	29 818	58·83	29·25
1876	105,484	55,633	49,851	8571	8169	3149	1733	746	29·863	54·76	23·63
1877	107,104	56,523	50,581	9717	9279	3211	2040	831	29·915	54·28	20·82
1878	109.947	58,036	51,911	9524	8483	3502	1701	866	29·804	55·02	29·76
1879	112,469	59,477	53,022	10,578	9932	3564	1688	804	29·875	55·39	21·07
1880	114,762	60,550	54,212	10,411	10,025	3739	1832	840	...	...	...
1881	118,113	62,470	55,643	12,579	11,163	3918	1733	856	...	...	...
1882	120,834	63,909	56,925	12,822	11,403	4043	1909	969	...	...	...
1883	123,650	65,398	58,252	14,240	12,636	4249	2122	1120	29·905	56·10	24·04
1884	127,054	67,199	59,855	14,257	12,524	4578	1990	1003	29·893	54·20	21·55
1885	129,267	68,369	60,898	14,822	14,173	4637	2036	1054	29·945	54·60	28·29
1886	131,616	69,612	62,004	15,399	14,630	4627	1976	985	29·926	54·40	21·39
1887	135,988	71,924	64,064	14,980	12,288	4736	2161	939	29·928	55·20	24·21
1888	138,346	73,171	65,175	18,866	17,936	4777	2036	951	29 925	54·40	18·45
1889	142,177	75,197	66,980	23,443	20,771	4757	2098	967	29·921	55·10	30·80
1890	145,260	76,843	68,447	20,517	27,070	4813	2118	954	29·872	55·30	27·51
1891	152,619	80,917	71,702	27,315	21,233	4971	2234	988	29·943	54·20	23·25
1892	151,203	78,575	72,628	23,744	21,407	4965	2069	995	29·857	54·40	15·60
1893	151,279	78,600	72,679	18,089	18,649	5216	2071	848	29·888	54·00	27·48
1894	153,292	79,650	73,642	17,009	15,786	4852	1938	847	29·888	55·30	27·39
1895	155,560	80,830	74,730	18,767	17,168	4790	1811	847	29·768	...	19·93
1896	159,844	83,060	76,784	19,076	15,419	4603	1901	964	29·774	...	20·87
1897	164,373	85,413	78,960	20,735	16,697	4684	1947	1052	29·830	...	20·45
1898	168,746	87,676	81,070	24,074	19,323	4580	2359	1097	29·895	54·90	20·40
1899	172,572	89,672	82,900	24,959	20,805	4674	2204	1147	29·961	54·54	20·68
1900	172,979	89,880	83,099	23,056	22,574	4864	1903	1332	29·898	54·20	19·14
1901	174,380	90,343	84,037	25,084	23,751	4930	1814	1338	29·957	53·30	25·47
1902	177,465	92,236	85,229	27,550	24,572	5085	1914	1313	29·981	53·20	21·85
1903	179,487	93,078	86,409	25,163	23,205	5080	2105	1344	...†	...†	...†
1904	180,200	93,158	87,042	25,432	24,922	5292	1969	1350	...†	...†	22·08‡
1905	181,105	93,469	87,638	31.116	33,623	5256	1843	1365	...†	...†	23·29‡

* No records obtained for the years 1880, 1881, 1882. † Records not complete. ‡ Hobart only.

Year.	Intellectual Provision.			Crime.				
	Government Schools.			Number of Persons.				
	No.	Scholars on the Rolls.	Average Daily Attendance.	Taken into Custody and summoned.	Summarily convicted.	Committed for Trial.	Convicted after Commitment.	Executed.
1816	...	...						
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1819	...	164						
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1827	...	...						
1828	8	410						
1829	9	524						
1830	11	553						
1831	15	568						
1832	16	600						
1833	19	856						
1834	24	1003						
1835	29	1177						
1836	30	1331						
1837	33	1312						
1838	34	1380						
1839	22	785						
1840	25	1046						
1841	26	1255						
1842	25	1460						
1843	24	1407						
1844	23	1493						
1845	21	1413						
1846	23	1510						
1847	23	2557						
1848	65	3147						
1849	73	3405						
1850	82	3526						
1851	87	2916						
1852	72	3352	2462					
1853	43	2218	...					
1854	50	2734	2024					
1855	63	3377	2444					
1856	81	3717	2692					
1857	72	3529	2993					
1858	78	4191	2725					
1859	83	5042	2950					
1860	89	6664	3077					
1861	94	7236	3336					
1862	94	7814	3657					
1863	88	7124	3426					
1864	97	7791	3763					
1865	100	8294	4074					
1866	101	8198	3930	...	...	...	...	...
1867	105	8346	4112	...	...	...	...	...
1868	109	8746	4272	...	...	...	...	...
1869	116	9316	4511	...	...	...	...	...
1870	128	9997	5041	...	...	...	...	...
1871	130	10,194	5187	6576	4207	137	74	...
1872	139	10,491	5209	6321	4137	123	82	...
1873	141	10,803	5268	7308	4641	125	75	...
1874	147	12,158	5867	5853[a]	4433	120	63	...
1875	154	12,271	5703	6531	4438	108	49	1
1876	158	12,231	5867	7523	5659	94	51	...
1877	165	12,557	5973	6606	5140	93	49	1
1878	164	12,453	6032	6644	5131	109	54	1
1879	171	12,652	6203	7184	5641	114	67	...
1880	171	12,286	6002	6908	5418	129	73	...
1881	175	13,644	6701	6229	4799	99	51	...
1882	181	13,775	6711	7615	5942	90	36	1
1883	183	14,241	7040	8039	6394	79	33	2
1884	191	14,846	7297	6273	4843	66	39	1
1885	194	15,418	7465	5983	4876	58	31	...
1886	209	16,014	7866	6586	5253	74	46	...
1887	215	16,527	8182	5932	4806	91	56	1
1888	220	17,125	8730	6164	4595	99	66	...
1889	229	17,948	8973	7128	5122	105	42	...
1890	240	18,156	8898	6411	4962	117	46	...
1891	244	19,207	9680	6173	4760	98	63	1
1892	251	20,659	10,654	6278	4822	107	43	...
1893	253	20,475	10,175	5036	3859	97	61	...
1894	249	19,967	10,594	4954	3744	93	42	...
1895	258	19,907	10,642	4766	3645	78	32	...
1896	270	20,826	11,508	4514	3450	70	35	...
1897	282	21,759	12,022	4472	3439	69	31	...
1898	296	22,517	12,015	4336	3363	58	33	...
1899	309	23,272	13,105	4989	3941	85	36	...
1900	327	24,157	14,007	5381	4179	78	25	...
1901	338	24,542	14,259	5499	4469	67	39	...
1902	349	24,764	14,541	6171	4949	75	28	...
1903	346	24,595	13,863	5975	4877	85	51	...
1904	358	24,082	14,321	5579	4515	50	26	...
1905	365	24,043	14,112	7090	5392	59	24	...

[a] Prior to 1874, "Lunacy" and cases for "Non-payment of Rates" were included.

PROGRESS OF TASMANIA 1816 TO 1905



* UNIT £ 100,000
† . 10,000
‡ . Nº per 1000 persons living
P 100 miles

A Expansion of export trade caused by the early settlement of Victoria by Tasmanian Colonists.
B . . . . . discovery of Gold in Victoria
C . . . . . discovery of Gold and Tin in Tasmania.
D . . . . . development of West Coast Silver Copper and Lead fields.

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NOTE:- Since 1900 Revenue collected by Commonwealth has been included

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Interchange.

Postal.				Telegraph.*			Railways.				Tramways.	Roads.		Year.
No. of Post Offices.	No. of Post Miles.	No. of Letters and Post Cards.	No. of Packets and Newspapers.	No. of Offices.	No. of Miles Wire.	No. of Messages	No of Miles open.	Train Miles run.	Receipts.	Working Expenses.	Miles.	Miles.	Cost.	
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144	1400	1,189,994	1,136,338	14	241	20,535	...	78,816	12,629	12,038	...	2916	18,863	1871
146	1420	1,241,111	1,112,186	14	281	31,767	45	72,300	13,636	13,786	...	2914	19,845	1872
154	1480	1,397,011	1,249,205	23	281	39,281	45	83,682	17,093	13,652	...	3038	17,376	1873
163	1530	1,542,870	1,260,334	23	286	42,090	45	94,110	18,325	15,630	...	3075	22,993	1874
170	1293	1,695,256	1,423,438	32	468	44,626	45	89,650	19,436	16,213	...	3481	26,858	1875
177	1359	1,909,583	1,541,227	40	630	66,088	45	89,101	37,450	44,619	...	3626	29,650	1876
180	1460	2,092,082	1,718,651	46	763	79,999	45	342,654	60,186	68,533	...	3760	26,202	1877
191	1719	2,313,801	2,045,533	59	910	90,313	167½	367,469	68,284	73,401	...	3852	28,585	1878
198	1720	2,466,109	2,169,248	62	949	91,832	167½	392,908	71,311	71,447	...	4079	28,327	1879
201	1831	2,682,329	2,345,700	64	963	108,730	167½	400,945	73,740	68,487	...	4160	30,741	1880
206	1862	2,994,148	2,237,504	68	1024	147,660	167½	401,773	78,867	72,146	...	4836	30,655	1881
209	1883	3,394,599	2,484,174	94	1497	199,427	167½	405,020	88,014	75,980	61	4838	26,525	1882
222	1968	3,622,284	3,036,990	99	1543	210,274	167½	415,792	98,532	90,949	61	4576	39,220	1883
234	2106	3,828,087	3,692,257	107	1716	204,152	215½	† 435,586	114,768	95,748	13	4865	49,071	1884
246	2465	3,972,506	3,986,364	135	2071	218,155	257	532,193	126,905	111,167	13	4805	49,107	1885
251	2692	4,183,873	4,280,501	144	2353	214,738	303	587,917	131,935	114,706	13	5076	51,427	1886
258	2772	4,369,706	4,418,883	156	2407	233,811	318	694,567	140,224	126,250	13	5238	50,776	1887
278	2825	4,716,244	4,819,315	165	2505	271,769	327½	777,035	153,471	140,178	13	5322	50,031	1888
293	2868	4,814,239	6,076,363	178	2590	280,559	374½	815,986	174,518	152,172	13	5623	41,985	1889
315	3100	5,172,824	5,904,741	194	2701	353,548	398¾	880,447	186,934	167,340	13	5659	43,340	1890
328	3219	5,852,381	6,682,001	210	3178	456,396	424¾	941,165	190,226	159,327	13	5678	42,448	1891
345	2941	6,063,548	5,904,798	232	3383	329,334	475	940,843	195,297	172,046	13	5781	36,151	1892
337	2905	5,721,964	5,531,841	210	3397	283,817	475	830,716	167,094	141,801	9	5884	34,953	1893
327	2848	5,723,867	5,734,403	217	3426	260,423	475	787,835	157,660	131,740	9	6170	26,967	1894
327	2426	5,894,708	5,860,742	216	3426	273,127	475	759,046	162,415	127,708	9	5889	22,817	1895
328	2495	7,55!,791	7,205,443	218	3456	316,453	475	772,182	175,527	129,714	9	6191	22,531	1896
336	2718	7,373,874	7,373,874	225	3558	344,150	495½	824,111	202,590	147,707	10¾	6094	21,986	1897
344	2667	9,396,799	7,052,721	258	3578	372,575	508¼	866,773	227,110	165,687	11	6317	27,169	1988
355	2775	10,036,613	8,204,362	275	3680	380,687	547¼	932,874	258,547	187,529	11	6397	28,053	1899
375	2911	10,907,865	8,536,750	324	3793	370,225	594	999,858	282,991	207,308	11	6954	30,538	1900
376	2915	11,173,493	9,678,778	323	3893	363,414	618	1,121,191	299,600	234,965	11¼	7265	33,854	1901
375	2915	9,379,438	9,469,348	310	3890	368,751	620¼	1,109,049	321,735	232,206	11¼	7527	35,240	1902
378	2915	9,911,692	10,163,353	319	3784	448,347	620¼	1,060,780	307,469	200,037	11¼	7471	38,847	1903
383	3231	1,075,111	10,158,067	320	3743¾	451,659	618	1,102,630	318,096	215,023	11¼	7693	36,414	1904
379	3236	12,615,971	12,208,377	325	3751¾	496,294	618	1,104,040	320,475	212,061	11¼	7802	35,594	1905

Prior to 1882, Government Lines alone are recorded. † Total for two lines only

Interchange—*continued.*

Year.	Shipping. Inwards. No.	Shipping. Inwards. Tonnage.	Shipping. Outwards. No.	Shipping. Outwards. Tonnage.	Imports. Value and Number of Live Stock imported.			Imports. Total Value of Imports.	Exports. Total Value of Exports.	Exports. Value and Number of Live Stock exported.		
					£			£	£	£		
1816	11	...	4	...	...			...	...	...		
1817	26	...	20	...	...			...	...	...		
1818	25	...	19	...	...			...	...	...		
1819	26	...	26	...	...			...	...	...		
1820	41	...	36	..	...			...	...	...		
1821	63	...	47	...	...			...	...	...		
1822	70	16,987	67	17,156	...			22,214	57,928	...		
1823	57	17,988	52	16,730	...			15,740	24,734	...		
1824	33	11,118	35	11,604	...			62,000	14,500	...		
1825	52	13,455	54	12,435	...			88,161	23,837	..		
1826	54	12,184	56	12,523	...			99,747	44,498	...		
1827	97	18,893	91	16,004	...			152,627	59,902	...		
1828	131	23,741	133	24,116	...			241,382	91,461	...		
1829	110	24,717	111	25,742	...			272,189	127,184	...		
1830	101	26,582	92	25,045	...			255,298	145,980	4538		
1831	94	23,184	102	25,451	...			298,744	141,745	...		
1832	142	31,724	128	28,019	...			392,666	157,906	...		
1833	167	37,442	159	36,250	...			352,894	152,967	852		
1834	150	33,441	143	32,192	...			476,614	203,522	692		
1835	229	55,833	225	53,560	...			583,646	320,679	7783		
1836	292	58,142	274	52,780	47,957			558,240	420,123	56,617		
1837	344	60,960	363	57,945	46,761			563,144	540,221	104,930		
1838	370	64,454	369	63,392	24,948			702,956	581,475	50,464		
1839	452	79,283	453	77,556	14,447			746,887	875,165	136,748		
1840	492	85,081	506	66,701	21,364			988,356	867,007	93,511		
1841	484	84,214	491	15,201	44,953			851,981	630,501	24,843		
1842	468	82,983	466	82,866	41,332			587,453	582,509	10,782		
1843	541	92,501	534	88,984	52,669			705,260	439,890	4905		
										Horses.	*Cattle.*	*Sheep.*
1844	425	68,462	445	73,756	42,876			442,988	408,799	126	22	446
1845	463	73,294	461	71,422	39,382			520,562	422,218	1287	39	929
1846	515	74,795	541	79,430	37,454			561,238	582,585	1294	77	713
1847	619	86,940	611	85,861	28,682			724,593	600,876	596	8	2148
1848	648	91,883	675	95,988	27,098			594,154	490,281	550	25	2640
					Horses.	*Cattle.*	*Sheep.*					
1849	648	99,063	654	99,130	14	5265	58,824	573,730	558,682	570	20	1346
1850	674	104,017	702	108,848	8	4286	53,373	658,540	613,850	449	23	543
1851	782	120,161	787	118,991	11	6219	65,089	641,609	665,790	1086	95	5015
1852	791	135,470	824	135,989	6	4303	48,488	860,488	1,509,883	2575	125	4345
1853	1024	192,420	999	188,279	44	5786	38,466	2,273,397	1,756,316	446	110	1857
1854	1057	198,612	1028	200,398	24	6681	39,369	2,604,680	1,433,021	544	57	83
1855	885	61,212	871	159,256	62	6943	58,822	1,559,797	1,428,629	206	36	6285
1856	934	157,826	945	156,396	30	7755	81,256	1,442,106	1,207,802	635	39	29
1857	1021	164,008	1032	167,058	19	7133	41,533	1,271,087	1,354,655	1034	79	3227
1858	973	147,947	922	146,864	11	6625	37,655	1,328,612	1,151,609	734	79	3978
1859	835	120,906	857	125,089	10	5864	22,857	1,163,907	1,193,898	1021	132	1590
1860	806	116,172	818	118,243	4	5798	43,312	1,068,411	962,170	1079	17	152
1861	780	113,610	800	116,608	72	5827	38,486	953,517	905,463	1144	4	6944
1862	734	107,664	754	108,915	4	5325	22,272	857,413	919,649	1645	78	6214
1863	775	117,681	770	116,143	1	4065	18,412	902,940	999,511	1949	1010	2526
1864	807	124,699	797	123,791	15	4877	17,484	908,265	975,730	517	481	1773
1865	640	100,276	677	104,218	7	2087	9542	762,375	880,965	802	137	3537
1866	643	107,903	632	106,065	10	1343	15,523	882,107	834,606	566	14	2651
1867	598	97,390	631	102,754	20	1864	38,437	856,348	790,494	665	4	2545
1868	654	110,553	659	111,491	13	2544	46,575	845,152	920,820	363	3	1009
1869	652	114,410	664	112,565	13	1723	25,479	975,412	826,932	331	1	2890
1870	613	105,647	611	107,263	24	1640	19,260	792,916	648,709	222	3	907
1871	635	107,271	648	108,889	38	926	13,091	778,087	740,638	272	7	998
1872	594	102,379	595	103,101	14	828	5398	807,182	910,663	442	75	2433
1873	661	118,353	681	119,759	15	918	13,197	1,107,167	893,556	526	305	2586
1874	607	119,706	620	119,801	18	790	20,988	1,257,785	925,325	629	17	1997
1875	631	129,102	664	133,107	28	1211	22,971	1,185,942	1,085,976	402	178	1673
1876	639	141,181	616	136,303	30	805	12,054	1,133,003	1,130,983	328	7	1299
1877	678	159,308	680	160,209	40	904	8385	1,308,671	1,416,975	266	126	1303
1878	693	159,063	688	156,791	58	1347	10,980	1,324,812	1,315,695	287	15	654
1879	705	189,087	723	192,808	23	1476	13,132	1,267,475	1,301,097	137	5	938
1880	654	205,217	655	208,086	29	1708	11,193	1,369,223	1,511,931	101	...	385
1881	694	192,024	689	191,738	68	1953	11,458	1,431,144	1,555,576	161	...	1306
1882	733	208,934	718	208,484	27	927	4795	1,670,872	1,587,389	348	...	1937
1883	657	230,092	648	241,030	17	943	10,967	1,832,637	1,731,599	139	2	2913
1884	676	304,574	664	309,624	27	462	27,730	1,656,118	1,475,857	164	7	2966
1885	689	342,745	669	335,061	216	1353	65,339	1,757,486	1,313,693	137	...	3249
1886	690	343,656	715	348,773	83	601	52,088	1,756,567	1,331,540	87	...	2207
1887	677	360,404	714	374,895	70	1907	50,790	1,596,817	1,449,371	74	5	4005
1888	770	385,650	795	390,628	43	2975	76,097	1,610,664	1,333,865	65	1	4140
1889	842	458,247	819	453,999	151	2683	66,621	1,611,035	1,459,857	59	...	4660
1890	746	475,618	763	475,629	752	3657	60,255	1,897,512	1,486,992	72	1	4604
1891	785	514,706	793	529,900	634	4720	72,776	2,051,964	1,440,818	76	1	6696
1892	816	566,538	829	570,602	364	3981	43,349	1,497,161	1,330,144	90	2	7680
1893	693	466,312	690	468,127	125	2214	27,135	1,057,683	1,352,184	162	...	4633
1894	682	439,050	741	459,317	134	1855	20,910	979,676	1,489,041	121	...	4280
1895	711	463,979	742	473,546	71	734	15,852	1,094,457	1,373,063	48	...	4113
1896	661	449,223	678	441,538	73	150	17,951	1,192,411	1,496,576	58	2	3746
1897	699	542,049	717	542,119	61	389	18,527	1,367 608	1,774,461	80	...	4678
1898	739	574,964	786	584,029	42	1968	71,237	1,650,018	1,803,369	58	...	4246
1899	798	663,102	756	655,601	159	406	36,859	1,769,324	2,597,475	60	2	3976
1900	741	618,963	743	613,955	134	1306	31,162	2,073,657	2,610,617	39	1	5009
1901	816	706,044	820	726,681	102	1090	26,898	1,965,199	2,945,757	345	...	5659
1902	964	887,485	944	879,730	1189	15	46,628	2,442,745	3,244,508	81	...	7206
1903	928	938,371	927	935,802	1533	633	23,859	2,593,810	2,843,108	59	...	11455
										£	£	£
1904	944	1,050,182	956	1,042,399	1116	452	23,444	2,554,454	2,989,600	7152	63	39,745
1905	961	1,056,256	955	1,063,153	695	1697	53,224	2,651,754	3,711,616	15,815	200	54,658

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EXPORTS.

Timber, value.	Grain, Hay, Flour, Meal, and Bran, value.	Jams, Fruit, Potatoes, and other Vegetable products.	Hops—Value.	Wool.		Gold.		Tin and Tin Ore.		Silver and Silver Ore.		Copper, Copper Ore, Pyrites, &c.		Year.
				Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
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...	29,304	...	...	...	29,191	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1829
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...	...	...	...	2,428,500	142,921	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1834
...	...	...	...	2,920,500	171,009	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1835
3655	35,127	4366	...	3,165,900	220,730	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1836
11,563	51,818	10,291	...	3,261,600	171,599	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1837
12,274	222,911	17,328	...	3,652,560	194,647	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1838
24,624	222,814	25,662	...	3,636,900	223,667	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1839
18,575	104,566	11,923	...	3,968,100	254,853	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1840
9693	150,347	13,909	...	4,017,000	236,078	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1841
4425	95,857	7529	...	4,197,600	193,746	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1842
3577	84,656	...	...	4,672,400	176,269	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1843
6537	70,166	5047	...	3,662,100	178,647	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1844
8844	159,733	12,374	...	4,082,700	213,522	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1845
15,414	141,377	9712	...	5,241,300	247,240	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1846
20,464	101,588	11,041	...	4,029,000	195,143	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1847
34,465	114,655	17,549	...	5,274,300	202,334	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1848
55,869	118,443	23,535	...	5,855,100	248,869	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1849
32,726	172,644	38,425	...	5,783,700	249,953	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1850
89,507	266,800	48,012	...	5,624,200	245,201	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1851
443,161	315,153	123,464	...	5,857,200	326,096	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1852
306,857	341,843	106,320	...	4,419,276	325,384	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1853
198,546	421,918	163,668	...	5,858,458	378,822	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1854
112,753	303,933	66,544	...	4,559,674	319,961	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1855
133,473	388,642	108,251	...	5,701,884	393,646	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1856
10,101	288,188	125,355	...	4,755,318	397,533	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1857
82,122	302,754	92,016	...	6,107,903	467,968	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1858
73,726	214,723	105,940	...	4,537,918	370,427	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1859
55,850	211,990	83,861	5080	4,103,369	326,413	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1860
62,231	203,128	87,622	5000	5,241,650	366,350	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1861
69,881	151,252	140,093	3430	4,665,594	407,844	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1862
81,265	157,351	153,805	4810	4,972,403	415,891	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1863
56,698	123,348	102,161	6935	4,923,965	381,625	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1864
45,731	110,869	98,726	6270	4,765,221	385,405	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1865
51,747	99,352	96,917	13,980	4,686,224	378,977	*1363	*4382	...	...	...	...	...	...	1866
49,390	202,402	111,062	14,380	6,136,426	398,521	*692	*2536	...	...	...	...	...	...	1867
42,617	126,634	149,996	14,540	5,607,083	303,209	*137	* 514	...	...	...	...	...	...	1868
37,267	86,718	108,769	26,295	4,146,913	246,402	2141	7475	...	...	...	...	...	...	1869
49,540	128,005	89,414	23,200	5,254,719	298,160	3702	14,218	...	...	...	...	...	...	1870
46,614	100,281	92,748	39,274	5,998,527	434,133	4177	16,055	...	...	...	...	...	...	1871
63,246	148,032	113,661	41,015	4,243,433	314,068	3920	15,309	4	220	...	...	...	...	1872
75,422	123,595	132,321	42,284	5,050,920	350,713	4359	17,811	142	7318	...	...	...	...	1873
88,645	130,044	144,546	55,149	6,199,248	433,550	3490	13,771	366	31,325	...	...	...	...	1874
65,151	65,516	157,993	46,235	6,848,517	439,603	10,278	41,861	1616	99,605	...	...	...	...	1875
72,909	93,729	176,286	38,943	8,016,396	522,885	6729	26,904	5747	296,941	...	...	...	...	1876
72,989	37,590	171,971	22,096	7,512,662	479,165	15,305	59,124	5947	316,311	...	...	...	...	1877
59,713	24,146	191,276	36,512	7,385,002	407,227	38,895	145,723	4563	303,203	...	...	...	...	1878
51,973	40,098	149,823	30,885	9,025,228	542,244	50,999	201,655	3954	341,736	...	...	...	...	1879
56,605	23,726	194,566	23,663	8,269,724	498,400	54,348	211,253	4124	375,775	...	...	...	...	1880
52,748	107,156	247,011	26,963	7,748,542	432,768	41,277	160,910	3670	361,046	...	...	...	...	1881
46,144	37,084	221,301	135,049	8,257,765	450,367	45,052	173,561	4122	376,446	...	...	...	...	1882
50,897	32,257	210,249	35,975	8,215,101	453,567	34,848	132,010	3707	301,423	...	...	...	...	1883
45,077	15,142	225,378	27,661	5,774,142	260,480	37,498	141,319	4242	357,587	...	...	...	...	1884
37,353	55,375	249,982	14,557	8,175,780	310,934	27,757	104,402	3776	363,364	5	50	...	...	1885
37,411	17,155	218,289	13,696	9,740,230	415,425	37,252	140,584	3607	407,857	8	125	...	...	1886
71,198	11,722	157,391	13,802	6,977,038	306,930	33,560	127,562	3777	426,326	64	785	4½	107	1887
63,161	75,686	303,119	23,115	6,240,921	283,237	33,235	123,486	3795	345,407	201	2966	21	255	1888
38,302	36,869	242,216	31,348	8,984,281	419,173	27,107	87,085	3214	296,761	554	16,872	3¼	56	1889
42,904	15,499	183,346	19,386	9,378,173	418,460	34,224	133,013	3292	293,170	2485	62,138	...	...	1890
32,736	53,239	209,689	32,069	8,437,931	329,585	37,426	145,737	3203	290,794	4371	79,353	...	...	1891
18,090	27,554	207,706	13,948	8,728,524	296,442	33,100	131,104	3266	266,159	13,091	153,852	181	45,966	1892
20,347	15,297	273,330	22,215	9,176,835	263,422	52,871	212,929	3053	202,454	19,703	215,394	562	110,619	1893
31,372	49,102	239,690	18,210	7,223,219	202,341	53,511	218,308	2740	167,754	20,251	227,916	202	9677	1894
32,997	73,458	309,269	21,665	8,811,433	290,971	56,852	232,180	2703	159,038	20,817	222,948	84	1659	1895
35,656	27,921	330,792	18,373	8,144,026	264,630	58,809	230,282	2429	150,586	19,516	216,893	4564	317,437	1896
28,995	82,970	354,211	22,012	7,792,976	254,960	48,913	188,478	1978	141,329	13,940	167,618	5472	378,565	1897
40,931	167,361	342,582	13,555	8,635,422	357,757	52,946	201,235	2296	281,947	14,835	208,869	10,081	761,880	1898
42,213	61,665	390,601	19,870	6,754,027	261,214	55,320	207,162	2042	270,998	14,486	252,080	13,414	901,660	1899
47,053	101,907	519,018	24,448	9,019,474	280,347	55,527	204,165	1868	212,542	19,831	325,335	19,759	1,026,748	1900
38,463	328,947	791,033	32,773	8,348,584	263,251	46,524	176,757	2089	237,846	25,938	387,024	14,940	710,146	1901
42,867	229,700	643,036	42,831	4,881,483	195,089	34,432	125,825	2693	308,594	23,865	428,125	9604	511,801	1902
78,380	64,991	477,866	48,026	10,583,454	401,958	63,417	187,873	2152	257,256	13,637	280,137	9376	569,053	1903
90,547	71,508	443,808	51,267	9,565,979	391,957	85,830	363,561	2775	368,796	17,369	302,043	12,674	563,275	1904

* Gold produced ; no record of Exports.

Year.	Finance.						
	Revenue.				General Expenditure.		Public Debt.
	From Customs and Excise.	Other Taxes.	Other Sources.	Total.	Interest on Debt.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1816	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1817	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1818	...	...	...	...	...		...
1819	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1820	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
1821	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1822	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1823	20,389	...	...	...	...	..	...
1824	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1825	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1826	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1827	23,817	...	...	...	...	...	...
1828	33,128	...	...	...	...	...	...
1829	41,786	...	...	...	...	...	...
1830	50,376	...	...	...	...	...	...
1831	52,814	...	...	...	...	...	...
1832	58,518	...	...	...	...	...	...
1833	59,743	...	...	...	...	...	...
1834	65,722	...	...	...	...	...	...
1835	71,671	...	...	...	...	...	...
1836	70,723	...	...	...	...	...	...
1837	68,916	...	...	...	...	...	...
1838	70,805	...	...	...	...	...	...
1839	80,329	...	...	...	...	...	...
1840	94,909	...	...	...	...	...	...
1841	85,946	...	...	...	...	...	...
1842	80,109	...	...	...	...	...	...
1843	76,337	...	...	...	...	...	...
1844	63,464	...	...	...	...	...	...
1845	63,720	...	...	...	...	...	...
1846	69,841	...	...	...	...	...	...
1847	83,370	...	...	...	...	...	...
1848	77,151	...	...	...	...	...	...
1849	75,893	...	...	...	...	...	...
1850	74,560	...	...	...	...	...	...
1851	75,231	...	...	...	...	...	...
1852	115,949	...	...	...	...	...	...
1853	174,881	...	...	290,226	...	229,362	...
1854	182,489	...	...	335,908	...	327,476	...
1855	161,821	...	...	291,864	...	360,842	...
1856	133,826	...	...	244,340	...	440,688	...
1857	134,839	...	...	241,596	...	297,360	...
1858	134,608	...	...	271,286	...	293,045	...
1859	123,300	...	...	266,278	...	307,695	...
1860	118,348	...	...	263,574	...	290,027	...
1861	112,319	...	...	256,958	...	324,447	...
1862	130,835	...	...	255,266	...	285,417	...
1863	135,825	...	...	251,495	...	270,368	...
1864	127,099	...	...	273,754	...	271,366	...
1865	118,775	...	...	236,044	...	304,073	...
1866	128,476	...	...	253,047	27,515	276,663	...
1867	126,444	...	...	251,891	31,564	255,416	1,018,900
1868	131,488	...	...	258,130	41,923	259,553	1,027,400
1869	138,435	...	...	277,718	62,444	280,556	1,148,000
1870	137,035	...	...	270,128	67,952	282,624	1,268,700
1871	140,987	...	...	271,928	74,485	287,262	1,315,200
1872	138,232	...	...	273,598	79,503	290,874	1,412,300
1873	167,996	24,234	132,027	324,257	84,343	303,947	1,450,600
1874	179,563	27,748	126,421	333,732	86,761	325,195	1,476,700
1875	181,212	26,639	134,755	342,606	87,226	385,731	1,489,400
1876	185,011	25,600	116,406	327,017	87,877	341,889	1,520,500
1877	201,956	28,696	135,466	366,118	87,519	352,461	1,589,705
1878	211,629	30,703	143,604	385,936	93,833	379,232	1,738,500
1879	199,228	33,132	143,210	375,570	93,029	481,216	1,786,800
1880	228,531	71,710	141,917	442,158	97,602	415,196	1,943,700
1881	267,717	77,007	160,282	505,006	104,361	463,684	2,003,000
1882	302,955	67,901	179,909	550,765	105,287	500,801	2,050,600
1883	312,233	76,173	173,660	562,066	113,959	533,330	2,385,600
1884	268,789	76,403	204,549	549,741	137,899	577,876	3,202,300
1885	290,538	75,580	205,294	571,412	148,598	586,598	3,357,000
1886	290,523	81,021	197,360	568,904	155,844	584,756	4,026,720
1887	289,557	85,944	219,475	594,976	182,571	668,759	4,109,370
1888	313,083	92,724	234,261	640,068	184,613	709,486	4,390,920
1889	323,024	99,619	256,266	678,909	209,737	681,674	5,019,050
1890	344,703	109,728	303,669	758,100	223,652	722,746	6,432,800
1891	393,454	108,685	381,060	883,199	263,853	851,559	7,110,290
1892	336,034	102,102	349,628	787,764	308,108	919,802	7,399,000
1893	303,682	96,018	307,272	706,972	323,150	836,417	7,645,604
1894	299,661	119,286	277,848	696,795	332,197	789,806	7,779,145
1895	322,754	141,623	297,594	761,971	328,881	748,946	8,180,924
1896	347,925	119,129	330,922	797,976	326,755	750,244	8,251,778
1897	371,215	125,267	348,537	845,019	322,738	785,026	8,390,026
1898	427,963	113,040	367,220	908,223	319,113	830,168	8,412,904
1899	448,120	99,402	396,448	943,970	316,394	871,454	8,395,639
1900	490,916	153,594	410,470	1,054,980	320,151	923,731	8,511,005
1901	424,443*	111,515	714,648†	826,163	322,746	870,442	8,854,541
1902	337,941	105,401	629,262†	734,663	331,488	850,654	9,228,963
1903	366,898	150,091	706,577†	857,668	340,094	879,356	9,318,400
1904-5	330,651	216,953	635,728†	852,681	347,035	840,184	9,471,971
1905-6	326,395	248,798	651,859†	900,657	352,597	853,147	9,698,816

* Customs and Excise controlled by Commonwealth in 1901. † Including surplus returnable by Commonwealth.

Accumulation.

Banks.					Savings Banks.			Mortgages.		Valuation of Property.	Year.
No.	Deposits	Coin.	Assets, 31st December.	Liabilities, 31st December.	No.	No. of Depositors	Amount of Deposits.	No.	Amount secured		
	£	£	£	£			£		£	£	
											1816
											1817
											1818
											1819
											1820
											1821
											1822
											1823
											1824
											1825
											1826
											1827
											828
											1829
											1830
											1831
...	...	30,987									1832
...	...	34,030									1833
...	...	...									1834
...	...	46,860									1835
...	...	...									1836
...	...	105,068									1837
...	...	104,720									1838
...	...	182,530									1839
...	...	137,125									1840
...	...	99,272									1841
...	...	113,597									1842
...	...	112,753									1843
...	...	136,634									1844
...	...	287,846									1845
...	...	286,554									1846
...	...	225,089									1847
...	...	201,095									1848
...	...	177,914									1849
...	...	220.914									1850
...	...	228,445									1851
...	...	621,415									1852
...	..	340,352									1853
...	...	995,368									1854
...	...	665,586									1855
...	...	482,914									1856
...	...	501,211									1857
...	...	343,073									1858
...	...	270.194									1859
...	...	280,503									1860
...	...	223,328									1861
...	...	199,609									1862
...	...	164,494									1863
...	...	167,900									1864
...	...	174,357									1865
...	...	165,412									1866
...	...	143,470									1867
...	...	174,501									1868
...	...	207,853									1869
...	...	181,717									1870
5	658,099	173,425	1,253,404	759,658	2	...	217,413	254	129,336	623,622	1871
5	739,557	207,327	1,170,384	829,334	2	8937	234,981	377	160,090	600,476	1872
5	858,784	251,133	1,308,234	967,260	2	9691	269,607	367	229,411	601,538	1873
5	1,106,101	239,134	1,519,250	1,219,980	2	10,364	275,358	340	150,174	598,787	1874
5	1,277,585	245,458	1,546,622	1,390,761	2	11,208	289,223	400	273,807	604 347	1875
5	1,463,908	256,498	1,681,823	1,585,844	2	11,514	302,273	504	287,979	647,322	1876
5	1,726,030	305,904	1,896,694	1,863,011	2	12,261	311,441	588	277,049	636,391	1877
5	1,873,604	302,712	2,101,933	2,007,499	2	12,764	308,389	670	397,239	665,689	1878
5	1,983,094	323,625	2,158,201	2,121,129	2	13,128	298,202	721	374,407	683 077	1879
5	2,122,091	483,435	2,214,988	2,264,647	2	13,520	310,081	734	373,562	705,032	1880
5	2,600,113	516,515	2,716,027	2,755,767	2	14,728	369,278	753	407,483	714,112	1881
5	2,864,297	505,836	2,989,928	3,097,319	3*	16,367	388,727	735	705,403	745,420	1882
5	3,516,872	477,461	3,512,618	3,735,242	3*	17,981	388,593	876	704,212	777,768	1883
5	4,022,168	569,620	3,986,376	4,208,863	3*	19,061	414,503	1010	840,623	837 916	1884
5	3,640,428	584,155	3,754,226	3,814,632	3*	20,166	436,414	1120	646,711	850 781	1885
5	4,127,946	578,245	4,239,885	4,325,721	3*	21,100	429,090	1320	880,722	848,273	1886
5	3,832,137	666,119	4,080,673	4,047,193	3*	22,117	448,281	1427	860,555	869 074	1887
5	3,564,717†	635,239†	3,922,499†	3,818,363†	3*	23,090	469,928	1812	1,084,400	891,943	1888
5	3,958,848	593,405	4,462,522	4,221,404	3*	24,397	497,492	1542	1,013,334	923,657	1889
5	4,158,708	588,074	4,711,548	4,412,094	3*	25,324	521,250	1338	750,391	956,556	1890
4	4,073,631	670,074	4,428,251	4,192,791	3*	26,916	554,417	1436	928,446	982,181	1891
4	3,776,573	681,227	3,974,259	3,798,562	3*	27,499	568,778	1650	866,821	1,007,570	1892
4	3,552,953	668,245	3,589,406	3,396,240	3*	28,190	580,438	1371	989,618	1,023,792	1893
4	3,242,040	671,695	3,365,336	3,338,362	3*	28,872	609,234	1015	588,258	994,446	1894
4	3,201,276	764,260	3,358,894	3,309,598	3*	30,769	648,084	1020	470,656	989,994	1895
4	3,083,055	759,888	3,246,904	3,200,433	3*	32,803	690,739	940	468,093	977,387	1896
4	2,969,298	781,520	3,234,329	3,102,943	3*	34,518	731,648	956	416,474	974,532	1897
4	2,941,301	781,280	3,327,101	3,112,799	3*	36,619	788,126	1140	554,548	987,237	1898
4	3,016,060	645,437	3,315,493	3,172,281	3*	39,923	915,062	1205	550,856	1,072,366	1899
4	3,194,476	613,608	3,375,272	3,361,700	3*	42,509	1,009,098	1275	506,990	1,088,133	1900
4	3,187,832	578,617	3,281,911	3,355,599	3*	44,527	1,092,036	1478	596,971	§1,012,967	1901
4	3,457,678	629,117	3,439,054	3,644,714	3	46,451	1,193,899	1478	777,688	§1,023,205	1902
4	3,634,798	758,300	3,587,888	3,825,650	3	47,904	1,249,401	1817	1,005,055	§1,091,623	1903
4	3,521,467	746,465	3,576.717	3,700,476	3	49,438	1,263,685	1845	842,750	§1,058,136	1904
4	3,884,149	709,368	3,564,072	4,059.599	3	50,731	1,332,792	1584	700,896	1,137,953	1905

* Does not include Branch Offices. † Average figures for year since year 1888 taken. § Based on Capital Value.

Year.	Production.							
	Crown Lands.			Agriculture and Horticulture.				
	Acres sold.	Acres leased, Pastoral and Agricultural only.	Revenue from Sales and Rental of Crown Lands	Acres in Cultivation.	Acres in Crop.	Wheat, bushels.	Oats, bushels.	Barley, bushels.
			£					
1816	...	...	...	1054	...	...	...	...
1817	...	...	...	3196	...	...	...	...
1818	...	...	...	5679	...	...	...	...
1819	...	...	...	8330	...	...	...	...
1820	...	...	...	3178	...	...	...	...
1821	...	...	...	14,940	...	...	...	...
1822	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1823	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1824	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1825	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1826	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1827	...	...	...	24,746	...	...	...	...
1828	49,424	...	2418	34,033	...	...	...	...
1829	20,870	...	5845	38,801	...	...	...	...
1830	...	...	3160	55,976	...	...	...	...
1831	31,698	...	2088	54,219	...	...	...	...
1832	75,495	...	13,246	56,626	...	...	...	...
1833	17,350	...	7138	61,399	...	...	...	...
1834	23	...	2915	69,041	...	...	...	...
1835	47,048	...	15,319	87,283	...	...	...	...
1836	25,917	...	32,965	89,528	...	...	...	...
1837	21,729	...	34,900	79,429	...	...	...	...
1838	19,970	...	12,281	108,000	...	550,189	236,758	182,140
1839	42,451	...	7754	100,348	...	571,703	312,438	149,506
1840	88,788	...	52,905	124,103	...	839,985	351,236	171,071
1841	79,140	...	64,670	132,614	...	881,318	230,786	167,548
1842	25,770	39,079	21,986	155,525	...	531,480	242,909	138,033
1843	49,904	78,774	24,989	157,340	...	795,363	352,024	190,037
1844	6817	206,395	13,207	121,938	...	807,924	221,105	174,405
1845	1609	271,102	8102	140,953	...	...	...	...
1846	5700	336,894	15,237	152,343	...	...	...	...
1847	3701	1,962,989	20,774	146,004	...	...	...	...
1848	4463	1,363,427	23,719	171,538	...	1,153,313	756,763	331,184
1849	1770	1,335,779	16,048	166,228	...	1,111,255	456,016	309,451
1850	2278	1,524,226	28,444	168,820	...	...	...	...
1851	6154	1,836,417	30,748	151,846	...	1,231,392	456,429	198,319
1852	6393	1,913,719	42,403	123,983	...	746,960	373,152	151,136
1853	50,768	2,314,414	90,690	116,446	...	715,723	497,162	106,213
1854	34,678	2,284,214	112,225	127,732	127,732	790,588	526,547	125,835
1855	24,610	2,160,534	82,821	153,126	127,732	1,212,027	666,264	143,334
1856	14,572	2,009,477	52,434	185,519	153,127	1,253,892	513,919	124,282
1857	9392	1,901,157	58,459	205,873	134,277	1,213,807	676,877	198,086
1858	47,879	1,778,751	68,518	229,489	147,455	930,298	925,110	102,631
1859	76,658	1,751,051	74,765	208,619	146,636	1,061,518	918,882	151,991
1860	92,020	1,830,017	78,786	218,315	152,860	1,415,896	926,418	126,605
1861	100,962	2,064,268	77,720	248,064	163,385	1,380,913	751,475	169,381
1862	40,048	1,814,291	53,292	253,050	157,541	1,008,569	737,633	199,310
1863	78,570	2,187,249	66,382	267,173	170,601	953,250	1,024,134	101,852
1864	141,381	2,391,953	89,883	252,164	158,452	839,501	895,352	123,320
1865	92,113	2,274,799	68,772	250,386	159,547	1,273,766	688,740	101,504
1866	62,290	2,188,071	62,267	279,022	167,866	1,528,706	941,993	120,780
1867	30,171	1,598,063	55,249	281,383	153,588	894,814	632,461	167,404
1868	23,371	1,493,368	56,311	287,319	150,287	878,826	477,985	125,614
1869	19,474	1,441,413	53,207	318,484	161,620	1,004,579	772,765	208,479
1870	23,759	1,350,211	43,051	330,257	157,410	896,881	691,250	161,729
1871	30,884	1,396,026	32,924	340,451	154,445	847,962	593,477	76,812
1872	26,165	1,661,003	33,749	331,433	156,277	1,161,859	707,763	131,401
1873	42,135	1,652,412	34,181	324,105	144,607	947,813	561,247	124,459
1874	73,287	1,348,400	38,203	326,486	151,237	1,066,861	877,243	125,469
1875	42,308	1,463,923	44,566	332,824	142,547	700,092	827,043	165,357
1876	26,567	1,290,335	33,676	332,558	127,282	752,070	571,485	147,537
1877	39,522	1,754,278	44,325	348,841	131,013	846,420	488,350	86,840
1878	46,242	2,002,872	49,544	355,403	143,797	778,977	714,987	97,845
1879	53,604	2,023,013	48,911	366,911	156,559	1,042,999	1,065,847	182,753
1880	38,750	2,557,918	53,413	373,299	140,788	750,040	439,446	169,156
1881	31,335	1,888,053	66,421	374,374	148,494	977,365	783,129	102,475
1882	27,167	1,951,507	74,231	377,486	147,555	946,889	788,713	89,739
1883	37,635	1,902,414	66,566	393,993	140,375	732,718	634,354	81,962
1884	69,616	1,778,977	65,507	425,845	146,327	654,638	829,611	167,036
1885	53,920	1,288,709	66,478	417,777	144,761	524,353	784,325	176,466
1886	51,001	1,106,111	62,495	446,391	152,380	632,573	560,622	61,585
1887	55,525	1,175,445	65,886	457,436	150,140	675,069	385,195	52,240
1888	36,376	1,258,114	76,859	481,533	172,189	819,497	946,354	109,979
1889	51,451	630,482	70,891	488,354	189,959	756,639	1,148,935	105,574
1890	43,559	666,193	79,964	517,174	157,376	642,980	519,395	99,842
1891	31,061	636,966	84,145	516,930	168,121	937,680	876,573	71,686
1892	31,510	684,284	63,679	535,433	179,396	1,018,550	631,746	80,205
1893	20,472	651,903	53,824	550,865	191,951	833,771	837,720	110,174
1894	21,798	472,705	43,415	575,286	214,857	872,000	927,875	202,625
1895	15,144	630,035	51,272	788,120	212,703	1,164,855	906,934	138,833
1896	16,410	723,838	58,297	507,630	227,413	1,286,330	971,996	74,790
1897	25,110	833,575	64,690	499,525	242,241	1,668,341	1,102,285	69,992
1898	20,629	929,985	65,898	532,267	258,242	2,303,512	2,271,070	184,225
1899	32,890	976,457	68,574	543,568	225,126	1,101,303	1,148,160	142,721
1900	40,543	1,206,794	67,498	560,151	224,352	1,110,421	1,406,913	116,911
1901	62,709	1,429,853	61,892	573,684	232,550	963,662	1,702,659	167,485
1902	65,137	1,403,094	65,989	595,329	246,923	876,971	1,752,745	201,133
1903	88,650	1,454,653	66,203	641,162	259,611	767,398	1,621,950	212,459
1904	133,854	1,255,002	61,809	639,210	226,228	792,956	1,178,819	134,591
1905	169,134	1,171,854	68,943	670,107	230,237	776,478	1,200,024	93,664

Production.

Agriculture and Horticulture.				Live Stock.				Produce of Whale Fisheries.	No. of certain Trades and Manufactories.	Flour Mills in operation.	Year.
Potatoes, tons.	Apples, bushels.	Pears, bushels.	Hops. lbs.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Pigs.	£			
...	...	...	...	34	1956	20,501	...	...	...	2	1816
...	...	...	...	188	9868	76,991	1552	...	...	...	1817
...	...	...	...	267	12,355	127,883	...	...	...	...	1818
...	...	...	...	363	23,124	172,128	...	...	...	...	1819
...	...	...	...	111	6889	42,003	...	...	...	...	1820
...	...	...	...	550	34,790	182,468	...	...	...	...	1821
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1822
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1823
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1824
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1825
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	1826
...	...	...	...	1596	67,190	316,276	...	...	...	18	1827
...	...	...	...	2034	87,476	553,698	...	...	...	23	1828
...	...	...	...	2514	109,101	637,141	...	...	...	27	1829
...	...	...	...	3387	85,942	680,740	...	...	...	36	1830
...	...	...	...	4217	97,088	682,128	...	...	...	37	1831
...	...	...	...	5020	80,939	756,202	...	...	...	37	1832
...	...	...	...	5483	79,517	719,729	...	...	...	40	1833
...	...	...	...	7115	74,075	765,552	...	...	...	41	1834
...	...	...	...	6449	82,217	824,256	...	...	...	47	1835
...	...	...	...	8243	74,500	906,813	...	67,369	...	47	1836
...	...	...	...	8010	73,212	911,357	...	88,805	...	51	1837
11,501	...	...	...	9656	75,087	1,214,485	...	137,077	...	54	1838
11,373	...	...	...	9868	75,915	868,590	...	119,113	...	46	1839
14,934	...	...	...	11,850	92,101	1,089,987	...	93,822	...	53	1840
14,138	...	...	...	12,000	90,498	1,167,737	...	99,733	...	57	1841
16,901	...	...	...	12,414	91,614	1,227,058	...	64,151	...	65	1842
13,874	...	..	...	13,360	83,195	1,449,504	...	48,220	...	64	1843
13,349	...	...	...	15,355	85,302	1,145,089	...	54,214	...	68	1844
..	...	...	...	14,824	76,417	1,253,481	...	43,223	...	73	1845
...	...	...	...	15,323	72,454	1,313,622	...	49,376	...	77	1846
...	..	...	...	16,212	82,194	1,833,866	...	67,300	...	80	1847
18,232	...	...	...	17,196	85,485	1,752,963	29,967	49,269	1898	80	1848
22,164	...	...	...	18,507	83,520	1,712,291	31,890	37,824	2634	75	1849
...	...	...	...	18,391	82,761	1,822,320	...	49,547	2818	64	1850
49,083	...	...	...	18,271	79,953	2,213,367	26,615	49,022	4142	80	1851
15,732	...	...	...	17,699	68,911	2,219,385	32,626	36,776	3480	70	1852
16,990	...	...	...	15,455	91,803	1,942,550	28,082	30,106	3325	70	1853
23,256	...	...	...	17,384	103,752	1,831,308	22,598	27,863	2549	74	1854
36,984	...	...	...	18,358	110,304	1,835,902	22,331	44,110	2916	82	1855
29,415	...	...	.	18,019	88,608	1,674,987	30,074	53,670	2946	83	1856
29,233	...	...	...	19,857	80,144	1,912,423	34,237	46,211	4179	84	1857
37,762	...	...	...	21,563	79,460	1,504,393	30,673	49,878	2857	91	1858
41,493	89,327	32,258	...	20,559	79,950	1,679,199	32,008	63,500	2761	74	1859
33,589	118,810	22,049	...	21,034	83,366	1,700,930	31,290	57,350	2807	70	1860
47,428	106,544	29,195	...	22,118	87,114	1,714,498	40,841	60,230	2929	83	1861
39,553	131,254	26,575	...	20,742	83,143	1,616,225	38,491	60,730	2944	79	1862
36,356	168,114	25,800	...	21,964	90,446	1,800,811	41,986	30,175	2690	84	1863
30,438	128,784	13,846	...	22,090	89,801	1,736,540	50,380	19,925	2634	79	1864
41,864	160,982	13,828	...	22,152	90,020	1,752,719	36,624	24,502	2726	78	1865
40,735	128,359	15,431	...	21,567	88,370	1,722,804	33,259	36,475	2823	81	1866
37,568	122,939	10,835	...	23,299	86,598	1,742,914	54,287	22,800	2854	76	1867
27,374	169,478	25,670	...	22,272	105,450	1,569,809	55,222	52,546	2753	85	1868
34,211	132,200	23,070	...	22,583	95,097	1,531,187	49,524	48,910	2745	76	1869
36,028	147,614	27,553	...	22,679	101,459	1,349,775	49,432	35,880	3194	82	1870
22,608	142,756	20,801	785,977	23,054	101,540	1,305,489	52,863	46,350	3101	72	1871
29,447	143,486	25,097	994,467	24,244	104,594	1,395,353	53,927	27,420	3334	77	1872
24,970	174,551	15,042	825,306	22,612	106,308	1,490,746	59,628	44,000	3386	75	1873
26,169	150,978	31,020	811,746	23,208	110,450	1,714,168	51,468	30,780	3391	65	1874
24,445	136,682	16,310	1,032,008	23,473	118,694	1,719,768	47,664	12,465	3300	65	1875
27,290	153,812	23,148	839,514	23,622	124,459	1,755,142	60,681	41,740	3338	69	1876
27,106	138,215	16,583	796,839	22,195	126,882	1,818,125	55,652	31,605	3232	79	1878
27,257	137,215	18,684	801,226	24,107	126,276	1,838,831	39,595	16,920	3218	76	1877
31,103	140,277	19,340	738,616	24,593	129,317	1,835,970	38,610	13,425	3259	63	1879
32,548	155,237	22,086	644,273	25,267	127,187	1,783,611	48,029	12,045	3339	62	1880
33,565	142,217	22,271	668,846	25,607	130,526	1,847,479	49,660	22,120	3437	60	1881
37,526	234,805	24,864	1,101,243	25,857	122,504	1,845,455	47,826	19,093	3521	58	1882
35,409	207,999	30,310	811,364	26,840	130,525	1,831,069	55,774	14,685	3489	61	1883
39,503	279,637	21,772	940,631	27,188	128,834	1,720,027	57,303	11,715	3293	61	1884
53,521	292,461	24,013	768,660	28,610	138,642	1,648,627	67,395	12,600	3331	62	1885
75,773	315,128	22,434	633,462	29,684	148,665	1,608,946	73,118	6150	3356	55	1886
42,526	289,904	18,125	567,442	29,528	147,092	1,547,242	52,408	10,450	3441	58	1887
66,721	367,426	21,872	749,660	29,238	142,019	1,430,065	43,227	6165	3559	54	1888
72,275	503,013	29,828	685,031	29,778	150,004	1,551,429	58,632	4260	3548	64	1889
73,158	368,986	23,204	432,630	31,165	162,440	1,619,256	81,716	5560	3558	47	1890
63,100	604,255	65,075	624,726	31,312	167,788	1,664,118	73,529	4200	3665	42	1891
60,245	391,912	27,543	377,885	31,976	170,085	1,623,338	59,267	1920	3769	39	1892
76,769	661,350	37,312	594,917	31,587	169,141	1,535,047	51,952	5280	3654	36	1893
90,810	677,675	29,183	522,450	34,835	177,038	1,727,200	65,620	4970	3544	29	1894
81,423	510,387	31,510	543,650	31,530	162,801	1,523,846	70,142	6238	3376	31	1895
72,241	...	...	596,772	29,447	157,230	1,640,567	55,261	..	3691	29	1896
49,124	407,750	25,774	774,514	29,898	157,486	1,588,611	43,520	2350	3725	31	1897
88,166	363,915	33,738	601,496	29,797	148,558	1,493,638	45,274	...	3724	29	1898
101,670	643,209	34,629	589,793	31,189	160,204	1,672,068	74,451	1716	3971	27	1899
93,862	551,251	59,480	696,679	31,607	165,516	1,683,956	68,291	1710	3899	27	1900
114,704	843,348	50,212	650,940	32,399	167,485	1,742,981	58,716	..	3985	26	1901
163,518	684,945	49,301	898,903	33,466	177,566	1,672,685	52,092	...	3902	24	1902
171,298	977,362	76,631	864,604	35,541	185,938	1,597,053	56,538	..	4024	25	1903
110,547	1,071,015	74,882	911,686	36,565	202,206	1,556,460	77,943	...	4070	20	1904
64,606	669,009	42,999	933,932	37,191	203,211	1,533,551	72,810	...	4073	28	1905

APPENDIX B. TO STATISTICS FOR 1905-6.

AUSTRALASIAN STATISTICS, 1905.

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THE tables of Australasian Statistics which follow these introductory observations on the Progress of Australasia have been carefully compiled from Returns furnished by the Governments of the various States and of New Zealand. The general tables for each State contain a large amount of information conveniently arranged for reference and comparison. Additional tables have also been added for the purpose of giving fuller information on the important matters relating to Finance, Public Debt, Railways, and External Trade.

Progress of Australasia since 1830.

The following table has been specially prepared to show the general progress of Australia and Tasmania over a longer period than that shown in the fuller tables restricted to recent years. The particulars selected are shown, as far as can be obtained, for the year closing each decade since the year 1830, and convey a bird's-eye view of the rapid progress made over the seventy-three years ending with the year 1905. The Annual Rate of Progress since 1850 and during the last decade are given side by side to mark the varying rate of progress in later years as contrasted with that for the greater period.

GENERAL PROGRESS OF AUSTRALIA AND TASMANIA (COMMONWEALTH) SINCE 1830.

	Unit.	1830.	1840.	1850.	1860.	1870.	1880.	1890.	1900.	1905.
Independent British Colonies*	...	3	4	4	6	6	6	6	6	6
Population (31st December)..	Thous. No.	71	208	406	1,141	1,651	2,239	3,166	3,773	4,056
Revenue	„ £	105	714	898	5,802	7,424	13,786	31,576	29,877	31,266
Public Debt	„ £	...	...	58	9,721	28,328	61,724	144,640	200,937	237,926
Shipping (External)	„ tons	112	38	800	2,687	3,702	7,733	5,834	10,272	...
External Trade—										
Exports	„ £	287[a]	2,299[a]	3,773	14,538	17,846	27,794	29,619	46,346	56,841
Imports	„ £	676[a]	4,306[a]	3,881	19,280	18,244	22,968	34,980	41,347	38,346
Total External Trade	„ £	963[a]	6,605[a]	7,654	33,818	36,090	50,762	64,599	87,687	95,187
Wool Exports	„ £	64	866	2,771	5,105	11,883	13,396	19,916	15,238	19,822
Gold, Tin, Silver, and Copper Produced	„ £	...	...	...	...	...	6,775	8,979	18,814	24,887
Railways—										
Miles open and being constructed	No.	...	...	...	126	952	3,401	11,178	13,991	15,357
Capital invested in construction.....	Thous. £	...	...	...	...	...	35,540	92,684	126,462	139,435
Telegraphs.....miles poles	No.	...	...	...	...	...	24,073	39,622	44,720	47,261
Agriculture—										
Wheat ..... acres	Thous. No	...	...	...	...	...	3,452	3,236	5,666	6,122
„ Produce ..... bush.	„ No.	...	...	...	...	...	23,429	27,116	48,353	68,520
Oats ..... acres	„ No.	...	...	...	...	...	178	271	471	466
„ Produce ..... bush.	„ No.	...	...	...	...	...	3,235	5,858	12,044	10,474
Barley ..... acres	„ No.	...	...	...	...	...	106	97	98	90
„ Produce ..... bush.	„ No.	...	...	...	...	...	1,697	2,083	1,814	1,884
Live Stock—										
Sheep	„ No.	1,331	6,072	16,364	19,853	41,638	59,175	75,214	72,059	74,341
Cattle	„ No.	356	958	1,895	3,958	4,278	7,527	9,299	8,937	8,178
Horses	„ No.	16	65	160	432	718	1,068	1,728	1,649	1,453
Real Estate (Private)—										
Assessed Annual Value ...	Millns. £	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·334[b]	...	...
Capital Value	„ £	...	...	...	...	...	...	487[b]	...	...
Private Wealth	„ £	...	...	61[b]	171[b]	...	...	981[b]	...	1,010[b]
Population—										
True annual rate of increase within each of the periods immediately preceding.....	Per cent.	7·64	11·45	6·92	10·89	4·46	3·10	3·53	1·77	1·46
Ditto since year 1820..	Per cent.	7·64	9·48	8·62	9·18	8·08	7·23	6·69	6·06	5·79

* The following are the dates when the various divisions were established as Independent British Colonies; viz.—

New South Wales.....	19 January, 1788.	New Zealand.....	5 February, 1840.
Tasmania	— December, 1825.	Victoria	1 July, 1851.
Western Australia.....	— January, 1829.	Queensland	10 December, 1859.
South Australia.....	30 December, 1836.		

Commonwealth of Australia established 1 January, 1901.

([a]) Includes Intercolonial Trade. ([b]) Estimated. ([c]) Including Commonwealth Revenue. ([d]) Figures published by the Commonwealth Government; the figures for previous years are enlarged by the inclusion of mail steamers and other vessels on the same voyage in the returns of several of the States.

TASMANIA.

Statistical Summary for the Years 1895, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, *and* 1905.

Area—26,215 Square Miles.

	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Population on 31st December	155,560	174,380[6]	177,465	179,487	180,200	181,105
Ditto, mean for year	154,426	173,679	175,918	177,547	178,826	179,259
Births	4790	4930	5085	5080	5292	5256
Deaths	1811	1805	1904	2105	1969	1815
Marriages	846	1338	1313	1344	1350	1365
Finance—						
Commonwealth.						
Revenue.						
Customs and Excise £	322,754	424,443	337,941	366,898	330,651	326,395
Total Revenue £	378,175	505,930	426,632	469,792	445,621	448 839
Expenditure £	...	128,148	160,538	166,769	184,648	193,182
State.						
Revenue.						
Customs and Excise £	322,754	...	...	...	...	...
Income Tax £	46,528	17,538	11,862	37,529	59,487	70,270
Ability Tax (Taxation Act, 1904) £	...	...	...	...	24,396	28,051
Other Taxes £	95,094	93,977	93,539	112,562	133,070	150,478
Surplus returned by Commonwealth £	...	377,782	264,702	304,857	259,099	256,391
Total Revenue £	761,971	826,163	734,663	857,668	852,681	900,657
Total Net Revenue[1] £	522,342	564,071	446,852	535,629	548,660	589,023
General Expenditure.						
Interest (gross) £	329,379	322,746	331,489	339,922	347,023	352,597
Total Expenditure £	748,944	870,442	850,685	879,356	840,185	853,105
Total Net Expenditure[1] £	509,315	608,350	562,874	557,317	538,435	541,511
Ditto ditto less net Interest £	192,581	294,207	244,147	230,320	204,814	207,098
Loans Expenditure.						
On Railways £	1923	80,948	57,529	37,450	19,655	6171
Other Public Works £	111,355	261,046	181,504	129,673	131,339	124,800
Total, Current year £	113,278	341,994	239,033	167,123	150,994	130,971
Public Debt on 31st December £	8,180,925	8,854,541	9,228,963	9,318,400	9,471,971[2]	9,698,816[2]
Imports[11] £	1,094,457	1,965,199	2,442,745	2,593,810	2,554,454	2,651,752
Exports[11]—						
Wool £	202,341	280,347	263,251	174,089[10]	401,958	391,957
Gold £	218,308	204,164	176,757	129,430	190,407	300,440[16]
Silver, Silver Ore, and Silver-Lead £	227,916	325,335	387,024	428,125	318,971	399,256
Copper and Copper Ore £	9677	1,026,748	710,146	511,801	569,082	596,359
Tin £	167,754	212,542	243,990	308,594	257,199	369,018
Total Gold, Silver, Copper, and Tin £	623,655	1,768,789	1,517,917	1,377,950	1,335,659	1,665,093
Ditto per cent. to total Exports	45·42	60·03	46·78	48·46	58·28	44·86
Total Home Products £	1,305,160	2,933,878	3,227,777	2,804,380	2,900,000[13]	3,581,616[13]
Total Exports[11] £	1,373,063	2,945,757	3,244,508	2,843,108	2,989,600[14]	3,711,616
Shipping—Total Tonnage	937,525	1,432,757	1,767,215	1,874,173	2,093,607	2,119,409
Railways—[3]						
Miles open	475¼	618	620¼	620¼	618	618
Train miles	759,046	1,121,191	1,109,049	1,060,780	1,102,630	1,104,040
Cost of Construction £	3,771,558	4,961,291	4,964,681	4,981,563	5,018,867	5,046,562
Receipts £	162,415	299,600	321,735	307,469[12]	318,096	320,475
Expenditure £	127,708	234,964	232,206	200,037[12]	215,023	212,061
Telegraphs—[4]						
Miles Poles[8]	2211	2506½	2506½	2506½	2619½	2643½
Offices £	216	325	312	321	322	327
Cost of Construction[8] £	222,252	338,488	340,473	341,789	346,785	350,172
Messages No.	280,597	363,414	368,751	448,395	450,659	496,294
Receipts[8] £	22,315	37,023	37,535	37,415	28,009	36,676
Expenditure £	[5]	[5]	[5]	[5]	[5]	[5]
Post Office—						
Offices and Receiving Offices	327	376	377	378	383	379
Letters and Post Cards	5,894,708	11,173,493	9,379,438[9]	9,911,692	10,751,111	12,615,971
Newspapers and Packets	5,860,742	9,678,778	9,469,348	10,163,353	10,222,354	12,208,377
Receipts[5] £	56,537	95,411	88,430	101,611	111,247	116,132
Working Expenses[5] £	61,972	97,470	101,432	100,232	106,571	109,389
Bank—Deposits (Ordinary) £	3,201,277	3,187,831	3,457,678	3,634,798	3,521,467	3,634,148
(Savings) £	1,060,882	1,092,037	1,193,899	1,249,401	1,263,685	1,332,792
Property Assessed Annual Value £	977,315	1,012,967	1,023,204	1,091,624	1,121,394	1,137,953
Agriculture—						
Wheat—Acres	64,652	44,084	40,898	49,414	43,091	41,319
Bushels	1,164,855	963,662	876,971	767,398	792,956	776,478
Oats—Acres	32,699	54,089	55,058	60,663	43,690	42,776
Bushels	906 934	1,702,659	1,752,745	1,621,950	1,178,819	1,200,024
Barley—Acres	6178	6104	8281	8084	7646	6372
Bushels	138,833	167,485	201,133	212,259	163,194	93,664
Potatoes—Acres	19,247	25,444	34,623	29,160	25,948	28,634
Tons	81,243	114,704	163,518	171,298	110,547	64,606
Hay—Acres	54,748	61,495	66,038	66,947	55,545	64,320
Tons	62,345	109,383	89,210	115,513	73,457	90,077
Apples—Bushels	510,387	843,348	665,723	977,362	1.071,015	669,009
Land in Crop—Acres	21 ,703	232,550	246,923	259,611	226,228	230,337
Live Stock—						
Horses	31,580	32,399	33,466	35,541	36,565	37,101
Cattle	162,801	168,661	177,566	185,938	202,206	206,211
Sheep	1,523,846	1,742,081	1,672,685	1,597,053	1,556,460	1,583,561
Pigs	70,142	58,716	52,096	56,538	77,943	72,810

[1] *i.e.* Gross Revenue or Expenditure *less* Revenue from Service Departments, and Interest on Loans to Local Bodies, &c. [2] Public Debt 30th June, in 1905 and 1906. [3] Including Private Lines, 1895, 48 miles; 1901, 158½ miles; 1902, 158½ miles; 1903, 158½ miles; 1904, 155½ miles; 1905, 155½ miles. [4] Including Cable and Government Railway Telegraphs. [5] Post and Telegraph Departments. [6] Population of Tasmania at time of Census, 31.3.1901, was 172,475, equal to 4·57 per cent. of the Total Population of the Commonwealth, which has been taken as 3,771,715. [8] Including Telephones, Government Railway Telegraphs, and Cable. [9] It is suggested by the Officers of the local Post Office that the decrease in letters and packets, as compared with immediately preceding years, is due to Regulations in regard to "Tattersall." [10] The decline in the value of Wool exported in 1903, as compared with former years, is due to large shipments being held over till 1904. [11] Including Interstate Transfers, &c. [12] Owing to the amalgamation of the Mount Lyell Mining and Railway Company, Limited, with the North Mount Lyell Copper Company, the information respecting the *working* of the Mount Lyell Mining and Railway Company's Railway is for 10½ months only. Information respecting the *working* of the North Mount Lyell Copper Company's Railway is not available. [13] Estimated. [14] From figures supplied by the Comptroller-General of Customs. [15] £32,766 was contained in blister copper. [16] Includes gold included in blister copper and silver lead bullion formerly included in the value of copper and silver.

TASMANIA.

Statistical Summary for the Years 1895, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, *and* 1905.

Relative and Proportional.

	1895.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Population—						
Persons per square mile	6·14	6·65	6·77	6·85	6·87	6·91
Birth Rate	30·10	28·38	28·91	28·61	29·59	29·32
Death Rate { All causes	11·38	10·39	10·82	11·86	11·01	13·37
Death Rate { Preventable causes†	9·73	8·84	9·30	10·45	9·48	10·68
Marriage Rate	5·32	7·70	7·46	7·57	7·55	7·61
Finance—						
State Revenue per head £	4 15 9	4 15 2‡	4 3 6	4 16 7	4 15 4	5 0 6
Ditto Net Revenue ditto* £	3 6 10	3 5 0	2 10 10	3 0 4	3 1 5	3 0 5
Ditto Taxation ditto £	2 18 4	0 12 10	0 12 0	0 16 11	1 4 3	1 7 9
Customs and Excise ditto £	2 0 7	2 8 11	1 18 5	2 1 4	1 17 0	1 16 5
Total Taxation State and Commonwealth £	2 18 4	3 1 9	2 10 5	2 18 3	3 1 3	3 4 2
Customs and Excise, per cent. to Total Taxation	69·50	79·26	76·21	70·96	60·38	52·61
Customs Revenue, per cent. to Total Imports	27·82	20·49	§13·74	§13·47	§13·16	§12·31
Customs Revenue per cent. to Dutiable Goods	34·71	28·99	26·23	25·03	26·58	26·03
Free Goods per cent. to Total Imports	19·87	29·30	‖47·59	‖46·15	‖50·52	55·75
State General Expenditure per head £	4 14 2	5 0 3	4 16 9	4 19 1	4 14 3	4 15 2
Total State Net Expenditure ditto* £	2 5 3	3 10 1	3 4 0	3 2 9	3 0 3	3 8 3
Ditto, ditto, ditto, less net Interest £	1 13 11	1 13 10	1 7 9	1 5 11	1 2 11	1 3 0
Public Debt per head, 31 December £	50 17 5	50 16 5	52 0 2	51 18 5	52 18 8	54 6 0
Interchange—						
Imports per head ‖ £	6 17 7	11 6 5	13 17 9	14 12 2	14 5 8	14 15 10
Exports (Home Products) per head £	8 4 0	16 18 0	18 7 0	15 15 10	16 4 4	19 19 8
Total Exports per head ‖ £	8 12 7	16 19 2	18 8 11	16 0 3	16 14 5	20 14 2
Home Products per square mile £	49·80	111·92	123·13	106·96	110·62	136·77
Railways—						
Miles open and being constructed, per 100,000 persons	307·28	354	350	346	343	341
Ditto per 10,000 square miles	186·53	236	237	237	236	236
Population, per mile open and being constructed	325	280	286	289	292	293
Cost of construction per mile open £	7935·94	8028	8004	8004	8120	8167
Receipts per mile worked £	341·83	489·00	518·08	522·02	513·26	518·60
Ditto per train mile *s. d.*	4 3·36	5 4·13	5 9·64	5 9·56	5 9·23	5·9
Profit per cent. to cost of construction	0·92	1·30	1·80	2·31	2·05	2·15
Working Expenses per mile worked £	268·78	383·51	373·92	339·62	346·95	343·20
Ditto per train mile *s. d.*	3 4·38	4 2·30	4 2·26	3 9·26	3 10·80	3·10
Ditto per cent. to Receipts	78·62	78·43	72·17	65·05	67·58	66·17
Service Train Miles per mile worked	1597	1830	1786	1801	1779	1786
Ditto per head	4·77	6·46	6·27	5·97	6·12	6·16
Ditto per 100 square miles	2896	4277	4203	4046	4206	4213
Post Office—						
Letters, Newspapers, &c., per head mean population	73·30	120	101	113	117	139
Offices per 100 square miles	1·25	1·43	1·44	1·44	1·46	1·45
Telegraphs—						
Miles poles per 100 square miles	8·44	9·56	9·56	9·56	10·01	10·09
Offices, ditto	0·82	1·24	1·19	1·24	1·23	1·25
Agriculture—						
Wheat, bushels per acre	18·01	21·86	21·44	15·53	18·40	18·79
Oats, ditto	27·74	31·47	31·83	26·73	26·96	28·05
Barley, ditto	22·47	27·43	24·26	26·31	21·34	17·45
Potatoes, tons per acre	4·23	4·50	4·72	5·87	4·21	2·25
Hay, ditto	1·14	1·77	1·35	1·33	1·34	1·40
Wheat, bushels per head	7·32	5·55	4·99	4·32	4·43	4·33
Oats, ditto	5·70	9·81	9·96	9·13	6·59	6·70
Barley, ditto	0·87	0·96	1·14	1·20	0·91	0·52
Live Stock—						
Horses per square mile	1·20	1·24	1·28	1·36	1·40	1·42
Cattle ditto	6·21	6·43	6·77	7·09	7·71	7·87
Sheep, ditto	58·13	66·45	63·80	60·91	59·37	60·42

* *i.e.*, Gross Revenue or Expenditure, *less* Revenue from Service Departments and interest on Loans to Local Bodies, &c.
† Deaths from the specific cause of "Old Age" or "Senility" have been eliminated.
‡ State Departments transferred to Commonwealth Government in this year.
§ The low rates in these years are due mainly to Inter-State Freetrade.
‖ Including Inter-State Transfers.

NOTE.—Calculations based on population have been corrected in harmony with the latest results as ascertained by the Census of 31st March, 1901.

STATE DEPARTMENTS TRANSFERRED TO COMMONWEALTH.

The formal transfer of the several State Departments to the Commonwealth was as follows:—
Customs and Excise, 1st January, 1901.
Posts and Telegraphs, 1st March, 1901.
Defences, 1st March, 1901.
Letters Patents, 1st June, 1904.
Trade Marks, 2nd July, 1906.
The Commonwealth Uniform Customs Tariff came into operation on the 9th October, 1901.

POPULATION OF CHIEF CITIES, 31ST DECEMBER, 1905.

HOBART—City	24,654	LAUNCESTON—City	18,237
Suburbs	10,253	Suburbs	3355
TOTAL	34,907	TOTAL	21,592

AUSTRALASIAN STATISTICS, 1905-6.

	N. S. WALES.	VICTORIA.	QUEENSLAND.	SOUTH AUSTRALIA. (a)	WESTERN AUSTRALIA.	TASMANIA.	NEW ZEALAND.
Area ..... square miles	310,372	87,884	668,497	903,690	975,920	26,215	104,751
Population on 31st Dec. .. Est. No.	1,496,350	1,218,571	528,048	378,208	254,779	182,105	882,642
Ditto mean for the year .. No.	1,478,600	1,212,517	525,728	874,742	250,207	179,259	870,000
Births	39,501	30,107	13,626	8868	7582	5256	23,682
Deaths	14,978	14,676	5503	3804	2709	1815	8061
Marriages	10,970	8774	3173	2599	2123	1365	3600
Finance. (*See Tables pages* 22, 28-)							
COMMONWEALTH REVENUE—							
Customs .. .. }	3,233,922	2,537,070	1,180,244	688,041	1,030,813	326,395	2,795,546
Excise .. .. }							
Total Revenue	4,314,830	3,292,884	1,550,360	987,792	1,287,104	448,955	..
Expenditure	1,572,901	1,198,382	691,898	425,792	415,413	193,426	..
Surplus Revenue returnable to States	2,741,929	2,094,502	858,472	562,000	871,691	256,391	..
STATE REVENUE—							
Income Tax ..... £	266,933	318,135	264,956	128,756	..	82,821	261,816
Land Tax ..... £	329,998	103,536	..	94,602	..	54,776	385,756
Other Taxes ..... £	701,545	654,190	229,209	..	260,609	..	398,478
Total Revenue ..... £	12,283,082	7,810,495	3,853,523	2,863,319	3,558,939	990,657	7,650,098
General Expenditure—							
Interest on Loans ..... £	2,941,059	1,876,726	1,546,881	1,080,555	612,554	352,597	2,087,436(c)
Total Expenditure ..... £	11,386,864	7,261,415	3,725,782	3,005,499	3,632,318	853,147	6,344,218(b c)
Loans Expenditure—							
On Railways and Tramways. £	529,521	77,968	157,537	67,518	219,937	6,168	1,077,978
Other Public Works .... £	828,250	85,498	140,087	382,412	152,505	130,803	1,894,611
Total Current Year ..... £	1,357,771	932,966	297,624	449,930	372,442	136,971	2,972,589
Public Debt ..... £	85,641,734	53,078,800	41,264,467	30,082,635	18,058,553	9,800,631	62,191,040
Imports (including Inter-State) .. £	29,424,008	22,337,886	6,699,345	8,439,608	6,481,309	2,651,752	12,828,857
Exports (ditto)—							
Wool (Home Produce) ..... £	12,362,515	2,501,990	2,649,751	1,491,943	572,011	391,957	5,381,333
Total Home Products ..... £	28,039,666	14,276,961	11,682,286	6,031,619	8,996,813	3,581,616	15,503,530
Total Exports ..... £	36,757,002	22,758,828	11,939,594	9,490,667	9,871,219	3,711,616	15,655,947
Shipping—Total Tonnage	9,381,617	7,849,001	2,130,312	5,258,230	3,667,483	2,119,409	2,280,962
Railways— †							
Miles open & being constructed No.	3583	3,420¼	3401	2025½	2306	618	2685
Train Miles‡ ..... No.	12,020,139	9,023,365	5,123,637	3,933,028	4,962,320	1,104,040	6,413,573
Cost of Construction ..... £	44,179,452	41,259,387	21,683,355	14,870,944	12,306,309	5,046,562	23,320,365
Receipts ..... £	4,367,353	3,582,266	1,483,535	1,364,662	1,705,698	320,475	2,482,164
Expenditure ..... £	2,358,309	2,222,279	851,627	778,239	1,274,582	212,061	1,696,519
Telegraphs—							
Miles, poles ..... No.	16,149	6338	10,154	5588	6389	2643½	8638
Offices ..... No.	1069	969	515	295	188	327	1312
Cost or Construction‡ ..... £	1,434,017	..	1,064,975	1,267,572	..	350,172	1,210,177
Receipts ‡ ..... £	278,334	227,390	120,050	111,012	105,829	36,676	273,911
Post Office—							
Offices ..... No.	2266	2812	1360	713	295	379	1937
Letters and Post Cards ..... No.	111,858,582	119,689,071	27,309,605	29,094,568	22,106,839	12,615,971	74,767,288
Newspapers and Packets .... No.	67,676,198	59,024,143	26,848,034	10,093,090	14,799,991	12,308,377	46,826,380
Receipts* ..... £	1,022,330	708,369	353,573	274,892	263,666	116,132	684,879
Working Expenses* ..... £	970,808	627,735	415,420	259,656	302,150	109,389	578,727
Bank Deposits—Ordinary ..... £	37,071,054	36,764,392	13,217,084	7,195,450	5,645,701	3,634,148	18,612,604
Savings** ..... £	13,797,284	11,764,179	3,992,758	4,766,906	2,316,161	1,332,792	9,773,954
Property Assessed—Annual Value £	8,716,360	(b)	..	2,739,808	(b)	1,137,953	..
Capital Value £	140,314,600	(b)	42,358,173	54,736,100	(b)	22,751,972	199,676,654
Mineral Production—							
Gold ..... £	1,165,013	3,173,744	2,517,295	85,555	8,305,654	312,380	2,093,936
Silver ..... £	2,494,052	4100	102,388	1626	44,278	246,888	120,542
Silver-Lead ..... £				1484	34,471		
Copper ..... £	527,403	..	503,547	470,324	16,266	757,226	17
Tin ..... £	226,110	..	299,454	21,972	86,840	362,670	..
Coal ..... £	2,003,461	79,060	155,457	..	55,312	24,445	838,531
All Minerals ..... £	6,897,081	3,361,455	3,726,275	652,169	8,555,841	1,694,760	3,622,786
Agriculture—							
Wheat—Acres	1,939,447	2,070,517	119,356	1,757,036	195,071	41,319	222,183
Bushels	20,737,200	23,417,670	1,137,331	20,143,798	2,308,305	776,478	6,798,934
Oats—Acres	38,543	312,052	533	56,950	15,713	42,776	354,291
Bushels	883,081	7,232,425	5858	869,146	283,987	1,200,024	12,707,982
Barley—Acres	9519	40,936	5201	26,250	3665	5372	29,644
Bushels	111,266	1,062,139	61,816	505,916	49,497	93,664	1,024,045
Potatoes—Acres	26,374	44,670	10,399	9540	2145	28,634	26,834
Tons	49,889	115,352	26,282	20,328	6297	64,604	123,402
Hay—Acres	438,036	591,771	37,425	317,924	124,906	64,320	80,749
Tons	459,182	864,177	66,183	435,546	139,380	90,077	..
Land in Crop—Acres	2,840,235	3,219,962	522,748	2,255,569	364,704	230,337	1,643,088
Live Stock—							
Horses ..... No.	306,884	385,513	430,565	196,114	97,397	37,101	326,537
Cattle ..... No.	2,337,973	1,737,690	2,963,695	300,721	631,825	206,211	1,810,996
Sheep ..... No.	39,506,764	11,455,115	12,535,231	6,140,600	3,120,703	1,583,561	19,130,873
Pigs ..... No.	310,702	273,682	164,087	117,762	74,567	72,810	249,727

NOTES.—Victoria (b) not available.
South Australia—(a) Includes Northern Territory.
Western Australia—(b) Not available.
New Zealand—(a) Exclusive of 43,143 Maoris, and 12,292 residents of Cook and other Pacific Islands. (b) Finance figures are for year ended 31st March, 1905. The Customs and Excise of New Zealand are in no way controlled by the Commonwealth, but for ready comparison have been shown as above. (c) Including Sinking Fund charges. (c) Exclusive of £500,000 transferred to Public Works Fund.

† Including Private Lines. * Post, Telegraph, and Telephones. ‡ Including Telephones.

** Some portion of the Savings Banks deposits are re-deposited with ordinary Banks, and are therefore included twice.

AUSTRALASIAN STATISTICS, 1905-6.

	N. S. WALES.	VICTORIA.	QUEENSLAND.	SOUTH AUSTRALIA.	WESTERN AUSTRALIA.	TASMANIA.	NEW ZEALAND.
Population—							
Persons per square mile	4·82	13·87	·79	·42	·26	6·91	8·43
Birth Rate per 1000 persons living	26·72	24·83	25·92	23·66	30·30	29·32	27·22
Death Rate { All Causes	13·67	14·66	14·66	13·62	14·70	13·37	11·85
Death Rate { Preventable Causes	12·30	13·16	13·76	11·71	13·77	10·68	10·72
Marriage Rate	7·42	7·24	6·03	6·94	8·48	7·61	4·14
Finance (*see Tables pages* 22 *to* 28)—							
Commonwealth Revenue collected per head £	3 1 1	2 14 4	2 19 0	2 10 4	5 2 11	2 10 1	(4 0 0)
State Revenue per head £	8 6 2	6 8 11	7 6 3	7 6 1	14 4 7	5 0 6	(4 15 10)
Total Revenue per head (S. & C.) £	9 7 5	7 8 6	8 12 6	8 7 9	15 17 10	6 2 0	(8 15 10)
Surplus Commonwealth Revenue returnable to State per head £	1 17 1	1 14 7	1 12 7	1 8 8	3 9 9	1 8 7	..
Ditto, per cent. to Total State Revenue	22·33	26·81	22·38	19·61	24·50	28·46	..
Customs and Excise per head £	2 3 9	2 1 8	2 4 10	1 16 5	4 0 11	1 16 5	3 4 3
Total Taxation per head (S.& C.) £	3 1 4	2 19 7	3 3 8	2 13 11	5 3 3	3 4 2	4 8 4
Taxation per cent. to Revenue (S. & C.)	32·71	40·12	36·89	32·12	32·50	52·61	50·20
Customs and Excise per cent. to Total Taxation	71·36	70·26	70·54	65·06	79·82	56·77	72·78
General Commonwealth Expenditure per head £	1 1 3	0 19 9	1 6 3	1 1 8	1 13 2	1 1 7	(0 18 0)
General State ditto £	7 14 1	5 19 10	7 6 2	7 13 2	14 10 6	4 15 2	7 5 10
Public Debt per head £	57 4 7	43 11 1	78 2 5	79 10 5	70 17 7	54 6 0	70 9 4
Interchange—							
Imports per head £	20 16 7	18 8 8	12 6 8	21 10 3	25 18 3	14 15 10	14 10 10
Exports, Home Products, per head £	19 16 5	11 15 8	22 3 3	15 7 5	35 19 5	19 19 8	17 11 5
Total Exports per head £	26 0 3	19 12 2	22 13 2	24 4 0	39 9 5	20 14 2	17 14 10
Home Products per sq. mile £	90 6 10	245 10 0	17 9 7	6 13 6	9 3 8	136 15 5	158 5 7
Railways—*							
Miles open & being constructed per 100,000 persons	242	281	644	526	905	341	304
Ditto per 10,000 square miles	115	389	51	22	24	236	256
Population per mile open and being constructed	413	356	155	187	110	293	329
Cost of construction per mile open £	12,330	12,065	6376	7343	5375	8167	8686
Receipts, per average miles worked £	1275	1047	436	674	740	518·60	924
Ditto per train mile *s. d.*	7 3	7 11	5 9	7 0	6 11	5 9†	8 10
Profit per cent. to cost of construction	4·55	3·30	2·91	3·94	3·48	2·15	3·37
Working Expenses per average miles worked £	658	650	250	384	553	343·20	632
Ditto, per train mile *s. d.*	3 11	4 11	3 4	3 11	5 3	3 10·10	5 3
Ditto, per cent. to Receipts	53·85	62·02	42·59	57·02	74·82	66·17	68·34
Service Train Miles, per mile worked	3355	2639	1507	1854	2152	1786	2388
Ditto, per head	8·13	7·41	9·70	10·39	19·48	6·16	7·26
Ditto, per 100 square miles	3873	10,272	767	435	506	4213	6126
Post Office—							
Letters, Newspapers, &c., per head mean population	121	147	101	105	147	139	140
Offices per 100 square miles	·73	3·20	·21	·08	·03	1·45	1·85
Telegraphs—							
Miles Poles per 100 square miles	5·20	7·21	1·52	·71	·65	10·09	8·25
Offices, ditto	·34	1·10	·07	·03	·02	1·25	1·25
Agriculture—							
Acres under crop, per head	1·90	2·64	·99	6·76	1·43	1·27‡	1·86
Wheat, bushels, per acre	10·69	11·31	9·53	11·46	11·83	18·79	21·10
Oats, ditto	22·91	23·18	10·99	15·26	18·07	28·05	35·86
Barley, ditto	11·29	25·95	11·88	19·27	13·51	17·45	34·55
Potatoes, tons, ditto	1·89	2·58	2·53	2·13	2·93	2·25	4·60
Hay, ditto	1·05	1·46	1·77	1·28	1·12	1·40	..
Wheat, bushels, per head	13·86	19·20	2·15	60·39	9·05	4·33	6·70
Oats, ditto	·59	5·93	·01	2·61	1·11	0·70	14·39
Barley, ditto	·07	·87	1·17	1·52	·19	0·52	1·16
Live Stock—							
Horses per square mile	·99	4·38	·64	·22	·09	1·42	3·12
Cattle ditto	7·53	19·76	4·43	·33	·64	7·87	17·29
Sheep ditto	127·31	130·30	18·76	6·79	3·19	60·42	182·70

* Including Private Lines. † Exclusive of Cable.

COMMONWEALTH STATES.

Statistical Summary for the Years 1894 *and* 1900–1905.

Area—2,973,028 Square Miles.

	1894.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Number of States	6	6	6	6	6	6
Population, 31st December	3,467,640	3,832,837	3,886,102	3,931,277	3,988,663	4,056,881
Ditto, mean for year	3,432,452	3,802,748	3,859,464	3,909,253	3,958,193	4,021,053
Finance *—						
COMMONWEALTH—						
Revenue.						
Customs and Excise £	6,860,295	8,946,076	9,662,487	9,105,739	8,799,530	8,999,485
Post and Telegraphs £	1,697,759	2,372,087	2,398,648	2,510,263	2,630,905	2,824,348
Other Revenue £	..	23,180	16,031	14,925	29,881	58,092
Total £	8,558,054	11,341,343	12,077,166	11,630,927	11,460,316	11,881,925
Expenditure.						
Customs and Excise £	228,739	256,758	272,084	264,571	275,547	260,244
Post and Telegraphs £	1,948,616	2,427,169	2,567,519	2,692,448	2,566,175	2,630,364
Defences £	568,136	927,126	749,129	835,828	732,741	777,962
Miscellaneous £	..	..	4284	15	..	25
Total Transferred Expenditure £	2,745,491	3,611,053	3,593,016	3,792,862	3,574,463	3,668,595
Other (new) Expenditure £	..	304,857	314,999	459 632	743,972	828,947
Total £	2,745,491	3,915,910	3,908,015	4,252,494	4,318,435	4,497,542
Surplus Revenue returnable to State £	5,812,563	7,425,433	8,169,151	7,378,433	7,141,881	7,384,985
STATE—						
Revenue—From Taxation £	1,694,404	2,796,874	3,104,783	3,818,878	3,425,375	3,744,291
Total Revenue† £	20,981,564	28,315,709	28,952,932	29,133,143	29,708,844	31,266,426
General Expenditure.						
Interest on Loans £	6,672,967	8,092,717	8,270,423	8,517,954	8,243,947	8,401,362
Total Expenditure £	20,949,158	29,356,437	29,834,271	29,127,665	29,237,683	29,731,885
Total Revenue (State and Commonwealth) £	23,727,052	32,231,619	33,050,723	33,340,061	34,033,560	35,760,520
Total Expenditure (State and Commonwealth) £	23,694,649	33,272,347	33,742,286	33,380,159	33,556,118	34,229,427
Loans Expenditure—						
On Railways £	1,795,158	4,218,561	4,104,807	2,036,363	1,122,304	1,058,649
Other Public Works £	1,561,745	5,084,237	4,715,767	2,572,493	2,148,452	2,489,055
Total Current Year £	3,356,903	9,302,798	8,820,574	4,608,856	3,270,756	3,547,704
Public Debt £	170,151,153	210,695,320	219,527,888	227,487,163	230,245,000	237,926,820
Imports (Ex.-Commonwealth) £	21,901,660	42,433,847	40,645,833	37,811,471	37,020,842	38,346,731
Imports (Including Interstate trade)	41,857,955	68,129,455	67,439,090	67,468,151	70,107,723	75,833,908
Exports (Ex.-Commonwealth)—						
Wool £	15,296,650	15,238,428	12,767,010	14,001,599	17,112,339	19,822,216
Total Exports (Ex.-Commonwealth) £	33,645,023	49,685,509	43,879,633	48,170,164	57,489,216	56,841,035
Exports (Including Interstate Trade)	53,049,087	75,026,787	71,111,535	77,618,352	90,309,451	95,528,926
Shipping—Total Tonnage (Ex.-Commonwealth)	6,553,589	11,763,538	11,582,141	11,592,006	6,682,011‡	§
Railways—						
Miles Open and being constructed	12,089	14,176	14,652	15,115	15,152¾	15,357¾
Train Miles	27,101,833	41,136,206	40,329,400	35,827,308	34,816,194	36,166,529
Cost of Construction £	110,751,262	132,825,122	135,043,129	137,118,718	138,447,874	139,435,969
Receipts £	8,012,404	12,231,321	11,794,431	11,172,951	12,126,255	12,823,989
Expenditure £	4,686,005	8,344,586	8,159,930	7,512,229	7,544,933	7,697,097
Telegraphs—						
Miles, poles	42,023	46,746	46,689½	45,249	45,428	47,261
Offices	2506	3080	3098	3129	3178	3363
Cost of Construction £	5,744,000	§	§	§	§	§
Post Office—						
Offices	5791	6355	6429	6483	6687	7825
Letters and Post Cards	182,860,000	226,238,990	260,868,828	270,298,076	278,128,242	322,674,636
Newspapers and Packets	150,000,000	149,548,110	173,410,590	162,538,237	174,167,644	190,642,833
Banks' Deposits—Ordinary £	85,432,004	91,152,342	91,324,431	89,681,682	92,560,599	105,527,829
Savings £	19,673,394	32,283,227	33,460,926	33,824,333	34,962,624	37,970,080
Mineral Production—						
Gold £	7,388,875	14,193,627	14,817,128	16,297,278	15,940,977	15,559,641
Tin £	512,754	365,563	428,732	701,167	825,483	997,046
Silver and Silver Lead £	2,604,012	1,941,040	3,518,074	1,905,228	2,512,709	2,929,287
Copper £	345,834	2,771,469		1,823,762	1,628,206	2,264,766
All Minerals £	..	..	..	..	24,080,647	24,887,581
Agriculture—						
Wheat—Acres	3,856,320	5,114,962	5,155,716	5,566,340	6,269,788	6,122,746
Bushels	33,692,904	38,537,832	12,363,080**	74,149,634	54,535,582	68,520,782
Oats—Acres	348,195	461,320	592,093	620,856	493,317	466,567
Bushels	7,347,200	9,784,838	7,290,542**	17,541,210	8,832,045	10,474,521
Barley—Acres	132,901	74,561	76,351	121,088	113,207	90,943
Bushels	2,236,512	1,523,937	1,267,038	2,656,113	2,019,896	1,884,298
Potatoes—Acres	127,623	109,685	116,506	116,112	116,707	121,762
Tons	427,374	322,377	430,778	449,383	296,539	282,754
Hay—Acres	1,238,263	1,688,712	1,589,202	1,853,864	1,367,321	1,574,382
Tons	1,412,567	2,026,396	1,357,460**	2,903,160	1,442,774	2,054,545
Live Stock—						
Horses	1,666,339	1,625,270	1,534,476	1,562,934	1,595,256	1,453,574
Cattle	12,100,160	10,613,467	6,978,900	7,184,814	7,768,520	8,178,115
Sheep	100,873,057	69,977,461	54,005,276	57,438,279	65,822,918	74,341,974
Pigs	881,108	947,358	808,317	885,593	1,062,703	1,013,618

* Although the State Departments were not transferred to the control of the Commonwealth until the year 1901, the figures for the years previous to the transfer have been arranged in this form for ready comparison.
† Includes Commonwealth Surplus paid to States. ‡ Figures published by the Commonwealth Government; the figures for previous years are enlarged by the inclusion of mail steamers and other vessels on the same voyage in the returns of several of the States. ** These small yields are due to the abnormally dry season.
§ Not available.

COMMONWEALTH STATES.

Statistical Summary for the Years 1894 *and* 1901–1905.

(Relative and Proportional.)

	1894.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.
Population—						
Persons per square mile	1·17	1·29	1·31	1·32	1·34	1·36
Birth Rate	30·49	27·08	26·64	25·19	26·31	25·87
Death Rate	12·53	12·18	12·46	12·09	11·01	10·81
Marriage Rate	6·00	7·30	7·24	7·40	8·40	7·15
Finance—						
Revenue collected by Commonwealth per head £ *s. d.*	2 9 10	2 19 2	3 2 3	2 19 2	2 17 6	2 18 9
State Revenue per head £ *s. d.*	6 2 3	7 7 9	7 9 2	7 8 2	7 8 11	7 14 6
Total Net Revenue per head (State and Commonwealth) £ *s. d.*	6 18 3	8 8 2	8 10 4	8 9 7	8 10 7	8 16 8
Surplus Revenue returnable to State per head £ *s. d.*	1 13 10	1 18 9	2 2 1	1 17 6	1 15 10	1 16 5
Ditto per cent. to Total State Revenue	27·70	26·24	28·22	25·49	24·02	23·62
Customs and Excise per head £ *s. d.*	2 0 0	2 6 8	2 9 10	2 6 4	2 4 2	2 4 5
Total Taxation per head (State and Commonwealth) £ *s. d.*	2 9 10	3 1 3	3 5 10	3 3 3	3 1 4	3 2 11
Taxation per cent. to Revenue (State and Commonwealth)	40·77	35·53	38·64	37·27	35·92	35·64
Customs and Excise per cent. to Total Taxation	80·20	76·18	75·68	70·44	72·00	70·62
General Commonwealth Expenditure per head £ *s. d.*	0 16 0	1 0 5	1 0 1	1 1 8	1 1 8	1 2 3
General State Expenditure per head £ *s. d.*	6 2 1	7 13 3	7 13 8	7 8 2	7 6 6	7 6 10
Public Debt per head £	49 1 5	54 10 9	56 10 5	57 17 5	58 3 4	58 13 0
Interchange (ex Australia)—						
Imports per head £	6 7 7	11 3 3	10 10 9	9 13 5	9 7 0	9 9 0
Total Exports per head £	9 16 0	13 1 5	11 7 6	12 6 5	14 10 5	14 0 3
Ditto per sq. mile £	11 6 4	16 14 3	14 15 2	16 4 1	19 6 10	19 2 5
Railways—						
Miles open & being constructed per 100,000 persons	349	373	377	387	380	385
Ditto, per 10,000 sq. miles	40·66	47·68	49·28	50·84	50·97	52·47
Population per mile open and being constructed	287	270	265	260	262	260
Cost of construction per mile open £	9656	9650	9740	9270	9336	9359
Receipts per mile worked £	699	895	851	763	819	822
Ditto per train mile *s. d.*	5 10·92	5 11·36	5 10·17	6 2·83	6 11·59	7 1·50
Per cent. to cost of construction	3·00	2·93	2·69	2·67	3·31	3·37
Working Expenses per mile open £	409	610	588	513	509	493
Ditto per train mile *s. d.*	3 5·48	4 0·68	4 0·57	4 2·33	4 4·01	4 3·01
Ditto per cent. receipts	58·48	68·22	69·25	67·24	62·22	60·02
Service train miles per mile worked	2365	3009	2908	2448	2350	2318
Ditto per head	7·90	10·82	10·45	9·16	8·80	8·91
Ditto per 100 square miles	911	1384	1356	1205	1171	1216
Post Office—						
Letters, Newspapers, &c., per head mean population	96·95	98·64	112·56	110·75	116·80	126·50
Offices per 100 square miles	·19	·21	·22	·22	·23	·26
Telegraphs—						
Miles Poles per 100 sq. miles	1·41	1·57	1·57	1·52	1·52	1·59
Offices ditto	·08	·10	·10	·11	·11	·11
Agriculture—						
Wheat, bushels per acre	8·74	7·53	2·40*	13·32	8·70	11·18
Oats, ditto	21·12	21·21	12·31*	28·25	17·90	22·45
Barley, ditto	16·83	20·44	16·59*	21·94	17·84	20·72
Potatoes, tons per acre	3·35	2·94	3·69	3·87	2·54	2·32
Hay, ditto	1·04	1·20	·85*	1·57	1·06	1·30
Wheat, bushels per head	9·81	10·14	3·20	18·97	13·78	16·89
Oats, ditto	2·14	2·57	1·89	4·49	2·23	2·58
Barley, ditto	·65	·40	·33	·68	·51	·46
Live Stock—						
Horses per square mile	·56	·55	·52	·53	·54	·49
Cattle ditto	4·97	3·57	2·34	2·42	2·61	2·75
Sheep ditto	33·93	23·54	18·17	19·32	22·14	25·01

* These small yields are due to the abnormally dry season in the mainland States.

SEVEN COLONIES OF AUSTRALASIA—GROSS AND NET REVENUE, 1905-1906.

Absolute.

State.	N.S. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	(Commonwealth) Australia & Tasmania.	N. Zealand.(a)
Financial Year ended	30.6.'06	30.6.'06	30.6.'06	30.6.'06	30.6.'06	30.6.'06	30.6.06	31.3.'06
COMMONWEALTH REVENUE.‡								
Taxation.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs and Excise	3,233,922	2,537,070(a)	1,183,244	688,041	1,030,813	326,395	8,999,485	2,795,546
Other Sources of Revenue—								
Post and Telegraph	1,065,633	735,563	359,751	291,930	252,741	118,730	2,824,348	684,878
Other Sources of Revenue	15,275	20,251	7365	7821	3550	3830	58,092	...
Total other Sources of Revenue	1,080,908	755,814	367,116	299,751	256,291	122,560	2,882,440	684,878
TOTAL REVENUE COLLECTED	4,314,830	3,292,884	1,150,360	987,792	1,287,104	448,955	11,881,925	3,480,424
Deduct Amount Returnable to State.†	2,741,929	2,094,502	858,472	562,000	871,691	256,391	7,384,985	...
Total Revenue appropriated by Commonwealth for Expenditure	1,572,901	1,198,382	691,888	425,792	415,413	192,564	4,496,990	...
STATE REVENUE.								
Taxation.								
Probate and Succession Duties	293,653	328,628	167,566	59,970	15,707	26,336	...	127,174
Other Stamp Duties	286,505	225,685		66,480	59,200	54,080	1,583,810	271,304
Land Tax	329,998	103,536	...	94,602	...	54,776	582,912	385,756
Taxation Act (Ability Tax)	...	...	...	...	...	28,051	28,051	...
Income Tax	266,233	318,135	264,956	128,756	...	70,270	1,185,835	261,816
Dividend Tax	...	...	...	...	137,485	...	...	...
Other Taxation	121,387	97,202	61,643	19,948	48,217	15,286	363,683	...
Total	1,297,776	1,073,186	494,165	369,756	260,609	248,799	3,744,291	1,046,050
Lands, Buildings, & Public Investments								
Land Sales	1,066,741	187,969	173,990	82,307	113,549	44,240	1,668,796	37,847
Rentals	666,333	101,033	428,995	131,895	103,290	33,843	1,465,389	222,942
Investments, &c.	58,215	178,274	211,440	34,033	11,840	18,784	512,586	154,978
Total Lands, Buildings, &c.	1,791,289	467,276	814,425	248,233	228,679	96,867	3,646,771	415,767

Railways	5,051,953	3,779,153	1,534,880	1,366,212	1,650,461	241,688	13,624,347	2,338,418
Special Public Services	1,173,404	55,628	26,843	265,885	372,594	51,722	1,946,076	3844
Other Sources of Revenue	225,890	331,554	126,162	54,710	173,604	5190	917,110	366,395
TOTAL REVENUE COLLECTED BY STATE	9,540,312	5,706,797	2,996,475	2,304,798	2,685,947	644,266	23,878,595	4,169,674
Commonwealth Surplus Returned to State†	2,742,770	2,097,119	857,048	561,511	872,992	256,391	7,387,831	3,480,424
TOTAL STATE REVENUE	12,283,082	7,803,916	3,853,523	2,866,309	3,558,939	900,657	31,266,426	7,650,098
TOTAL STATE EXPENDITURE	11,386,864	7,128,345	3,725,712	3,005,499	3,632,318	853,147	29,731,885	7,122,340
Revenue Surplus	896,218	675,571	127,811	...	...	47,510	1,534,541	527,758
Revenue Deficit	...	...	...	139,190	73,379	...	...	...

COMMONWEALTH AND STATE REVENUE.

Taxation	4,531,698	3,610,256	1,677,409	1,057,797	1,291,422	575,194	12,743,776	3,841,596
Other Revenue	9,323,444	5,389,425	2,869,426	2,234,793	2,681,629	518,027	23,016,744	3,808,502
Total Gross Revenue	13,855,142	8,999,681	4,546,835	3,292,590	3,973,051	1,093,221	35,760,520	7,650,098
Deduct Commonwealth Surplus returned to State	2,742,770	2,097,119	857,048	561,511	872,992	256,391	7,387,831	...
Net Revenue	11,112,372	6,902,562	3,689,787	2,731,079	3,100,059	836,830	28,372,689	7,650,098

* Customs and Excise. Commonwealth Uniform Tariff came into operation on the 9th October, 1901.

† The difference between the Surplus *returnable* to State, on the operations of the year, and the amount actually *returned*, is due to the adjustments and balances.

‡ The figures relating to Commonwealth Finance have been taken from the Auditor's Report, 1905-6.

New Zealand (*). For the sake of ready comparison, the plan of analysis of Revenue applied to the Commonwealth States has been extended to New Zealand.

GROSS AND NET REVENUE, 1905–1906.

Relative.

	Per Head of Population.								Per cent. to Total Revenue collected (State and Commonwealth).							
	N. S. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Common-wealth.	New Zealand. (a)	N. S. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Common-wealth.	New Zealand. (a.)
Financial Year ended	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06.	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	31.3.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	31.3.06
Commonwealth Revenue.‡																
Taxation.																
Customs and Excise	s. d. 43 9	s. d. 41 10	s. d. 44 10	s. d. 36 5	s. d. 80 11	s. d. 36 5	s. d. 44 5	s. d. 64 3	23·32	28·19	26·03	20·90	25·95	29·86	25·16	36·54
Other Sources of Revenue.																
Post and Telegraph	14 5	12 2	13 8	15 5	19 11	13 3	13 11	15 9	7·69	8·17	7·91	8·87	6·36	10·86	7·90	8·95
Other Sources of Revenue	0 3	0 4	0 3	0 5	0 3	0 5	0 5	..	·27	·23	·16	·23	·09	·35	·16	..
Total other Sources of Revenue	14 8	12 6	13 11	15 10	20 2	13 8	14 4	15 9	7·82	8·40	8·07	9·10	6·45	11·22	8·06	8·95
TOTAL REVENUE COLLECTED	68 5	54 4	58 9	52 3	101 1	50 1	58 9	80 0	31·14	36·59	34·10	30·00	32·40	41·07	33·22	45·49
Deduct Amount Returnable to State†	43 6	34 7	32 6	29 9	68 6	28 8	36 6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Revenue Appropriated by Com'wealth	24 0	19 9	26 3	22 6	32 7	21 5	22 3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
State Revenue.																
Taxation.																
Probate and Succession Duties	4 0	5 5	6 4	3 2	1 3	2 11	7 10	2 11	2·12	3·65	3·69	1·82	·39	2·41	4·43	1·66
Other Stamp Duties	3 11	3 9		3 6	4 8	6 1		6 3	2·07	2·51		2·02	1·49	4·95		5·55
Land Tax	4 5	1 8	..	5 0	..	6 1	2 11	8 10	2·38	1·15	..	2·87	..	5·01	1·63	5·04
Ability Tax	..	..	..	..	..	3 2	0 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2·57	·08	..
Income Tax	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1·92	3·52	5·83	..	..	..	..	..
Dividend Tax	3 7	5 3	10 1	6 9	10 10	7 10	5 10	6 1	..	..	..	3·91	3·46	6·43	3·33	3·42
Other Taxation	1 8	1 8	2 4	1 1	3 9	1 8	1 10	..	·87	1·08	1·35	·61	1·22	1·39	..	..
Total Taxation	17 7	17 9	18 9	19 6	20 6	27 9	18 6	24 1	9·36	11·91	10·87	11·23	6·56	22·76	10·47	13·67
Land, Buildings, and Public Investments.																
Land Sales	14 5	3 1	6 7	4 4	8 11	4 11	8 3	0 10	7·70	2·09	3·83	2·50	2·86	..	4·67	80·49
Land Rentals	9 0	1 8	16 3	7 0	8 1	3 9	7 3	5 2	4·81	1·12	9·43	4·01	2·60	..	4·10	2·92
Investments, &c.	0 10	2 11	8 0	1 9	0 11	2 1	2 6	3 7	·42	1·98	4·65	1·03	·29	..	1·43	2·02
Total Lands, Buildings, &c.	24 3	7 8	30 10	13 1	17 11	10 9	18 0	9 7	12·93	5·19	17·91	7·54	5·75	8·86	10·20	5·43
Railways	68 4	62 4	58 2	72 3	129 7	26 11	67 3	53 9	36·46	42·01	33·75	41·50	41·54	22·11	38·10	30·57
Special Public Services	15 11	0 11	1 0	14 1	29 3	6 0	9 7	..	8·47	·62	·59	8·07	9·38	4·73	5·44	·04
Other Sources of Revenue	3 0	5 6	4 9	2 11	13 7	0 6	4 6	8 5	1·64	3·69	2·78	1·66	4·37	·47	2·55	4·79
TOTAL REVENUE COLLECTED BY STATE	129 1	94 2	113 6	121 10	210 10	71 11	117 10	95 10	68·86	63·42	65·90	70·00	67·60	58·93	66·76	54·50
Commonwealth Surplus Returned to State†	37 2	34 7	32 6	29 9	68 6	28 7	36 6	80 0	19·78	23·30	18·84	17·06	21·97	23·45	20·66	45·50
TOTAL STATE REVENUE	166 3	128 9	146 0	151 7	279 5	100 6	154 4	175 10	88·64	86·72	84·74	87·06	89·57	82·38	87·42	100.00
TOTAL STATE EXPENDITURE	154 1	117 7	141 2	158 11	285 2	95 2	146 9	163 9	82·16	79·21	81·94	91·26	91·42	78·04	83·13	93·10
Revenue.. Surplus	12 2	11 2	4 10	..	..	5 4	7 7	12 1	6·48	7·50	2·80	..	1·85	4·34	4·29	6·90
Revenue.. Deficit	..	..	..	7 4	5 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	4·20	..	..	..	..
Commonwealth and State Revenue.																
Taxation	61 4	59 7	63 7	55 11	101 5	64 2	62 11	88 4	32·70	40·12	36·90	32·13	32·51	52·61	35·65	50·22
Other Revenue	126 1	88 11	108 8	118 2	216 5	57 10	107 9	87 6	67·30	50·88	63·10	67·87	67·49	47·39	64·35	49·79
Total Gross Revenue	187 5	148 6	172 3	174 1	317 10	122 0	176 8	175 10	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
Total Net Revenue	150 3	113 11	139 10	144 5	311 10	93 4	140 1	175 10	80·34	76·70	81·14	82·95	78·02	76·54	79·34	100·00

* † ‡ (*a*) For Notes.—See preceding page.

SEVEN COLONIES OF AUSTRALASIA.—GROSS AND NET EXPENDITURE, YEAR 1905-1906.

Absolute.

	N. S. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total Commonwealth.	N Zealand [a]
Year ended	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	30.6.06	31.3.06
COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE.								
Transferred Functions—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Trade and Customs	72,764	66,530	50,148	26,668	34,762	9372	260,244	44,452
Post and Telegraphs	930,416	630,526	419,105	252,917	283,005	114,395	2,630,364	577,115
Defences	269,553	252,062	114,631	68,842	45,261	32,613	777,962	156,555
Sundries	25	...	...	...	...	...	25	...
TOTAL TRANSFERRED DEPARTMENTS	1,267,758	949,118	583,894	348,427	363,028	156,380	3,668,595	778,122
New Works of Construction and Equipment of Transferred Departments*—								
Trade and Customs	667	545	236	170	114	80	1814	
Post and Telegraphs	53,955	44,076	19,099	13,679	9215	6551	146,575	
Defence	63,181	51,610	22,364	16,018	10,791	7671	171,633	
TOTAL NEW WORKS	117,803	96,231	41,699	29,867	20,120	14,302	320,022	
New Federal Expenditure—								
Governor-General	8746	7144	3096	2217	1494	1062	23,759	
Parliament	48,674	39,760	17,229	12,341	8313	5909	132,226	
New Departments, &c.	72,971	59,609	25,832	18,501	12,462	8869	198,234	
	130,391	106,513	46,157	33,059	22,269	15,830	354,219	
Sugar Bounties	56,949	46,520	20,158	14,439	9726	6914	154,706	
GROSS EXPENDITURE	1,572,901	1,198,382	691,898	425,792	415,143	193,426	4,497,542	(778,122)
Deduct Post and Telegraph Receipts, etc.	1,065,633	735,563	359,751	291,930	252,741	118,730	2,824,348	684,878
Net Expenditure	507,268	462,819	332,147	133,862	162,402	74,696	1,673,194	(93,244)
STATE EXPENDITURE.								
Excluding Surplus Revenue (£7,387,831) returned to States.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest on Public Debt	2,941,059	1,876,726	1,546,881	1,080,555	612,544	352,597	8,410,362	2,087,436
Railways (Working Expenses)	2,966,473	2,038,103	861,356	788,069	1,235,096	172,601	8,061,698	1,594,954
Ditto (Construction)	1764	—	—	—	—	—	1764	—
Other Public Works	1,044,204	267,403	183,358	115,864	400,254	15,037	2,026,120	124,048
Mines	57,916	64,175	29,139	35,007	46,648	5278	238,163	17,339
Police	434,683	270,661	176,087	85,016	124,023	39,736	1,125,206	135,253
Harbours, Lights, and Beacons	114,128	32,501	44,955	23,116	16,965	—	231,665	108,543
Water Supply and Sewerage	152,600	43,573	2653	46,386	[a]	—	245,212	5321
Quarantine	2448	—	125	630	[b]	—	3203	—
Education	931,609	667,549	332,715	182,963	163,011	63,714	2,291,561	714,071
Hospitals	498,962	288,625	125,969	59,652	97,565	29,981	1,195,574	131,102
Charitable Institutions				45,966	34,764	14,690		
All other Expenditure	2,241,018	1,629,629	422,474	542,275	901,448	164,513	5,901,357	1,426,151
GROSS EXPENDITURE	11,386,864	7,128,345	3,725,712	3,005,499	3,632,318	853,147	29,731,885	6,344,218
Deduct Railway Receipts	5,051,953	3,779,153	1,534,880	1,366,212	1,650,461	141,688	13,624,347	2,338,418
Net Expenditure	6,334,911	3,349,192	2,190,832	1,639,287	1,981,857	611,459	16,107,538	4,005,800
COMMONWEALTH AND STATE EXPENDITURE.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Gross Expenditure	12,959,765	8,326,727	4,417,610	3,431,291	4,047,461	1,046,573	34,229,427	7,122,340
Net Expenditure	6,842,179	3,812,011	2,522,979	1,773,149	2,144,259	686,155	17,780,732	4,099,044

Western Australia—[a] Included in other Public Works, [b] Included in Hospitals.

New Zealand—[a] For the sake of ready comparison, the plan of analysis of Expenditure applied to the Commonwealth States has been extended to New Zealand.

REVENUE EXPENDITURE YEAR 1905–6.

Relative.

State	Per Head of Population.								Per cent. to Total.							
	N.S. Wales.	Victoria.[a]	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.	New Zealand.[a]	N.S. Wales.	Victoria.[a]	Queensland.	South Australia.	West Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.	New Zealand.[a]
Year ended	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	..	31·3·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	30·6·06	..	31·3·06
							*Commonwealth Expenditure.**									
Transferred Expenditure—	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*	*s. d.*								
Customs and Excise	1 0	1 1	1 11	1 5	2 9	1 0	1 3	1 0	0·86	0·80	1·14	0·78	0·86	0·90	0·76	0·62
Post and Telegraphs	12 7	10 5	15 11	13 4	22 3	12 9	13 0	13 3	7·18	7·57	9·49	7·37	6·99	10·93	7·68	8·10
Defences	3 7	4 2	4 4	3 8	3 6	3 8	3 10	3 8	2·04	3·03	2·59	2·01	1·12	3·11	2·28	2·21
Total Transferred Departments	17 2	15 8	22 2	18 5	28 6	17 5	18 1	17 11	9·78	11·40	13·22	10·16	8·97	14·94	10·72	10·93
New Works of Construction and Equipment of transferred Department†—																
Trade and Customs	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0·01	0·01	..	..	0·01	..	..
Post and Telegraphs	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	..	0·42	0·53	0·43	0·40	0·23	0·64	0·43	.
Defence	0 10	0 10	0 10	0 10	0 10	0 10	0 10	..	0·49	0·62	0·50	0·47	0·27	0·73	9·50	..
Printing Office	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total New Works	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	1 7	..	0·91	1·16	1·94	0·87	0·50	1·37	0·93	..
New Federal Expenditure—																
Governor General	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 1	..	0·07	0·09	0·07	0·06	0·04	0·10	0·07	..
Parliament	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	0 8	..	0·38	0·48	0·39	0·36	0·21	0·56	0·39	..
New Departments, &c.	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	1 0	..	0·56	0·71	0·58	0·54	0·30	0·85	0·58	..
	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	1 9	..	1·01	1·28	1·04	0·96	0·55	1·51	1·04	..
Sugar Bounties	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	0 9	..	0·44	0·55	0·46	0·42	0·24	0·66	0·45	..
Gross Expenditure	21 3	19 9	26 3	22 6	32 7	21 7	22 3	17 11	12·14	14·39	15·66	12·41	10·26	18·48	13·14	10·93
Deduct Post and Telegraph Receipts	14 5	12 2	13 8	15 5	19 10	13 3	14 0	15 9	8·22	8·83	8·14	8·51	6·24	11·35	8·25	9·62
Net Expenditure	6 10	7 7	12 7	7 1	12 9	8 4	8 3	2 2	3·92	5·56	7·52	3·90	4·02	7·13	4·89	1·31

State Expenditure.

Interest on Public Debt	39 10	30 11	58 7	57 2	48 1	39 4	41 5	48 0	23·70	22·54	35·02	31·49	15·14	33·69	24·57	29·31
Railways, Working Expenses	40 2	33 8	32 8	41 8	96 11	19 3	39 10	36 8	22·89	24·68	19·50	22·97	30·52	16·49	23·55	22·39
Ditto, Construction	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0·20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Public Works	14 2	4 5	6 11	6 1	3 5	1 8	10 0	2 10	8·06	3·21	4·15	3·38	9·89	1·44	5·92	1·74
Mines	0 9	1 1	1 1	1 10	3 8	0 7	1 2	0 5	0·45	0·77	0·66	1·02	1·15	0·50	0·70	0·24
Police	5 11	4 5	6 8	4 6	7 9	3 11	5 7	3 2	3·35	3·25	3·99	2·48	3·06	3·32	3·49	1·90
Harbours, Lights, and Beacons	1 7	0 7	1 9	1 3	1 4	..	1 2	2 6	0·88	0·39	1·02	0·67	0·42	..	0·68	1·52
Water Supply and Sewerage	2 1	0 9	0 1	2 6	..	..	1 3	0 1	1·18	0·52	0·06	1·35	..	..	0·72	0·07
Quarantine	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0·22	..	..	..	..	..	0·01	..
Education	12 6	10 2	12 7	9 9	12 10	7 1	11 4	16 5	7·19	7·42	7·53	5·36	4·03	6·09	6·69	10·03
Hospitals	6 9	4 8	4 10	3 2	7 8	3 4	5 10	3 0	3·85	3·46	2·85	1·74	2·41	2·86	3·49	1·84
Charitable Institutions				2 5	2 9	1 8						1·34	0·86	1·40		
All other Expenditure	30 4	26 11	16 0	28 7	70 9	18 4	29 2	32 9	17·29	19·57	9·56	15·79	22·26	15·73	17·24	20·03
Gross State Expenditure	154 1	117 7	141 2	158 11	285 2	95 2	146 9	145 10	87·86	85·61	84·34	87·59	89·74	81·52	86·86	89·07
Net State Expenditure	85 9	55 3	83 0	72 3	129 7	68 3	79 6	92 1	48·88	40·24	49·59	39·82	48·96	58·43	47·05	56·24
Gross Expenditure	175 4	137 4	167 4	181 5	317 10	116 10	168 11	163 9	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
Net Expenditure	92 7	62 11	95 7	93 9	168 4	76 7	87 9	94 3	52·80	45·76	57·10	51·68	52·98	65·56	51·95	57·56

Notes. – See preceding table.

FEDERAL FINANCE.

STATEMENT showing approximately the Financial Results to the several Federating States' Treasuries by the administration of Customs and Excise, and of transferred Departments, immediately prior and subsequent to transfer to Commonwealth; also showing the differences to each State Treasury, on the assumption that the Aggregate Revenue Surplus was distributed on the Population Basis instead of on the existing "Bookkeeping" Method.

STATE.	1899–1900. Last Year State Control.			1905–6. Latest Financial Year under control of Commonwealth.			Revenue Surplus 1905-6, compared with 1899-1900 on—			
							Bookkeeping Base (actual).		Population Base.	
	Customs and Excise Revenue.	Net Expenditure.	Balance Surplus.	Customs and Excise Revenue.	Net Expenditure.	Balance Surplus.	Gain.	Loss.	Gain.	Loss.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	1,735,621	255,946	1,479,675	3,233,922	491,993	2,741,929	1,262,254	...	1,238,516	...
Victoria	2,267,131	206,250	2,060,881	2,537,070	442,568	2,094,502	33,621	...	159,603	...
Queensland	1,610,113	216,010	1,394,103	1,183,244	324,782	858,462	...	535,641	...	431,918
South Australia	643,075	4761	638,314	688,041	126,041	562,000	...	76,314	50,649	...
West Australia	933,717	91,450	842,267	1,030,813	158,852	871,961	29,694	...	...	377,789
Tasmania	492,459	15,602	476,857	326,395	70,866	255,529	...	221,328	...	146,775
Six States	7,682,116	790,019	6,892,097	8,999,485	1,615,102	7,384,383	1,325,569	833,283	1,448,768	956,482
Above 1899–1900	...	...	...	1,317.369	825,093	492,286	492,286	...	492,286	...
Ditto per cent.	...	...	...	17·15	104·42	7·14	...	...	...	...

PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
New South Wales	25 10	3 10	22 0	43 4	6 7	36 9	16 11	...	16 7	...
Victoria	38 1	3 5	34 8	41 8	7 3	34 5	0 7	...	1 11	...
Queensland	66 9	8 11	57 10	44 10	12 4	32 6	...	20 4	...	17 1
South Australia	35 10	0 3	35 7	36 5	6 8	29 9	...	4 1	2 7	...
West Australia	109 2	10 8	98 6	80 11	12 6	68 5	2 4	...	...	29 8
Tasmania	57 0	1 10	55 2	36 5	7 11	28 6	...	24 8	...	12 11
Six States	41 4	4 3	37 1	44 5	8 0	36 5	2 5	...	2 5	...

Local State Direct Taxation Before and Since Federal Transfer.

	1899-1900. Last Year State Control.		1905-6. Last Year Since Transfer.		Year 1905-6, as compared with year 1899-1900.					
					Above.			Below.		
	Amount.	Per Head.	Amount.	Per Head.	Amount	Per Head.	Per Cent.	Amount.	Per Head.	Per Cent.
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	—	£	s. d.	
New South Wales	881,693	13 0	1,297,776	17 7	416,083	4 7	47·19	...	...	...
Victoria	888,061	14 11	1,073,186	17 9	185,125	2 10	20·85	...	...	...
Queensland	374,600	15 4	494,165	18 9	119,565	3 5	31·76	...	...	...
South Australia	259,297	14 6	369,756	19 0	110,469	5 2	42·60	...	...	...
West Australia	121,920	13 9	260,609	20 6	138,689	6 9	113·22	...	...	...
Tasmania	111,515	12 10	248,799	27 9	137,284	14 11	123·10	...	...	...
Six States	2,637,076	15 11	3,744,291	18 6	1,107,215	2 7	41·99	...	...	...

Distribution of Federal Surplus, £7,384,383, by existing "Book-keeping" method, contrasted with distribution on the fairer basis of population.

	"Book-keeping" Basis.		Population Basis.		Population Basis contrasted with "Book-keeping" Method.			
					Above.		Below.	
	Amount.	Per head.	Amount.	Per head.	Amount.	Per head.	Amount.	Per head.
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
New South Wales	2,741,929	36 9	2,718,191	36 5	—	—	23,738	0 4
Victoria	2,094,502	34 5	2,223,484	36 5	125,982	1 4	—	—
Queensland	858,462	32 6	962,185	36 5	103,723	3 3	—	—
South Australia	562,000	29 9	688,963	36 5	126,963	6 8	—	—
West Australia	871,961	68 5	464,478	36 5	—	—	407,483	32 0
Tasmania	255,529	28 6	330,082	36 5	74,553	11 9	—	—
Six States	7,384,383	36 5	7,384,383	36 5	—	—	—	—

Note.—(*a*) Includes Western Australia's special Tariff Revenue, equal in 1905-6 to £176,666, or 14s. 2d. per head of her population.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS, AUSTRALASIA, 1905–6.

ABSTRACT showing (A.) the Financial Aspect in relation to the State Treasury as the result of working of the various State Railways and Tramways; also showing, approximately, (B.) the advantages to the State, from an economic and industrial point of view, due solely to the saving of time and money by the cheaper and quicker mode of transit by Railways, as compared with Roadways prior to the introduction of the former.

Absolute.

State.	Miles Open.	Cost of Construction and Equipment.	Gross Receipts.	Working Expenses.	Net.		(Estimated) Interest on Capital Expended on Construction and Equipment.	Net Burden or Gain to State Revenue.		(B.) Estimated Yearly Value of Time and Money saved to the State by the cheaper and quicker mode of Railway transit.
					Profit on Working.	Loss on Working.		(A.) Burden.	(A.) Gain.	
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales Railways	3366½	43,626,063	4,234,791	2,308,384	1,926,407	...	1,541,427	...	384,980	8,469,582
,, Tramways	126	3,669,096	851,483	665,083	186,400	...	130,440	...	55,960	1,702,966
Victoria	3394	41,426,648	3,789,068	2,000,164 †	1,788,904	...	1,472,397	...	316,507	7,578,136
Queensland	3137	21,741,226	1,546,083	863,356	682,727	...	885,000*	202,273	...	3,092,166
South Australia	1745	13,610,520	1,349,765	764,385	585,380	...	474,955	...	110,425	2,699,530
West Australia	1568	10,325,702	1,648,648	1,232,992	415,656	...	349,722	...	65,934	3,297,296
Tasmania	469·75	3,926,713	241,188	172,601	68,587	...	142,740	74,153	...	482,376
Six States (Commonwealth)	13,806	138,325,968	13,661,026	8,006,965	5,654,061	...	4,996,681	...	657,380	27,322,052
New Zealand	2391	22,498,972	2,349,704	1,621,239	728,465	...	755,010*	26,545	...	4,699,408
Seven States	16,197	160,824,940	16,010,730	9,628,204	6,382,526	...	5,751,691	...	630,835	32,021,460

* Estimated. † Not including special expenditures. £117,542, to make good deficiencies relating to previous years.

Relative.

	Cost per Mile.	Percentage in relation to Capital expended on Construction and Equipment.							Present Capital Value of (B.)
	£								£
New South Wales Railways	12,960	9·71	5·29	4·42	...	3·53	...	0·88	241,988,057
,, Tramways	29,120	2·32	1·81	0·51	...	3·56	...	1·53	48,656,171
Victoria	12,208	9·15	4·83	4·32	...	3·56	...	0·76	216,518,171
Queensland	6923	7·11	3·97	3·14	...	4·07	0·93	0·48	88,347,600
South Australia	7797	9·91	5·61	4·30	...	3·49	...	0·81	77,129,429
West Australia	6586	15·97	11·94	4·03	...	3·39	...	0·64	94,208,457
Tasmania	8490	6·14	4·40	1·74	...	3·63	1·89	...	13,782,172
Six States (Commonwealth)	10,020	9·88	5·79	4·09	...	3·61	...	0·48	780,630,057
New Zealand	9410	10·45	7·21	3·24	...	3·36	0·12	...	134,268,800
Seven States	9928	9·95	5·99	3·96	...	3·58	...	0·39	914,898,857

Since the Return "Loans Expenditure" was compiled, the following amended figures for Victoria have been supplied :—

		£		£
Railways and Tramways.....	substitute	39,037,186	for	38,792,414
Water Supply, &c.....	,,	9,027,644	,,	8,981,157
Other Public Works and purposes.....	,,	*1,181,628	,,	615,868
Total Loan Expenditure	,,	53,438,711	,,	52,581,692

* Including Municipal endowment, £698,250.

New South Wales—Tramways.

"Percentage relation to capital expended," *for figures printed*, 2·32, 1·81, ·51, *read* 23·21, 18·12, 5·09.

SEVEN COLONIES OF AUSTRALASIA, 1905-6.—LOANS EXPENDITURE.

AGGREGATE UP TO AND INCLUDING YEAR 1905-6.

Numerical.

FOR CONSTRUCTION OF	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Australia & Tasmania (Commonwealth.)	New Zealand.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways ...	49,583,021	38,792,414	23,651,236	13,893,806	9,618,971	4,138,758	139,668,206	21,966,579
Telegraphs and Telephones...	1,297,582	..	1,062,225	991,773	269,308	142,409	3,763,297	1,210,177
Roads and Bridges	1,770,239	169,997	987,409	1,464,736	143,451	2,355,441	6,891,073	7,190,256
Harbours, Rivers, and Lighthouses	10,560,876	611,059	2,614,168	1,583,170	2,182,529	525,151	18,076,953	1,013,153
Public Buildings	4,608,736	1,912,029	1,511,367	860,924	67,124	851,488	9,811,668	3,351,536
Defences	1,445,536	149,323	386,625	291,543		128,179	2,401,206	852,720
Water Supply ..... Sewerage	11,839,033	8,981,157	1,300,002	5,254,906	2,892,391	..	30,267,489	..
Immigration	194,430	..	2,952,724	..	28,085	235,000	3,410,239	2,163,229
Other Public Works or purposes	836,479	1,965,713	1,531,731	3,234,365	1,633,620	1,005,562	12,207,470	4,971,215
Total Loans Expenditure, exclusive of redemptions..	82,135,932	52,581,692	37,997,487	27,575,223	16,835,279	9,371,988	226,497,601	42,718,865
YEAR 1905-6.								
Railways and Tramways ...	529,251	77,968	157,537	67,518	219,937	6168	1,058,379	1,077,978
Telegraphs and Telephones .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	77,186
Roads and Bridges.....	23,800	1919	..	..	712	57,536	83,967	399,667
Harbours, Rivers, and Lighthouses.....	256,780	..	3299	59,543	28,455	22,064	370,141	4946
Public Buildings	107,721	..	15,534	7486	3248	3084	137,073	160,214
Defences	..	..	13	..	..	..	13	35,569
Water Supply ..... Sewerage	365,442	81,634	2226	107,022	18,681	..	570,005	..
Immigration	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8753
Other Public Works or purposes.....	74,777	771,445	119,015	213,361	101,409	48,119	1,328,126	1,208,276
Total Loans Expenditure, exclusive of redemptions.	1,357,771	932,966	297,624	449,930	372,442	136,971	3,547,704	2,92,589

* Expenditure from Public Works Fund, including Expenditure from other than Loans money.

AGGREGATE UP TO AND INCLUDING YEAR 1905-6.

Centesimal Proportion.

FOR CONSTRUCTION OF	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth.	New Zealand.
Railways and Tramways ...	60·36	73·78	62·23	50·40	57·13	44·06	61·66	51·42
Telegraphs and Telephones .	1·58	..	2·80	3·60	1·60	1·52	1·66	2·83
Roads and Bridges.....	2·16	0·32	2·60	5·31	0·85	25·14	3·05	16·83
Harbours, Rivers, and Lighthouses.....	12·86	1·16	6·88	5·74	12·96	5·60	7·98	2·37
Public Buildings	5·61	3·64	3·98	3·12	0·40	9·09	4·33	7·85
Defences	1·76	0·28	1·02	1·06	..	1·37	1·06	2·00
Water Supply..... Sewerage.....	14·41	17·08	3·42	19·06	17·18		13·36	..
Immigration	0·24	..	7·77	..	0·17	2·50	1·51	5·06
Other Public Works or purposes.	1·02	3·74	9·30	11·71	9·71	10·72	5·39	11·64
TOTAL	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00
YEAR 1905-6.								
Railways and Tramways . .	38·98	8·36	52·94	15·01	59·05	4·50	29·83	36·26
Telegraphs and Telephones .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2·60
Roads and Bridges. ..	1·75	0·21	..	..	0·19	42·01	2·37	13·45
Harbours, Rivers, and Lighthouses	18·91	..	1·11	13·23	7·64	16·11	10·43	0·16
Public Buildings	7·94	..	5·20	1·66	0·87	2·25	3·87	5·39
Defences	..	..	..		..	..	..	1·20
Water Supply..... Sewerage.....	26·91	8·75	0·75	22·68	5·02	..	16·07	..
Immigration	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	0·29
Other Public Works or purposes	5·51	82·68	40·00	47·42	27·23	35·13	37·43	40·65
TOTAL	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

GENERAL SUMMARY

Of the Value of the Interstate and External Trade of each of the States of the Commonwealth of Australia, specially distinguishing the Trade with the United Kingdom, Years 1890, 1895, 1900, *and* 1905.

000 £'s omitted.

IMPORTS.

From	To	1899.	1894.	1900.	1905.*
		£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.	New South Wales	8628	6420	9923	8602
	Victoria	9607	4760	7055	7472
	Queensland *	2120	2309	3101	2102
	South Australia	2483	1858	2430	2033
	Western Australia	415	943	2226	2279
	Tasmania *	681	315	629	587
	Total Commonwealth ...	23,934	16,605	25,364	23,075
Ex-Commonwealth Countries, including United Kingdom.	New South Wales	11,633	8570	16,048	14,485
	Victoria	14,496	6714	11,533	12,952
	Queensland*	2502	2731	4083	3162
	South Australia	3459	2753	3919	3233
	W. Australia	512	1072	3218	3769
	Tasmania *	744	324	681	738
	Total Commonwealth ...	33,346	22,264	39,482	38,339
	Excess of Exports ..	..	13,050	7606	18,503
Commonwealth (Interstate).	New South Wales	10,982	7322	11,513	14,939
	Victoria	8458	5759	6769	9386
	Queensland*	2565	2618	3101	3537
	South Australia	4804	2833	4255	5207
	Western Australia	362	2703	2744	2712
	Tasmania*	1154	770	1393	1914
	Total Commonwealth ...	28,325	22,005	29,775	37,695
All Countries.	New South Wales	22,615	15,992	27,561	29,424
	Victoria	22,954	12,473	18,302	22,338
	Queensland	5067	5349	7184	6699
	South Australia	8263	5586	8174	8440
	Western Australia	874	3775	5962	6481
	Tasmania	1898	1094	2074	2652
	Total Commonwealth ...	61,671	44,269	69,257	76,034

EXPORTS.

To	From	1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.*
		£	£	£	£
United Kingdom.	New South Wales	6623	9371	8273	10,222
	Victoria	6850	8068	6364	7472
	Queensland *	2366	3419	3272	1872
	South Australia	4297	2363	2350	2555
	Western Australia	335	328	4268	4210
	Tasmania*	323	203	689	376
	Total Commonwealth ...	20,794	23,752	25,216	26,707
Ex-Commonwealth Countries, including United Kingdom.	New South Wales	10,762	14,344	17,359	24,493
	Victoria	9217	10,093	11,728	14,029
	Queensland *	2450	3845	4094	3385
	South Australia	5295	4051	4148	5403
	Western Australia	484	401	5727	9059
	Tasmania*	324	205	1514	473
	Total Commonwealth ...	28,532	32,939	44,570	56,842
	Excess of Imports ..	1810	..	..	..
Commonwealth (Interstate).	New South Wales	11,284	7591	10,806	12,263
	Victoria	4049	4455	5695	8730
	Queensland	6105	5137	5488	8555
	South Australia	3532	3126	4043	4088
	Western Australia	188	932	1125	812
	Tasmania	1163	1168	1097	3239
	Total Commonwealth ...	26,321	22,409	28,254	37,687
All Countries.	New South Wales	22,046	21,935	28,165	36,756
	Victoria	13,266	14,548	17,423	22,759
	Queensland	8555	8982	9582	11,940
	South Australia	8827	7177	8191	9491
	Western Australia	672	1333	6852	9871
	Tasmania	1487	1373	2611	3712
	Total Commonwealth ...	54,853	55,348	72,824	94,529

PROPORTION PER CENT.

	1899.	1894.	1900.	1905.*		1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.*
United Kingdom	38·81	37·53	36·62	30·35	United Kingdom	37·91	49·22	36·27	28·25
Ex-Commonwealth	54·07	50·30	57·00	50·42	Ex-Commonwealth	52·02	59·51	61·20	60·13
Interstate	45·93	49·70	43·00	49·58	Interstate	47·92	40·49	38·80	39·87
Total	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	Total	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

As the greater part of the trade of Queensland and Tasmania, with the United Kingdom and other ex-Australian countries, are referred to the two great Australian shipping ports (Melbourne and Sydney) where they are transferred as transhipments or re-exports, the percentages shown do not disclose the true extent of the origin or final destination of Queensland and Tasmanian imports and exports.

SUMMARY

Of the Value of the External and Intercolonial Trade, Seven Colonies of Australasia, 1877–1905.

000's omitted.

Year.	Ex-Australian.				Interstate.				Total.			
	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of		Imports.	Exports.	Excess of	
			Imports.	Exports.			Imports.	Exports.			Imports.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1877	29,980	28,534	1446	..	16,703	13,408	3295	..	46,683	41,942	4741	..
1878	31,659	27,315	4344	..	17,133	13,205	3928	..	48,792	40,520	8272	..
1879	28,944	23,880	5064	..	18,435	17,397	1038	..	47,379	41,277	6102	..
1880	25,874	30,890	..	5016	19,188	17,976	1212	..	45,062	48,866	..	3804
1881	33,308	31,184	2124	..	19,578	17,444	2134	..	52,886	48,628	4258	..
1882	42,412	31,611	10,801	..	21,619	19,982	1637	..	64,031	51,593	12,438	..
1883	41,015	35,456	5559	..	21,119	20,640	479	..	62,134	56,096	6038	..
1884	41,161	32,866	8295	..	22,840	21,707	1133	..	64,001	54,573	9428	..
1885	41,480	31,311	10,169	..	21,628	20,023	1605	..	63,108	51,334	11,774	..
1886	37,506	25,840	11,666	..	22,568	19,731	2837	..	60,074	45,571	14,503	..
1887	33,305	29,088	4217	..	24,481	21,490	2991	..	57,786	50,578	7208	..
1888	39,972	35,290	4682	..	25,629	22,375	3254	..	65,601	57,665	7936	..
1889	40,419	35,868	4551	..	28,430	26,716	1714	..	68,849	62,584	6265	..
1890	38,519	36,709	1810	..	29,412	27,955	1457	..	67,931	64,664	3267	..
1891	41,368	43,220	..	1852	30,599	29,354	1245	..	71,967	72,574	..	607
1892	34,521	40,750	..	6229	25,040	24,191	849	..	59,561	64,941	..	5380
1893	27,926	36,801	..	8875	25,096	28,073	..	2977	53,022	64,874	..	11,852
1894	26,378	39,112	..	12,734	22,268	23,136	..	868	48,646	62,248	..	13,602
1895	27,403	40,453	..	13,050	23,266	23,445	..	179	50,669	63,898	..	13,229
1896	34,511	40,142	..	5631	28,126	26,442	1684	..	62,637	66,584	..	3947
1897	37,863	45,706	..	7843	27,732	26,506	1226	..	65,595	72,212	..	6617
1898	37,557	48,289	..	10,732	31,095	30,346	749	..	68,652	78,635	..	9983
1899	39,991	57,647	..	17,656	32,319	31,357	962	..	72,310	89,004	..	16,694
1900	48,351	55,957	..	7606	31,552	30,113	1439	..	79,903	86,070	..	6167
1901	50,420	59,086	..	8666	29,419	28,519	900	..	79,839	87,605	..	7766
1902*	40,676	42,950	..	2274	26,761	26,720	41	..	67,437	69,670	..	2233
1903	37,811	48,166	..	10,355	29,657	29,452	205	..	67,468	77,618	..	10,150
1904	37,008	58,630	..	21,622	33,099	31,680	1419	..	70,107	90,310	..	20,203
1905	38,346	56,841	..	18,495	37,487	38,687	..	1200	75,833	95,528	..	19,695
Aggregate for 29 years*	1,065,684	1,149,596	..	83,908	742,279	708,070	34,209	..	1,807,963	1,857,652	..	49,699

* Commonwealth of Australia. The divisions of Imports and Exports being Ex-Commonwealth and Interstate. Prior to the year 1902 New Zealand was included in this table.

SUMMARY

Showing the Proportional Value (per cent.) of the British, Ex-Commonwealth, and Interstate Trade of each of the Six States of the Commonwealth of Australia at the close of the last Four Quinquennial Periods—1890, 1895, 1900, *and* 1905.

IMPORTS.

Imported direct into	United Kingdom trade.				Ex-Commonwealth trade.*				Interstate trade.*			
	1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.	1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.	1890.	1895.	1900.	1905.
New South Wales	38·15	40·15	36·01	29·24	51·44	54·21	58·22	49·13	48·56	45·79	41·78	50·78
Victoria	41·85	38·16	38·55	33·45	63·15	53·49	63·01	57·98	36·85	46·51	36·99	42·02
Queensland	41·84	43·16	43·17	31·38	49·38	51·05	56·84	47·20	50·62	49·85	43·16	52·80
South Australia	30·05	33·26	29·73	24·08	41·85	49·28	47·94	38·31	58·15	50·72	52·06	61·69
Western Australia	47·48	24·98	37·34	35·17	58·58	28·40	53·97	58·16	41·42	71·60	46·03	41·84
Tasmania	35·88	28·20	30·33	22·14	39·20	29·60	32·84	27·83	60·80[c]	70·40[c]	67·16[c]	72·17[c]
Commonwealth	38·81	37·53	36·67	30·35	54·07	50·30	57·00	50·42	45·33	49·70	43·00	49·58

EXPORTS.

Exported direct from—												
New South Wales	30·04	42·72	29·37	27·81	48·82	65·40	61·63	66·64	51·18	34·60	38·37	33·36
Victoria	51·64	55·46	36·53	32·83	69·48	69·33	67·30	61·64	30·52	30·67	32·70	38·36
Queensland	27·66	38·07	34·14	15·68	28·64	42·81	42·72	28·35	71·36	57·19	57·28	71·65
South Australia	48·67	32·93	28·69	26·92	59·99	56·45	50·64	56·93	40·01	43·55	49·36	43·07
Western Australia	49·85	24·61	62·30	42·64	72·02	30·08	83·58	91·77	27·98[c]	69·92	16·42	8·23
Tasmania	21·72	14·79	26·39	10·13	21·79	14·93	57·96	12·75	78·21[b]	85·07[b]	42·04[a]	87·25[b]
Commonwealth	37·91	49·22	36·27	28·25	52·08	59·51	61·20	69·13	49·72	40·49	38·80	39·87

NOTES.—*New Zealand is included in interstate trade in years 1890, 1895, and 1900. Tasmania (a) excludes exports to ex-Australian Countries transhipped at ports of Melbourne and Sydney; (b) includes ditto, ditto, ditto. [c] See note at foot of preceding page.

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